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# UP Board Class 9 Syllabus 2027 English

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**Academic Session 2026-27**

**Class –IX**

**Syllabus–English**

There will be one question paper of **70 marks**. Internal Assessment will be for **30 marks**.

**Unit-1 Reading** **10 marks**

1. One short unseen passage followed by three MCQs. 3x1=3
2. One unseen passage followed by three very short answer type questions and one vocabulary based question. 3x2+1=7

**Unit-2 Writing Skills** **10 marks**

3. Letter (formal/informal)/Application/**e-mail** . 4
4. Descriptive paragraph/Report/ Article (based on given verbal/figurative input)in about 80-100 words. 6

**Unit-3 Grammar** **15 marks**

5. **Five MCQs and six very short answer type questions** based on parts of speech, tenses, articles, reordering of sentences, spellings, phrases, clauses, narration, voice, punctuation MCQ=5x1=5, VSA=6x1=6
6. Translation of a short passage from Hindi to English. 4

**Unit-4 Literature** **35 marks**

**Beehive (23 marks)**

**Prose (15 marks)**

7. Two MCQs based on the given extract. 2x1=2
8. Three MCQs based on lessons. 3x1=3
9. Two short answer type questions in about 30-40 words each. 2x3=6
10. One long answer type question in about 60-80 words. 4

**Poetry (08 marks)**

11. Two MCQs based on the given extract. 2x1=2
12. One short answer type question based on poetry lessons in about 30-40 words . 3

or

Four lines from any poem prescribed in the syllabus

13. **Critical Appreciation** of the given poem (It will include the main theme, form of poetry choice of words, rhyming scheme, use of imagery etc.) 3

**Moments (12 marks)**

14. Five MCQs based on prescribed lessons. 5x1=5
15. One short answer type question in about 30-40 words. 3

16. One long answer type question in about 60-80 words. 4

**Prescribed books and Lessons**

**Beehive (Text Book)**

**Prose –**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | The Fun They Had – | Isaac Asimov |
| 2. | The Sound of Music | |
| | I. Evelyn Glennine – | Deborah Cowley |
| | II. Bismillah Khan | |
| 3. | The Little Girl – | Katherine Mansfield |
| 4. | A Truly Beautiful Mind | |
| 5. | The Snake and the Mirror | Vaikom Muhammad Basheer |
| 6. | My Childhood – | A.P.J. Abdul Kalam |
| 7. | Reach for the Top | |
| | (I) Santosh Yadav | |
| | (II) Maria Sharapova | |
| 8. | Kathmandu – | Vikram Seth |
| 9. | If I were you – | Douglas James |

**Poetry –**

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|---|---|---|
| 1. | The Road Not Taken – | Robert Frost |
| 2. | Wind – | Subramania Bharati |
| 3. | Rain on the Roof – | Coates Kinney |
| 4. | The Lake Isle of Innisfree – | William Butler Yeats |
| 5. | A Legend of the Northland – | Phoebe Cary |
| 6. | No Men Are Foreign – | James Kirkup |
| 7. | On Killing a Tree – | Gieve Patel |
| 8. | A Slumber Did My Spirit Seal – | William Wordsworth |

**Moments (Supplementary Reader) –**

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| 1. | The Lost Child – | Mulk Raj Anand |
| 2. | The Adventures of Toto – | Ruskin Bond |
| 3. | Iswaran the Storyteller – | R.K. Laxman |
| 4. | In the Kingdom of Fools – | A.K. Ramanujan |
| 5. | The Happy Prince – | Oscar Wilde |
| 6. | Weathering the Storm in Ersama- | Harsh Mander |
| 7. | The Last Leaf – | O Henry |
| 8. | A House is not a Home – | Zan Gaudioso |
| 9. | The Beggar – | Anton Chekhov |

**Words & Expression [Eng. Work book]**

**Recommended Book**

**'A Hand book of Grammar and Composition Writing'** Published by English Language Teaching Institute (ELTI), U.P., Prayagraj. This book can be accessed online at **eltiup.org.**

**Internal Asscssment for the Academic Session 2026-27** **30 Marks**

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| 1. First Internal Assessment (Oral Expression based) | 10 Marks | August |
| 2. Second Internal Assessment (Creative Writing Based) | 10 Marks | December |
| 3.Third Internal Assessment | 10 Marks | |

(Four Unit Tests Based)

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| (i) First Unit Test (MCQs Based) | 20 Marks | July Second Week |
| (10 Marks for summer holiday home work + 10 Marks for unit test) | | |
| (ii) Second Unit Test (Descriptive Questions Based) | 20 Marks | August Last Week |
| (iii) Third Unit Test (MCQs Based) | 20 Marks | November Last Week |
| (iv) Fourth Unit Test (Descriptive Questions Based) | 20 Marks | December Last Week |

The Sum of the marks obtained in four unit tests should be converted into 10 Marks.