



ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL GWALIOR

ACADEMIC SESSION 2025-2026

EXAMINATION CIRCULAR

I PERIODIC TEST IX, X AND XII



Dear Parents,

1. **First Periodic Test of Class IX, X, and XII** will be conducted from 24 July 2025. The Date sheet of the examination is attached herewith the blue print of question papers and subject wise syllabus.

DATE SHEET

DATE	DAY	IX	X	XII
24 JULY 2025	THURSDAY	SCIENCE	SOCIAL SCIENCE	CHEMISTRY/ ACCOUNTANCY/ HISTORY
25 JULY 2025	FRIDAY	HINDI	HINDI	ENGLISH
28 JULY 2025	MONDAY	MATHEMATICS	MATHEMATICS	MATHEMATICS/ BIOLOGY/ POLITICAL SCIENCE
29 JULY 2025	TUESDAY	---	---	BUSINESS STUDIES
30 JULY 2025	WEDNESDAY	SOCIAL SCIENCE	ENGLISH	PAINTING/ PHYSICAL EDUCATION/NCC/ PSYCHOLOGY/ COMPUTER SCIENCE/ INFORMATION PRACTICE
01 AUGUST 2025	FRIDAY	ENGLISH	SCIENCE	PHYSICS/ ECONOMICS/ HINDI

Note :

1. School reporting time during the examination
2. Departure Time
3. P.T.M

- 07:45 hrs
- 10:15 hrs
- 23 Aug 2025

Principal

CLASS X
BLUEPRINTS AND SYLLABUS

ENGLISH

Time: 1½ Hrs.

Max Marks: 40

Section A: Reading Comprehension [10 Marks]

Q1. Unseen passage (Factual, descriptive or literary/discursive or persuasive)
(5Marks)

Q2. Case Based Unseen (Factual) Passage (5 Marks)

Section B: Grammar and Creative Writing Skills [10 Marks]

Q3. Integrated Grammar exercise based on Grammar textbook.
(5Marks)

Q4. Analytical Paragraph Writing / Formal Letter Writing
(5Marks)

Section C: Literature [20 Marks]

Q5. Extract based questions (M.C.Qs/Objective type questions) from Drama/Prose
(3x1=3marks)

Q6. Extract based questions (M.C.Qs/Objective type questions) from Poetry
(3x1=3marks)

Q7. Two out of Three Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in 40-50 words from the book FIRST FLIGHT to assess interpretation, analysis, inference and evaluation.
(2x2=4marks)

Q8. Two out of Three Short Answer Type Questions to be answered in 40-50 words from the book Footprints Without Feet to assess interpretation, analysis, inference and evaluation.
(2 x2=4 marks)

Q9. One out of two Long Answer Type Questions from FIRST FLIGHT to be answered in about 100-120 words each to assess creativity, imagination and extrapolation beyond the text and across the text. This can be a passage-based question taken from a situation/plot from the text.
(1x3=3marks)

Q10. One out of two Long Answer Type Questions from FOOTPRINTS WITHOUT FEET, on theme or plot involving interpretation, extrapolation beyond the text and inference or character sketch to be answered in about 100-120 words.
(1x3=3marks)

SYLLABUS: PT-1

First Flight – Prose

L-1 A Letter to God

L-2 Nelson Mandela: Long Walk to Freedom

L-3 Two Stories About Flying Part- I and II

Poetry: P-1. Dust of Snow, P-2. Fire and Ice, P-3. A Tiger in the Zoo

Footprints Without Feet

L-1 A Triumph Of Surgery

L-2 The Thief's Story

Writing Skills

Analytical Paragraph and Formal Letter Writing (Letter of Complaint/letter to Editor)

Grammar: Integrated Grammar Exercise (Tenses and Determiners)

SUBJECT: HINDI

Time-1 ½ hrs.

M.M.40

Type of Question	Marks	No. of Questions	Total Marks
अपठित गद्यांश	1	5	5
व्याकरण	3+3+3	3	9
पाठ्यपुस्तिका	3	3	9
पाठ्यपुस्तिका	2	2	4
संचयन	3	1	3
लेखन कौशल	5	2	10

Syllabus for PT -1

स्पर्श भाग -2 गद्य खंड :- पाठ -1 बड़े भाई साहब

पाठ- 2 डायरी का एक पन्ना

काव्य खंड :- पाठ -1 साखी

पाठ -2 मीरा के पद

संचयन :- पाठ -1 हरिहर काका

अपठित गद्यांश

व्याकरण :- पदबंध, मुहावरे , वाक्य रूपांतरण

लेखन :- अनुच्छेद लेखन, पत्र लेखन

SUBJECT-SCIENCE

M.M-40

S.NO	TYPES OF QUESTION	MARKS OF EACH QUESTION	NUMBER OF QUESTIONS	MARKS
1	OBJECTIVE(MCQ)	1	10	10
2	VSA	2	3	06
3	SA	3	2	06
4	LA	5	2	10
5	CASE BASED QUESTIONS	4	2	8
			19	40

SYLLABUS

CLASS X

PHYSICS- CHAPTER-10 REFLECTION AND REFRACTION

CHEMISTRY- CHAPTER-1 CHEMICAL REACTIONS AND EQUATIONS

BIOLOGY- CHAPTER- 6 LIFE PROCESS

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

Time-1 ½ hrs.

M.M.40

History (9+1=10 marks)

2 ques. objective type (Ans, in one word/fill ups/M.C.Q/Matching etc.)

2x1=2

1 ques Long Ans. type x 5 m (Word limit-120)

1x5=5

1 ques. Very Short type x 2m (Word Limit- 30-40)

1x2=2

1 item (map)x1m

1x1=1

Geography (8+2=10 marks)

3 ques. objective type (Ans, in one word/ fill ups/M.C.Q/Matching etc.)

3x1=3

1 ques Short Ans. type x 3m(Word limit-80)

1x3=3

1 ques. Very Short type x 2m (Word Limit- 30-40)

1x2=2

2 item (map)x1m

2x1=2

Political Science(10 marks)

2 ques. objective type (Ans. in one word/ fill ups/M.C.Q/Matching etc.)

2x1=2

1 ques Short Ans. type x 3m(Word limit-80)

1x3=3

1 ques Long Ans. type x 5 m(Word limit-120)

1x5=5

Economics(10 marks)

3 ques. objective type (Ans. in one word/ fill ups/M.C.Q/Matching etc.)

3x1=3

1 ques Short Ans. type x 3m(Word limit-80)

1x3=3

1 ques Competency Based 1x 4 m(Source/Case Study/Picture/data etc. based Ques.)1x4=4

Design of Question Paper

Type of questions	No. of question	Mark of each question	Total
Objective Type	10	1	10

V. Short Answer Type	2	2	04
Short Answers Type	3	3	09
Long Answers Type	2	5	10
Competency based questions: (Source/case study/paragraph/data/ Picture/Cartoon etc. based)	1	4	04
Skill (Map work)	1	3items (3x1=3)	03
Total Marks			40

Syllabus of Social Science for Periodic Test-I (2025-26)

Class -X

History:

Chapter 1- The Rise of Nationalism in Europe
Ch.2 'Nationalism in India' (Only Map work)

Geography:

Chapter 1- Resources and development

Political Science:

Chapter 1- Power Sharing

Economics:

Chapter 1- Development

SUB- MATHEMATICS

Time: 1Hr 30 MINS

Max Marks 40

1. This Question paper contains - **five sections** A, B, C, D and E. Each section is compulsory. However, there are internal choices in some questions.
2. **Section A** has 9 **MCQ's and 01** Assertion-Reason based questions of 1 mark each.
3. **Section B** has 2 **Short Answer (SA-I)-type** questions of 2 marks each. Internal choice is provided in 1 questions.
4. **Section C** has 4 **Short Answer (SA-II)-type** questions of 3 marks each. Internal choice is provided in 2 questions.
5. **Section D** has 2 **Long Answer (LA)-type** questions of 5 marks each. Internal choice is provided in 1 questions.
6. **Section E** has one **Source based/Case based/Passage based/Integrated units of assessment** (4 marks each) with sub parts of 1,1, and 2 marks.

Syllabus:

Class X: Ch 1, 2, 3, and 4