

First term Curriculum Subject – Social Sciences Class – VIII Session-2025-2026

Month	April	Мау	June	July
Chapters	-Economic Activity in your Locality. -Livelihood Pattern of the State	-Understanding local Markets -Mineral Resources and Industry.	-India:Natural and Human Resources -The Colonial Rule in India	-Impact of colonial rule in India. -the Revolt of 1857
Learning Outcomes	Students will be able to: -Identify the economic activity in a localityEnlist the distribution of economic activities. -learn about the cropping agricultural pattern of a stateEnlist the challenges and threats to agricultureAnalyse about local small scale industries and handicraft of a stateExplain about migration and associated impact on the region.	-Students will be able to: -Learn about the concept of the marketDiscuss about the functions of the marketDiscover about haats,Mandis, bazaarsRelate with local markets. -Classify about the distribution of mineral resourcesDiscover about the manufacturing industries in the regionExplain about the issues related to environmental pollution.	Students will be able to: -Define the natural and human resourcesCategorise different types of resourcesClassify distribution of natural resources and its relationship with major industriesAnalyse about the case study of steel industry in Orissa , Chhattisgarh and Delhi NCR. -Collect knowledge about mercantilism and trade warsDiscover about how a trading company became a political powerWrite about the company's struggle for territory and wars with Indian rulersInfer about how consolidation of British power was linked to the formation of colonial armies and administrative structures.	- Students will be able to: - Discover the impact of colonial rule in different aspects of life — peasants, tribals, industries and education Describe the resistance against colonial policy by tribals, peasants and other sections of the society. -Discuss about the rebellion in the army and the spread of the movement Inspect how the revolt of 1857 originated and spread to different parts of the countryIllustrate about the changes in colonial rule after 1857.
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Competency skill based Activities/ Experiential Learning	Debate:economic activities in rural areas more sustainable and beneficial than those in urban areas?	Debate: tourism boosts local market? (Integrated with English)	Documentary Show-Emergence of British Empire.	Timeline of colonial rule 1765-1908
	Flow-chart: types of economic activities Search work: Consider a state like Uttarakhand. Research what difficulties they face in agriculture. Study and recommend five ways in which they can increase their productivity. (Integrated with science ,math and art)	Survey: Study your neighbouring market, and tell us how that is beneficial for their livelihood. (Integrated with Maths) Debate: mineral resources are the backbone of the countries economy. Support your stand with logical arguments? Project: Issues related to environmental pollution. Map work Project on the different types of resources. Map work-Showing different minerals on map with respect to their area. (Mineral Resources) (Integrated with Science)	Role play: Students will play the role of Britisher and Indians, and show how native Indians were discriminated against. (Integrated with performing art)	Declamation: tribal impact of colonialism in India. (Integrated with English and art) Mind map of the chapter. Documentary on the revolt of 1857. Debate: the revolt of 1857 could have been successful under an able and strong leader. Support your stand with a logical argument? (Integrated with English and art)

-Note book Evaluation

- Multiple Assessment

Book: Cambridge Social Sciences Publisher - Cambridge University press

-Periodic Test

-CW/HW



Final Term Curriculum Subject – Social Sciences Class – VIII Session-2025-2026

Month	August/ September	October	November	December
Chapters	-Geography of the United States of America. -The Indian National Movement	-Indian National Movement in the StatesThe Constitution of India	-Block and District Parishad -Government and the People	-History of the United States of americaThe United States of America: Society, culture and Economy
Learning Outcomes	Students will be able to: -Locate the USA on the world mapEnlist the geographical features of the USADetect about the flora and fauna in the USA. -Infer about the major movements that took place during this phaseAnalyse the existence of diverse trends within the movement and the emergence of different social groups.	Students will be able to: -Analyse the History of Indian National Movement in different statesExplain the Praja Mandal Movement and the Movement led by Baba RamchandraDiscuss how the national consciousness spread among the massesSupport the literary representation of the Indian national movement in novels. -Analyse the constitution as the primary source of lawIdentify the key features of the ConstitutionDefend the vision and values of the Constitution of IndiaExamine the challenges faced by the Constitution Assembly while drafting the Constitution.	- Students will be able to: -Distinguish different tiers of the governmentAnalyse the roles and responsibilities of the governmentInfer the functioning of block and District Parishads -Assess about the electoral process. -Explain about the making and functioning of law-RTI and RTEExamine the challenges in practicing law.	-Students will be able to: -Interpret the history of the United States of America -Infer about the American Civil War Write about the emergence of the USA as a world power in the post-second World War phase. -Analyse the American society and peopleDiscuss about the US trade, commerce and American industries.
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Competency skill based Activities/Exp eriential Learning	Report on the geographical features of the USA. Map work:both political and physical. Short video clip-(The Making of the National Movement : 1870s-1947	-Project work:how the Government of India celebrates freedom fighters. (Integrated with art) Case study:The chauri Chaura incident in UP and the Praja Mandal movement in Rajasthan.	-Role play on the electoral process of Panchayat. Debate: the local government has been a bane/boon to Indian society? (Integrated with art and English)	Report work: write a report on the history of the United States of America and its society, culture and economy. (Integrated with art)
	-Timeline of struggle till 1947. -Pamphlet or Poem In relation to freedom (Integrated with languages and art)	-Flow Chart on key features of constitution. Search work:compare the constitution of different countries, and tell about the sources of the constitution.		
Assessment	-Subject Enrichment -Note book evaluation - PeriodicTest - Multiple Assessment -CW/HW Book - Cambridge Social S Publisher - Cambridge Un			