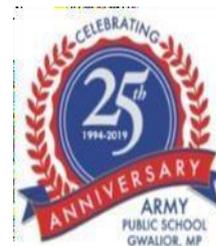




**ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL GWALIOR**  
**ACADEMIC SESSION 2025-2026**  
**CIRCULAR – PERIODIC TEST I**  
**CLASS VIII**



**FOR PARENTS/STUDENTS**

Dear Parents,

1. **The Periodic Test – I for Class VIII** will commence from **24 July 2025 to 01 August 2025** as per the given directions:
- (a) Nature of the question paper - Formative & Subjective
  - (b) Students Reporting Time - 0745 hrs
  - (c) Students Departure Time - 1015 hrs (24 July to 01 August 2025)
  - (d) Subjects - Six core subjects and one grading subject (Computer)
  - (e) Total Marks - 40 (Core subject)  
- 20 (Computer)
  - (f) PTM - 23 August 2025
  - (g) Preparatory leave - 23 July 2025
  - (h) Parents are requested to ensure that their ward(s) takes the examination as per the schedule.
  - (i) Please read the Date Sheet carefully, that is attached here, along with the syllabus and blueprint of the examination and prepares your ward(s) accordingly.

**DATE SHEET**

<b>Date</b>	<b>DAY</b>	<b>VI</b>	<b>VII</b>	<b>VIII</b>
24 JULY 2025	THURSDAY	ENGLISH	SCIENCE	SOCIAL STUDIES
25 JULY 2025	FRIDAY	HINDI	SANSKRIT	HINDI
28 JULY 2025	MONDAY	MATHEMATICS	SOCIAL STUDIES	MATHEMATICS
29 JULY 2025	TUESDAY	SCIENCE	HINDI	SANSKRIT
30 JULY 2025	WEDNESDAY	SOCIAL STUDIES	MATHEMATICS	ENGLISH
31 JULY 2025	THURSDAY	COMPUTER	COMPUTER	COMPUTER
01 AUGUST 2025	FRIDAY	SANSKRIT	ENGLISH	SCIENCE

## BLUEPRINT AND SYLLABUS OF PERIODIC TEST I

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>ENGLISH BLUEPRINT</b>
Time -1hr30 min	M.M-40
<b>SECTION- A (READING COMPREHENSION)</b>	<b>[10 Marks]</b>
Q1. An Unseen passage (Factual, descriptive or literary/discursive or persuasive) with six multiple choice questions.	(6 marks)
Q2. A Case Based Unseen (Factual) passage with four multiple choice questions (4 Marks)	
<b>SECTION-B (WRITING SKILLS AND GRAMMAR)</b>	<b>[10Marks]</b>
Q3. Analytical Paragraph Writing /Picture Composition/Formal Letter	(5 marks)
Q4. Integrated Grammar exercise based on Grammar textbook	(3 marks)
Q5. Integrated Grammar exercise based on Grammar textbook	(2 marks)
<b>SECTION-C (LITERATURE)</b>	<b>[20 Marks]</b>
Q6. An extract from prose with 2 MCQs and 1 VSA from Literature Reader (3x1=3marks)	
Q7. An extract from poetry with 2 MCQs and 1 VSA from Literature Reader (3x1=3marks)	
Q8. Five short answer type questions from Literature/Supplementary Reader Textbooks (W.L-30 to 40 words) (5 x2=10 marks)	
Q9. One Long answer type question from Literature / Supplementary Reader (W.L-120 words) (1x4=4marks)	

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>ENGLISH BLUEPRINT</b>
<b>Honeydew</b> Chapter 1 The Best Christmas Present in the World Poem 1 The Ant and the Cricket Chapter 2 The Tsunami Poem 2 Geography Lesson	<b>The Complete English Grammar and Composition</b> Chapter 6 Noun: case Chapter 7 Pronoun Chapter 9 Adjectives
<b>It so happened...</b> Chapter 1 How the Camel got his Hump	<b>Writing Skills</b> Formal Letter  <b>Reading Skills</b> - Unseen passage for comprehension

CLASS VIII			HINDI BLUEPRINT	
प्रश्न का प्रकार	प्रश्नों की संख्या	प्रत्येक प्रश्न का अंक	कुल अंक	कठिनाई का स्तर
बहुविकल्पीय	10	1	10	मध्यम
शब्दार्थ (केवल कक्षा 6 व 7 के लिए)	6	0.5	3	अत्यंत सरल
लघुउत्तरी (केवल कक्षा 8 के लिए)	5	1	5	सरल
दीर्घउत्तरी (केवल कक्षा 8 के लिए)	5	2	10	मध्यम से चुनौतीपूर्ण
दीर्घउत्तरी (केवल कक्षा 6 व 7 के लिए)	6	2	12	मध्यम से चुनौतीपूर्ण
क्षमता पर आधारित	1	5	5	अधिक चुनौतीपूर्ण
कौशल पर आधारित	2	5	10	चुनौतीपूर्ण
कुल अंक			40	

CLASS VIII		HINDI SYLLABUS	
वसंत पाठ 1 से 3 भारत की खोज पाठ 1 और 2	व्याकरण पाठ 1 से 4 (अपठित गद्यांश, अनौपचारिक पत्र लेखन, अनुच्छेद लेखन)		

CLASS VIII		MATHEMATICS BLUEPRINT	
Time: 1 hrs 30 min Hrs		Max Marks 40	
1.	This Question paper contains - <b>five sections</b> A, B, C, D and E. Each section is compulsory. However, there are internal choices in some questions.		
2.	<b>Section A</b> has 10 <b>MCQ's</b> of 1 mark each.		
3.	<b>Section B</b> has 2 <b>Constructive Response (CR-1)-type</b> questions of 2 mark each. Internal choice is provided in 1 questions.		
4.	<b>Section C</b> has 4 <b>Constructive Response (CR-2) -type</b> questions of 3 mark each. Internal choice is provided in 2 questions.		
5.	<b>Section D</b> has 2 <b>Long Answer (LA)-type</b> questions of 5 marks each. Internal choice is provided in 1 questions.		
6.	<b>Section E</b> has 1 <b>Source based/Case based/Passage based/Integrated units of assessment</b> (4 marks each) with sub parts of 1,1, and 2 marks.		

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>MATHEMATICS SYLLABUS</b>
Chapter – 1,2 and 3	

<b>CLASSVIII</b>		<b>SCIENCE BLUEPRINT</b>		
<b>Time-1hrs 30min.</b>		<b>Max. Marks: 40</b>		
S.NO	TYPES OF QUESTION	MARKS PER QUESTION	NUMBER OF QUESTIONS	TOTAL MARKS
1	MCQ	1	6	6
2	FILL UPS	1	5	05
3	VSA	2	3	06
4	SA	3	3	09
5	LA	5	2	10
6	CASE STUDY BASED Q.	4	1	4

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>SCIENCE SYLLABUS</b>
Chapter-1 Crop production and management Chapter-2 Microorganisms: Friend and Foe Chapter -3 Coal and petroleum	

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>SOCIAL STUDIES BLUEPRINT</b>
<b>Time-1 ½ hrs.</b>	<b>M.M.40</b>
<b>'History' (15 marks)</b>	
1. Objective Type (Fill ups /Ans. in one word, Matching/T & F/M.C.Q etc.)	2x1=2
2. Answer in very short (2 ques, x 2m) (Word limit-30-40 )	2x2=4
3. Answer in short (1 ques, x 3m) (Word limit-60-80 )	1x3=3
4. Answer in detail (1 ques, x5m) (Word limit- 100-120)	1x5=5
5. Map work (1 item x 1m)	1x1=1
<b>'Geography' (15 marks)</b>	
6. Objective Type (Fill ups /Ans. in one word, Matching/T & F/M.C.Q etc.)	2x1=2
7. Answer in very short (2 ques, x 2m) (Word limit-30-40 )	2x2=4
8. Answer in detail (1 ques, x5m) (Word limit- 100-120)	1x5=5
9. Ques. Competency Based 1 x 3 m (source/case study/picture/data based etc.)	1x3=3
10. Map work (1 item x 1m)	1x1=1
<b>'Civics' (10 marks)</b>	
11. Objective Type (Fill ups/Ans. in one word Matching/ True & False/M.C.Q etc.)	1x1=1
12. Answer in very short (3 ques, x 2m) (Word limit-30-40 )	3x2=6
13. Answer in short (1 ques.x3 m) (Word limit 60 to 80)	1x3=3

<b>CLASS VIII</b>	<b>SOCIAL STUDIES SYLLABUS</b>	
<b>HISTORY:</b> Chapter-1 Introduction: How, When and Where Chapter-2 From Trade to Territory: The Company Establishes Power	<b>GEOGRAPHY:</b> Chapter-1 Resources	<b>CIVICS:</b> Chapter-1 The Indian Constitution

CLASS VIII		SANSKRIT BLUEPRINT
<b>खण्ड क (अपठित अवबोधनम् ) (5 अंक)</b>		
• अपठित गद्यांश पर आधारित प्रश्न		(5)
(क) एक पदेन उत्तरत		(2x1=2)
(ख) पूर्ण वाक्येन उत्तरत		(1x1=1)
(ग) निर्देशानुसार उत्तरत		(4x1/2=2)
<b>खण्ड ख ( रचनात्मक कार्यम् ) (10 अंक)</b>		
• संवाद		(5x1=5)
• पत्र (कक्षा 6 में पत्र के स्थान पर अनुच्छेद आएगा)		(5x1=5)
<b>खण्ड ग ( अनुप्रयुक्त व्याकरणम् ) (10 अंक)</b>		
• व्याकरण पुस्तक पर आधारित प्रश्न		(3x2=6)
• पाठ्य पुस्तक से व्याकरणात्मक प्रश्न		(2x2=4)
<b>खण्ड घ (पठित अवबोधनम् ) (15 अंक)</b>		
• पठित गद्यांश पर आधारित प्रश्न		(5)
(क) एक पदेन उत्तरत		(2x1=2)
(ख) पूर्ण वाक्येन उत्तरत		(1x1=1)
(ग) निर्देशानुसार उत्तरत		(4x1/2=2)
• पठित पद्यांश पर आधारित प्रश्न		(5)
(क) एक पदेन उत्तरत		(2x1=2)
(ख) पूर्ण वाक्येन उत्तरत		(1x1=1)
(ग) निर्देशानुसार उत्तरत		(4x1/2=2)
• प्रश्ननिर्माण / शब्द- अर्थ		(2x1=2)
• पाठ्य पुस्तक से विविध प्रश्न		(3x1=3)

CLASS VIII		SANSKRIT SYLLABUS
रुचिरा- पाठ 1,2,3,4	व्याकरण- पाठ 1,2	अपठित गद्यांश, संवाद, पत्र

CLASS VIII		COMPUTER BLUEPRINT		
S No.	Types of Question	No. of questions	Marks of each question	Marks
1	Multiple Choice Questions	05	1	5
2	Fill in the blanks	05	1	5
3	True and False	03	1	3
4	Short Answer Questions	07	1	7
		Total		20

CLASS VIII		COMPUTER SYLLABUS
Chapter-1 Networking Concepts		
Chapter -2 Introduction to RDBMS - MySQL		