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FOR UP CLASS 11 PREPARATION

UP Board Class 11 Syllabus 2027 English

EXAM	YEAR	TYPE	SUBJECT
UP Class 11	2027	Syllabus	English

Academic Session-2026-27
Subject – English
(Class – XI)

There will be one question paper of 100 marks.

Unit-1–Reading- **15 Marks**

1. One long unseen passage followed by four very short-answer type questions and three vocabulary based questions. **VSA-4x3=12**
Vocabulary -3x1=3

Unit-2–Writing- **20 Marks**

2. Note making and summary 05
3. Article /Essay 08
4. Letter to the Editor/Complaint letters/Business letters (Placing orders/booking or cancellation/ making enquiries etc) 07

Unit-3 – Grammar- **25 Marks**

5. Ten MCQs and five very short answer type questions based on Narration, Synthesis, Transformation, Syntax and vocabulary items like- idioms and phrases/phrasal verbs, synonyms, antonyms, one word substitution, homophones. **MCQ-1x10=10**
VSA- 2x5=10
6. Translation from Hindi to English.(7 to 8 sentences) 05

Unit-4 – Literature - **40 Marks**

Hornbill – Text Book **25 marks**

Prose-

8. Two short answer type questions. 4+4=8
7. One long answer type question. 07

Poetry-

9. Three short answer type questions based on a given poetry extract. 2x3=6
10. Critical Appreciation (It will include the main theme, form of choice of word, rhyming scheme, use of imagery etc.) 04

Note- Questions related to identification of the following figures of speech will be included in the poetry section-(Simile, Metaphor, Personification, Oxymoron, Apostrophe, Hyperbole, Onomatopoeia)

Snapshots – Supplementary Reader - **15 marks**

12. Two short answer type questions. 4+4=8
11. One long answer type question. 07

Prescribed Content-

Sl. No	Lesson Name	Writer/Poet
	HORNBILL (Text Book)	
	Prose-	
1-	The Portrait of a Lady	1- Khushwant Singh
2-	We're Not Afraid to Die.....if We Can All Be Together	2- Gordon Cook and Alan East
3-	Discovering Tut: The Saga Continues	3- A.R. Williams
4-	The Ailing Planet: The Green Movement's Role	4- Nani Palkhivala
5-	The Adventure	5- Jayant Narlikar
6-	Silk Road	6- Nick Middleton
	Poetry-	
1-	A Photograph	1- Shirley Toulson
2-	The Laburnum Top	2- Ted Hughes

	3- The Voice of the Rain	3- Walt Whitman
	4- Childhood	4- Markus Natten
	5- Father to son	5- Elizabeth Jennings
2	**SNAPSHOTS (Supplementary Reader)**	
	1- The Summer of the Beautiful White Horse	1- William Saroyan
	2- The Address	2- Marga Minco
	3- Mother's Day	3- J.B. Priestley
	4- Birth	4- A.J. Cronin
	5- The Tale of Melon City	5- Vikram Seth

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.**

For Remedial Teaching in the Session 2026-27

Four Unit Tests

(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

Note- The above tests will be conducted at school level as a part of remedial teaching. The marks obtained in these tests will not be included in the final result.