

# JUNIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM DESIGN

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**GRADE 7** 



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#### **FOREWORD**

The Government of Kenya is committed to ensuring that policy objectives for Education, Training and Research meet the aspirations of the Kenya Constitution 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, National Curriculum Policy 2019, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the Regional and Global conventions to which Kenya is a signatory. Towards achieving the mission of Basic Education, the Ministry of Education (MoE) has successfully and progressively rolled out the implementation of the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) at Pre-Primary and Primary School levels. The roll out of Junior Secondary School (Grade 7-9) will subsequently follow as from 2023-2025.

The curriculum designs at this level build on competencies attained by learners at the end of the Primary School cycle. Further, they provide opportunities for learners to continue exploring and nurturing their potentials as they prepare to transit to Senior Secondary School.

The curriculum designs present National Goals of Education, essence statements, general and specific expected learning outcomes for the learning areas (subjects) as well as strands and sub strands. The designs also outline suggested learning experiences, key inquiry questions, core competencies, Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs), values, Community Service Learning (CSL) activities and assessment rubric.

It is my hope that all Government agencies and other stakeholders in Education will use the designs to plan for effective and efficient implementation of the CBC.

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#### **PREFACE**

The Ministry of Education (MoE) is implementing the second phase of the curriculum reforms with the national roll out of the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) having been implemented in 2019. Grade 7 is the first level of the Junior Secondary School (JSS) in the new education structure.

Grade 7 curriculum furthers implementation of the CBC to the JSS education level. The main feature of this level is a broad curriculum for the learner to explore talents, interests and abilities before selection of pathways and tracks at the Senior Secondary education level. This is very critical in the realisation of the Vision and Mission of the on-going curriculum reforms as enshrined in the Sessional Paper No. I of 2019 whose title is: *Towards Realizing Quality, Relevant and Inclusive Education and Training for Sustainable Development* in Kenya. The Sessional Paper explains the shift from a Content - Focused Curriculum to a focus on **Nurturing every Learner's potential.** 

Therefore, the Grade 7 curriculum designs are intended to enhance the learners' development in the CBC core competencies, namely: Communication and Collaboration, Critical Thinking and Problem Solving, Creativity and Imagination, Citizenship, Digital Literacy, Learning to Learn and Self-efficacy.

The curriculum designs provide suggestions for interactive and differentiated learning experiences linked to the various sub strands and the other aspects of the CBC. The curriculum designs also offer several suggested learning resources and a variety of assessment techniques. It is expected that the designs will guide teachers to effectively facilitate learners to attain the expected learning outcomes for Grade7 and prepare them for smooth transition to the next Grade. Furthermore, it is my hope that teachers will use the designs to make learning interesting, exciting and enjoyable.

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The Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development (KICD) Act Number 4 of 2013 (Revised 2019) mandates the Institute to develop curricula and curriculum support materials for basic and tertiary education and training. The curriculum development process for any level of education involves thorough research, international benchmarking and robust stakeholder engagement. Through a systematic and consultative process, the KICD conceptualised the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) as captured in the *Basic Education Curriculum Framework* (BECF), that responds to the demands of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century and the aspirations captured in the Kenya Constitution 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, East African Community Protocol and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

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### LESSON ALLOCATION

	Subject	Number of Lessons Per Week (40 minutes per lesson)
1.	English	5
2.	Kiswahili/KSL	4
3.	Mathematics	5
4.	Integrated Science	4
5.	Health Education	2
6.	Pre-technical Studies	4
7.	Social Studies	3
8.	Religious Education (CRE/IRE/HRE)	3
9.	Business Studies	3
10.	Agriculture	3
11.	Life Skills Education	1
12.	Sports and Physical Education	2
13.	Optional Subject	3
14.	Optional Subject	3
	Total	45

#### NATIONAL GOALS OF EDUCATION

Education in Kenya should:

### i) Foster nationalism and patriotism and promote national unity.

Kenya's people belong to different communities, races and religions, but these differences need not divide them. They must be able to live and interact as Kenyans. Education's paramount duty is to help young people acquire this sense of nationhood by removing conflicts and promoting positive attitudes of mutual respect that enable them to live together in harmony and foster patriotism in order to make a positive contribution to the life of the nation.

#### ii) Promote the social, economic, technological, and industrial needs for national development.

Education should prepare the youth of the country to play an effective and productive role in the life of the nation.

#### a) Social Needs

Education in Kenya must prepare children for changes in attitudes and relationships necessary for the smooth progress of a rapidly developing modern economy. There is bound to be a silent social revolution following in the wake of rapid modernisation. Education should assist our youth in adapting to this change.

#### b) Economic Needs

Education in Kenya should produce citizens with the skills, knowledge, expertise, and personal qualities required to support a growing economy. Kenya is building up a modern and independent economy that needs an adequate and relevant domestic workforce.

#### c) Technological and Industrial Needs

Education in Kenya should provide learners with the necessary skills and attitudes for industrial development. Kenya recognises the rapid industrial and technological changes, especially in the developed world. We can only be part of this development if our education system focuses on the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that will prepare our young people for these changing global trends.

#### iii) Promote individual development and self-fulfillment

Education should provide opportunities for the fullest development of individual talents and personalities. It should help children to develop their potential interests and abilities. A vital aspect of individual development is the building of character.

### iv) Promote sound moral and religious values.

Education should provide for the development of knowledge, skills, and attitudes that will enhance the acquisition of sound moral values and help children grow into self-disciplined, self-reliant, and integrated citizens.

#### v) Promote social equality and responsibility.

Education should promote social equality and foster a sense of social responsibility within an education system that provides equal educational opportunities. It should give all children varied and challenging opportunities for collective activities and corporate social service irrespective of gender, ability, or geographical environment.

### vi) Promote respect for and development of Kenya's rich and varied cultures.

Education should instill in the youth of Kenya an understanding of past and present cultures and their valid place in contemporary society. Children should be able to blend the best of traditional values with the changing requirements that must follow rapid development to build a stable and modern society.

### vii) Promote international consciousness and foster positive attitudes towards other nations.

Kenya is part of the international community. It is part of the complicated and interdependent network of peoples and nations. Education should therefore lead the youth of the country to accept membership in this international community with all the obligations, responsibilities, rights and benefits that this membership entails.

### viii. Promote positive attitudes towards good health and environmental protection.

Education should inculcate in young people the value of good health for them to avoid indulging in activities that will lead to physical or mental ill health. It should foster positive attitudes towards environmental development and conservation. It should lead the youth of Kenya to appreciate the need for a healthy environment.

#### LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL

By the end of Middle School, the learner should be able to:

- 1. Apply literacy, numeracy, and logical thinking skills for appropriate self-expression.
- 2. Communicate effectively, verbally and non-verbally, in diverse contexts.
- 3. Demonstrate social skills, and spiritual and moral values for peaceful co-existence.
- 4. Explore, manipulate, manage and conserve the environment effectively for learning and sustainable development.
- 5. Practise relevant hygiene, sanitation, and nutrition skills to promote health.
- 6. Demonstrate ethical behaviour and exhibit good citizenship as a civic responsibility.
- 7. Appreciate the country's rich and diverse cultural heritage for harmonious co-existence.
- 8. Manage pertinent and contemporary issues in society effectively.
- 9. Apply digital literacy skills for communication and learning.

#### ESSENCE STATEMENT

The Constitution of Kenya 2010 accords English the status of one of the official languages. According to the Language in Education Policy of 1976, English is the language of instruction from Grade Four onwards, including in colleges and universities. In addition, English is a language of communication at both local and international levels. Mastery of English enhances access to academic, social, and professional opportunities. The English subject at the junior secondary school level will expose learners to both knowledge and use of the English language and literary appreciation. It will build on the competencies acquired at the upper primary school level in Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing, and Grammar in Use.

By the end of the Junior Secondary level, learners will be expected to be proficient in the English language for further learning and training, and their day-to-day interactions. Learners will be provided with appropriate varied experiences in listening, speaking, reading, writing, and Grammar in Use to develop linguistic and communicative competence. They will also be expected to interact with print and non-print language and literary material both in and outside the classroom.

The English subject will lay a firm foundation for the learners' efficient and effective use of the English language as a communication tool and the medium of instruction at Senior Secondary School. In addition, it will be a stepping stone for further study of English, Literature in English, and other pathways.

#### SUBJECT GENERAL LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of the Junior Secondary level, the learner should be able to:

- 1. Listen and respond appropriately to relevant information in a variety of contexts,
- 2. Read a wide variety of texts fluently, accurately, and interpretively for lifelong learning,
- 3. Develop critical thinking skills for life,
- 4. Read and analyse literary material and relate them to real-life experiences,
- 5. Develop a lifelong interest in reading a wide range of subjects,
- 6. Use grammatical forms to communicate appropriately in different settings,
- 7. Write texts legibly, creatively, and cohesively to empower them for life
- 8. Apply digital literacy skills to enhance proficiency in English,
- 9. Appreciate the role of English as a medium for creativity and talent development.

THEME 1.0: PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY						
Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	<b>Key Inquiry</b>		
		Outcomes		Question(s)		
1.1 Listening and Speaking	1.1.1 Conversational Skills: Polite Language (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify polite expressions used in the introduction of self and others, b) use polite expressions in the introduction of self and others in different speaking contexts, c) model respectful behaviour during introductions.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>make a list of necessary details about people that one needs to know for effective introduction,</li> <li>brainstorm on different types of introduction,</li> <li>list polite expressions that can be used during the introduction,</li> <li>match polite expressions to corresponding types of introduction,</li> <li>discuss reasons for using polite language in introductions,</li> <li>use games such as 'catch the ball', in small groups, for the introduction of others,</li> <li>role-play different contexts of self-introduction with peers,</li> <li>review an audio or video recording of formal and informal introductions.</li> </ul>	1. What considerations should one make when introducing other people? 2. How would you introduce your parents or guardians to your teachers? 3. Why is it important to be polite while introducing yourself or others?		

### **Core Competencies**

• Communication is developed as the learner listens critically and speaks clearly and effectively during role play.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Peace education is enhanced as the learner role-plays different contexts of self-introduction.
- Effective communication is enhanced as the learner uses polite language during introductions.

#### Values:

• Respect is developed as learners brainstorm on different types of introduction.

## Link to other subjects:

• Indigenous Languages and Kiswahili have politeness infused in their content.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies a wide	Identifies polite	Identifies some polite	Finds it difficult to
polite expressions	range of polite	expressions used in	expressions used in	identify polite
used in the	expressions used in	the introduction of	the introduction of	expressions used in
introduction of self	the introduction of	self and others	self and others	the introduction of
and others.	self and others			self and others
Ability to use polite	Uses polite	Uses polite	Uses some polite	Uses some polite
expressions in the	expressions in the	expressions in the	expressions in the	expressions in the
introduction of self	introduction of self	introduction of self	introduction of self	introduction of self
and others in different	and others in	and others in	and others in some	and others in
speaking contexts.	different speaking	different speaking	speaking contexts	different speaking
	contexts with ease	contexts		contexts with
				difficulty



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.2 Reading	1.2.1 Extensive Reading: Independent Reading (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: (a) identify a variety of texts for independent reading (b) read selected materials for information and enjoyment (c) appreciate the value of independent reading in lifelong learning.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>think-pair-share on the factors to consider when selecting reading material,</li> <li>select appropriate reading materials related to personal responsibility</li> <li>set and share reading goals for the session,</li> <li>read selected print and non-print materials independently,</li> <li>observe good reading habits,</li> <li>keep a portfolio or a journal of their experiences during the reading session,</li> <li>conduct peer review of the portfolios and journals kept.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What do you consider while selecting reading materials?</li> <li>How can you ensure that you benefit from a reading session?</li> </ol>

• Critical Thinking and Problem Solving: developed as learner searches, collects, processes, and uses information from selected texts.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Effective Communication: enhanced as learner shares his or her experiences during the think-pair-share activity.

### Values:

- Respect is enhanced as learners avoid distracting others by observing good reading habits.
- Responsibility **is** enhanced as the learner is guided in selecting material that they consider appropriate for self and as they track personal progress.

### Link to other subjects:

• Languages such as Kiswahili and Indigenous Languages, among others, have the concept of independent reading.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to select a variety of texts for	Excellently identifies a variety of texts for	Identifies a variety of texts for	Identifies some texts for independent	Attempts to identify some texts for
independent reading.	independent reading.	independent reading.	reading with assistance.	independent reading with assistance.
Ability to read selected materials for information and enjoyment	Easily reads the selected materials and records experiences from the reading sessions for	Reads the selected materials and records experiences from the reading sessions for tracking progress.	Reads some of the selected materials and partially records experiences from the reading sessions for	Reads the selected material and records experiences from the reading sessions for tracking progress
	tracking progress.		tracking progress.	with difficulty.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.3 Grammar In Use	1.3.1 Word Classes: Nouns (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the different types of nouns from a print or digital text, b) use different types of nouns in sentences, c) appreciate the role of correct grammar in written and spoken communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read a print or non-print text in pairs</li> <li>identify common, proper, concrete, and abstract nouns,</li> <li>search online for examples of the common, proper, concrete, and abstract nouns, and compile a list of the nouns in groups,</li> <li>listen to a poem or a story and categorise the nouns used,</li> <li>mention examples of common, proper, concrete and abstract nouns in the classroom and school,</li> <li>construct sentences using common, proper, concrete, and abstract nouns,</li> <li>complete substitution tables with the different types of nouns in pairs,</li> <li>engage in language games such as scrabble, puzzles, code words, and guessing games,</li> <li>write and display stories, songs, or poems featuring the different types of nouns.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to identify items by name?</li> <li>Why is knowledge of the use of capital letters useful?</li> </ol>

• Learning to Learn: enhanced as the learner is motivated to learn continuously and work collaboratively while engaging in language games such as scrabble, puzzles, code words, and guessing games on nouns.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Digital Citizenship and Cyber wellness: enhanced as the learner interacts with digital devices.

#### Values:

- Harmony: fostered as learners work in groups.
- Patriotism: is promoted as learners identify with their locality as they talk about people, places, and institutions in their community.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili and other language subjects address the correct usage of the different types of nouns.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below expectations</b>
Ability to identify nouns from a print or digital text.	Identifies all nouns from a print or digital text with varied	Identifies most nouns from a print or digital text	Identifies some nouns from a print or digital text.	Identifies some nouns from a print or digital text with assistance.
icat.	examples.	text	text.	text with assistance.
Ability to use nouns in sentences.	Uses all nouns in sentences creatively.	Uses most nouns in sentences.	Uses some nouns in some sentences.	Uses some nouns in sentences with assistance.



Strand		Specific Learning Outcomes	<b>Suggested Learning Experiences</b>	Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.4 Reading	Intensive Seading: Se	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to:  a) identify the main events in trickster narratives  b) analyse the characters in narratives  c) appreciate the importance of trickster narratives in the inculcation of values.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>engage in pre-reading activities such as previewing the title of the narrative, using the picture clues, and brainstorming</li> <li>recount the events in the <i>trickster narrative</i> and highlight the trick in the narrative</li> <li>discuss the various character traits displayed by the characters,</li> <li>brainstorm on the moral lessons of the narrative</li> <li>retell a trickster narrative in small groups</li> <li>relate characters and events in the trickster narrative to real-life situations</li> <li>explore and share with group members how personal responsibility can be derived from the narrative's moral lessons.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What is a trickster narrative?</li> <li>What can we learn from narratives?</li> <li>Which characters are common in the trickster narratives that you know?</li> </ol>

• Creativity and imagination: enhanced as the learner strives to understand tasks that allow forming mental images, for example, retelling a trickster narrative in small groups.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Creative thinking is enhanced as the learner retells trickster narratives.

#### Values:

• Integrity is enhanced as learner relates the moral in the trickster narrative to real-life situations.

### Link to other subjects:

• Social Studies focuses on moral lessons.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to identify	Identifies the main	Identifies the main	Identifies some of the	Identifies the main
the main events in	events in the story	events in the story	events in the story.	events in the story
the story.	with ease.			vaguely.
Ability to analyse	Comprehensively	Analyses various	Analyses some of the	Analyses some of the
the characters in the	analyses various	characters in the	characters in the	characters in the
narrative.	characters in the	narrative.	narrative.	narrative with
	narrative.			assistance

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.5. Writing	1.5.1 Handwriting: Legibility and Neatness (1 lesson)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) describe features of legible and neat handwriting for efficient writing b) write texts legibly and neatly c) acknowledge the importance of writing neatly and legibly.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to an audio clip on the importance of developing legible and neat handwriting</li> <li>study written samples of legible and neat handwriting featuring all letters of the alphabet and short texts</li> <li>discuss the features of legible and neat handwriting, including shaping letters, joining and spacing letters and words</li> <li>practise handwriting games such as blind writing, speed writing, and letter stations</li> <li>suggest ways of correcting bad handwriting habits such as joining letters and words inappropriately</li> <li>copy given texts on the theme of personal responsibility on charts and display for peer evaluation and correction</li> <li>write short paragraphs legibly and neatly, and share them with peers for peer review.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why should we learn to write legibly and clearly?</li> <li>What kind of misunderstanding could arise as a result of bad handwriting?</li> <li>How can you make your handwriting presentable?</li> </ol>

• Learning to Learn: developed as the learner collaborates with peers to write clearly and spell words correctly.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Effective communication developed as the learner improves the ability to pass on written messages clearly.

#### Values:

- Respect is achieved as learners provide feedback respectfully and positively.
- Social justice is enhanced as learners review each other's written work.

# Link to other subjects:

• Language subjects; legible and neat handwriting is an essential skill for these subjects

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to describe	Describes features of	Describes all the	Describes some features of	Describes some
features of legible and	legible and neat	features of legible	legible and neat	features of legible and
neat handwriting for	handwriting for	and neat handwriting	handwriting for efficient	neat handwriting for
efficient writing.	efficient writing with	for efficient writing.	writing	efficient writing with
	examples.			support
Ability to write texts	Writes texts legibly	Writes texts legibly	Attempts to write texts	Struggles to write texts
legibly and neatly.	and neatly with a lot of	and neatly.	legibly and neatly.	legibly and neatly.
	creativity.			



<b>THEME 2.0:</b>	SCIENCE AND HE	EALTH EDUCATION		
Strand	Sub strand Sp	pecific Learning	Suggested Learning	<b>Key Inquiry</b>
	O	utcomes	Experiences	Question(s)
2.1 Listening and Speaking	2.1.1 Oral By Presentations: oral By be	y the end of the sub rand, the learner should e able to: outline the oral narrative performance techniques for effective delivery, use oral narrative techniques during the performance,	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>watch live or recorded oral performances of narratives as a class,</li> <li>search online or offline for information on performance techniques, in pairs, and make presentations to peers,</li> <li>discuss the oral performance techniques in groups,</li> <li>perform oral narratives in groups while peers watch, record, and then give feedback,</li> <li>compose oral narratives in groups and suggest the most suitable ways of performing them.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What do you enjoy during a storytelling session?</li> <li>How can you become a good storyteller?</li> </ol>

• Creativity and Imagination is developed as learner undertakes tasks such as creating and retelling narratives, which require remembering scenarios

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Environmental conservation is enhanced as learner performs narratives on the need to take care of the environment.

#### Values:

• Patriotism is achieved as learners compose and perform narratives on national values.

### Link to other subjects:

Performing Arts as performance techniques are utilised in showcasing presentations.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to outline the oral narratives performance techniques for effective delivery.	Outlines all the oral narratives performance techniques for effective delivery.	Outlines most of the oral narratives performance techniques for effective delivery	Outlines some oral narratives performance techniques for effective delivery	Outlines a few oral narratives performance techniques for effective delivery with difficulty
Ability to use oral narrative techniques during their performance	Uses all oral narrative techniques during their performance with a lot of creativity	Uses most oral narrative techniques during their performance	Uses some oral narrative techniques during their performance	Uses few oral narrative techniques during their performance if assisted by others



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
2.2 Reading	2.2.1 Intensive reading: Simple poems (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) distinguish between poems and other literary genres b) recite a variety of simple poems for enjoyment c) collaborate in poetry recitation for enjoyment and learning.	The learner is guided to:  Iisten and respond to live or recorded poetry recitation  discuss, in groups, what makes reading simple poems interesting  pick out poems from a variety of texts and read them out aloud  recite poems that address science and health issues such as HIV and AIDS in groups  provide feedback to peers and seek help where necessary.	<ol> <li>How are poems different from stories?</li> <li>Why would you use a poem instead of a story to pass a message?</li> <li>What makes poems interesting?</li> </ol>

• Self-efficacy is enhanced as learners present ideas with confidence as learners recite poems.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Health education is promoted as learners recite poems that address science and health issues such as HIV and AIDS.

### Values:

- Peace is enhanced as learners work in teams during the poetry recitation.
- Social justice is developed as learners recite poems that promote fairness in society.

# Link to other subjects:

• Performing Arts as recitation skills are handled in this learning area.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to distinguish	Aptly distinguishes	Distinguishes	Partially	Struggles to
between poems and	between poems and	between poems and	distinguishes	distinguish between
other literary genres.	other literary genres.	other literary genres.	between poems and	poems and other
			other literary genres.	literary genres.
Ability to recite a	Recites a variety of	Recites a variety of	Recites some simple	Recites simple poems
variety of simple	simple poems for	simple poems for	poems for enjoyment	for enjoyment with
poems for enjoyment.	enjoyment with a lot	enjoyment.	with a few slips.	prompts with a lot of
	of creativity.			difficulty.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
2.1 Grammar in Use	2.3.1 Word Classes: Nouns	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify count, non-count, singular, and plural nouns from a variety of texts, b) use count, non-count, singular, and plural nouns in sentences, c) Appreciate the importance of the correct use of nouns in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search for examples of the count, non-count, singular, and plural nouns from the internet and post them on the classroom wall,</li> <li>listen to an audio text on the theme of science and health education, and pick out the target nouns,</li> <li>pick out count, non-count, singular, and plural nouns from newspapers and magazine articles,</li> <li>identify objects in the classroom and categorise them as count or non-count nouns, in pairs,</li> <li>change singular nouns to plural and vice versa,</li> <li>construct sentences using the specified types of nouns orally and in writing,</li> <li>complete crossword puzzles with the target nouns in small groups,</li> <li>create posters and poems using the learnt nouns, and post them on the classroom wall or share them using digital learning platforms.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why are some things impossible to count?</li> <li>How can you group things that cannot be counted?</li> <li>Why should you specify the number of things you require to accomplish a task?</li> </ol>

• Collaboration **is achieved as learners** create posters and poems, and share them on the classroom wall or through digital learning platforms. This enhances teamwork among the learners.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Effective communication is achieved as the learner uses nouns in varied texts correctly.
- Health Education is promoted as the learner listens to an audio text on health issues.

#### Values:

- Unity is enhanced as learners work together to identify the different types of nouns in the classroom.
- Respect is achieved as learners take turns to work in groups to create poems and posters.

### Link to other subjects:

- Kiswahili, German, and Arabic focus on count and non-count nouns, as well as singular and plural nouns.
- Health Education addresses health issues such as HIV and AIDS.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below expectations</b>	
Ability to identify	Identifies count, non-	Identifies count, non-	Identifies count, non-	Identifies count, non-	
count, non-count,	count, singular, and	count, singular, and	count, singular, and	count, singular, and	
singular, and plural	plural nouns from a	plural nouns from a	plural nouns from a	plural nouns from	
nouns from a variety	variety of texts	variety of texts.	variety of texts	texts with difficulty.	
of texts.	extensively.		sometimes.		
Ability to use count,	Uses count, non-	Uses most count,	Uses some count,	Finds it difficult to	
non-count nouns,	count, singular, and	non-count nouns,	non-count nouns,	use count, non-count,	
singular and plural	plural nouns in	singular and plural	singular and plural	singular, and plural	
nouns in sentences.	sentences all the time.	nouns in sentences.	nouns in sentences.	nouns in sentences.	
Ability to create	Creatively makes	Makes posters and	Attempts to make	Needs support to	
posters and poems,	posters and poems	poems and shares	posters and poems	make posters and	
and then share them	and shares them with	them with	and share them with	poems and share-	
in the class.	classmates.	classmates.	classmates.	them with	
				classmates.	

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
2.4 Reading	2.4.1 Intensive Reading: Class Reader  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) explain the different parts that aid in previewing a book b) describe the author and the setting of the text in terms of time and place c) underscore the value of reading for lifelong learning.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>study the cover page, read the blurb and highlight the outstanding features, in groups,</li> <li>discuss the title of the class reader</li> <li>research online for more information about the author and the location where the story is taking place</li> <li>make oral presentations to the class on their findings from the research</li> <li>identify words, images, and details that describe the setting in terms of place and time</li> <li>design a graphic organiser such as a mind map and tree map to identify the setting</li> <li>create, share and give feedback using summary charts such as what I know where I learned it - what I want to know what I learned (K-W-W-L) chart to visualise what has been learned,</li> <li>make short notes on the setting and the author.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What would you consider when designing the cover of a book?</li> <li>Why should we not judge a book by its cover?</li> <li>Why do we read storybooks?</li> </ol>

- Learning to Learn is enhanced as learners build on their learning experiences through analysis of the setting and research on the author.
- Critical thinking is developed as learners explore the links between different events through tasks like creating graphic organisers that cultivate high-order thinking skills.
- Problem-solving is archived as learner conducts research online to obtain more information about the author and the setting of the story.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Creative thinking is developed as learner creates charts to summarise what they have learned.

#### Values:

• Unity is enhanced as the learner develops skills for working in harmony with others while participating in group and pair work.

## Link to other subjects:

• All languages encourage reading of class readers.



Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below expectations</b>	
Ability to explain the different parts that aid in previewing a book.	Explains the different parts that aid in previewing a book, clearly and with examples.	Explains all the different parts that aid in previewing a book.	Explains some of the parts that aid in previewing a book	Barely attempts to explain the parts that aid in previewing a book.	
Ability to describe the author and the setting of the text in terms of time and place based on personal research.	Describes the author and setting of the text in terms of time and place extensively based on personal research and in detail.	Describes the author and setting of the text in terms of time and place based on personal research.	Partially describes the author and setting of the text in terms of time and place based on personal research.	Describes the author and setting of the text in terms of time and place with the assistance of peers.	

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
2.5 Writing	2.5.1 Mechanics of Writing: Punctuation Marks  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) recognise the full stop, exclamation mark, and question mark in texts b) use the full stop, exclamation mark, and question mark in sentences c) acknowledge the importance of punctuating sentences accurately.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read print or non-print text and identify the <i>full stop</i>, <i>exclamation mark</i>, and question mark in groups</li> <li>punctuate a text using the target punctuation marks, in pairs</li> <li>write a short story or dialogue on the theme of science and health education using the full stop, exclamation mark, and question mark, where necessary</li> <li>engage in online or offline punctuation games in groups</li> <li>draw and display posters or charts with punctuated sentences for peer review and revision</li> <li>role-play well-punctuated dialogues and record themselves</li> <li>discuss, in groups, the effectiveness of punctuation marks in expressing meaning.</li> </ul>	1. Which punctuation marks do you use in writing?  2. Why is it important to punctuate a text?

- Digital literacy is developed as learners use digital devices as they play online games and record dialogues.
- Self-efficacy is achieved as learners pay attention to detail while role-playing and recording dialogues.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

- Effective communication is exhibited through well-punctuated texts.
- Social skills are enhanced as learners discuss the effectiveness of punctuation marks in expressing meaning.

#### Values:

• Unity **is** achieved as learners give each other feedback on charts and posters featuring the use of punctuation marks.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili emphasises the acquisition of proper punctuation skills.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below expectations</b>
Ability to recognise	Recognises the full	Recognises the full	Sometimes	Has difficulty
the full stop,	stop, exclamation	stop, exclamation	recognises the full	recognising the full
exclamation mark, and	mark, and a question	mark, and question	stop, exclamation	stop, exclamation
question mark in texts.	mark in varied texts.	mark in texts.	mark, and question	mark, and question
			mark in texts.	mark in texts.
Ability to use the full	Uses the full stop,	Uses the full stop,	Uses the full stop,	Uses the full stop,
stop, exclamation	exclamation mark,	exclamation mark,	exclamation mark,	exclamation mark,
mark, and question	and question mark in	and question mark in	and question mark in	and question mark in
mark in sentences.	a wide range of	sentences.	sentences with some	sentences but makes
	sentences.		errors.	many errors



THEME 3.0: HYGIENE							
Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry			
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)			
3.1 Listening and Speaking	3.1.1 Listening for information and the main idea (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the main idea from varied descriptive texts b) pick out specific information from varied descriptive texts c) acknowledge the importance of listening skills in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to audio recordings on hygiene and identify the main idea</li> <li>listen for specific information from the audio recording and take notes</li> <li>search online and offline for expressions that signal the main ideas, such as; <ul> <li>this talk is about</li> <li>I will talk about,</li> </ul> </li> <li>watch a video describing a process, a person, or an object and pick out specific information</li> <li>listen to peers read descriptive texts, and note the main ideas in turns.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to get the main points from an oral text?</li> <li>What can you do to ensure you capture the main ideas from a speaker?</li> </ol>			

- Communication is enhanced as learners listen keenly and respond to oral texts.
- Digital literacy is achieved as learners use digital devices to search online for expressions that signal the main idea and specific information.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Health education - personal hygiene as learners listen and respond to oral texts on hygiene.

#### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners listen to peers read descriptive texts and note the main ideas, in turns.

# Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili and other language subjects address listening for the main idea and specific information.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to identify the	Identifies the main	Identifies all the main	Identifies some main	Barely attempts to
main idea from	ideas from a range of	ideas from varied	ideas from varied	identify main ideas
varied descriptive	varied descriptive	descriptive texts	descriptive texts	from varied
texts	texts			descriptive texts
Ability to pick out	Picks out specific	Picks out specific	Picks out specific	Picks out specific
specific information	information from	information from	information from	information from
from varied	varied descriptive	varied descriptive	varied descriptive	varied descriptive
descriptive texts	texts meticulously	texts	texts with some	texts with difficulty
	-		inaccuracy	



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.2 Reading	3.2.1. Reading for information and meaning (1 lesson)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to:  a) distinguish between reading for information and reading for meaning,  b) pick out information from varied texts,  c) c)infer the meaning of words and phrases from context,  d) use new words and phrases in sentences,  e) appreciate the importance of reading for information and meaning.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>distinguish between reading for information and reading for meaning,</li> <li>scan through a text in pairs and identify text features (such as title, subtitles),</li> <li>read texts on issues such as hygiene, safety, and security and organise the information by making notes,</li> <li>Infer and share, in groups, the meaning of words from context,</li> <li>construct sentences using new words and phases, in groups,</li> <li>fill in crossword puzzles using new words learned.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why do we read texts?</li> <li>How would you tell the meaning of a word in a passage?</li> </ol>

Core Competencies to be developed:

• Collaboration is promoted as learners infer and share the meaning of new words in groups.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):**

Health and Safety: As learners read texts on issues such as hygiene, safety, and security and organise the information by making notes.

#### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners respect each other's ideas as they work in groups.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili, German, French, Arabic, Chinese and Indigenous Languages all emphasise reading for information and reading for meaning as skills to be acquired.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	<b>Approaches Expectations</b>	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to pick out information from varied texts.	Picks out all information from varied texts.	Picks out most information from varied texts.	Picks out information from some texts.	Rarely picks out information from texts.
Ability to infer the meaning of words and phrases from context.	Infers meaning of words and phrases from context with consistent precision.	Infers meaning of words and phrases from context.	Infers meaning of words and phrases from context with some errors.	Infers meaning of words and phrases from context with difficulty.
Ability to use new words and phrases in sentences.	Uses new words and phrases in sentences correctly and brilliantly	Uses new words and phrases in sentences correctly.	Uses some new words and phrases in sentences correctly.	Uses new words and phrases in sentences with difficulty.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes		Question(s)
3.3	3.3.1 Word	By the end of the	The learner is guided to:	1. How did you
Grammar	classes:	sub strand, the	<ul> <li>search online and offline for</li> </ul>	spend your last
In Use	Verbs and	learner should be	information on verbs and their tenses	holiday?
	tense (2 lessons)	able to: a) identify regular and irregular verbs in sentences b) use regular and irregular verbs in constructing sentences using the past, present, and future tenses c) appreciate the	<ul> <li>listen to texts read by the teacher on verbs and their tenses</li> <li>identify and group verbs with similar endings from passages on the theme of hygiene</li> <li>identify the tenses of the verbs in sentences</li> <li>construct sentences using verbs in the correct tenses</li> <li>participate in a language game on tenses</li> <li>engage in conversations in pairs using</li> </ul>	2. Which misundertanding can arise when people use wrong tenses?
		correct use of verbs and tenses for effective communication.	verbs in various tenses, • review their peers' use of tense in spoken sentences.	

• Communication and collaboration are developed as learners engage in conversations in pairs using verbs in various tenses.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Effective communication is enhanced as learners construct sentences in correct verbs and tenses.

#### Values:

• Respect is inculcated as learners review peers' use of tenses.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili and Indigenous Languages also address correct usage of verbs and tense.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to identify regular and irregular verbs in sentences	Identifies all regular and irregular verbs in sentences explicitly	Identifies all regular and irregular verbs in sentences	Identifies some	Occasionally identifies regular and irregular verbs in sentences with assistance
Ability to use regular and irregular verbs in sentences	Uses regular and irregular verbs in varied sentences	Uses regular and irregular verbs in sentences	Uses regular and irregular verbs in some sentences	Seldom uses regular and irregular verbs in sentences



Strand	Sub	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
	strand	Outcomes		Question(s)
3.4. Reading	3.4.1	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. Why do
	Intensive	strand, the learner	• source online or offline for different	people write
	Reading:	should be able to:	poems and note the titles and the	poems?
	Poetry	a) explain the	poets while observing integrity and	2. What makes a
		structure of poems	cyber safety,	poem
	(2 lessons)	b) analyse the	• brainstorm on the parts of a poem, in	interesting?
		structure of varied	pairs,	3. How can one
		simple poems	<ul> <li>read short poems addressing issues</li> </ul>	tell a text is a
		c) read short poems	such as personal hygiene, HIV and	poem?
		addressing varied	AIDS, and COVID-19,	
		societal issues	<ul> <li>analyse how poems are broken into</li> </ul>	
		d) appreciate the	stanzas and stanzas into lines,	
		poem's structure in	• study varied poems and present their	
		communicating a	different structures in graphic	
		message.	organisers in groups	
			• compare the structures of different	
			poems,	
			• relate the poem's structure to the	
			poem's message.	

• Digital literacy is achieved as learners use digital devices to search sources online for different poems and note the titles and the poets, while observing integrity and cyber safety.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Health Education is promoted as learners tackle poems addressing issues such as personal hygiene, HIV and AIDS, and COVID-19
- Cyber Safety as learners source online or offline for poems while observing cyber safety

#### Values:

• Integrity is achieved as learners' source online or offline for poems while observing integrity

### Link to other subjects

Kiswahili and Performing Arts tackle the structure of varied poems.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below expectations
Ability to explain the	Explains in detail the	Explain the structure	Explains the structure	Barely attempts to
structure of poems.	structure of poems.	of poems.	of poems sketchily.	explain the structure
				of poems.
Ability to analyse the	Analyses the	Analyses the	Roughly analyses the	Analyses the
structure of varied	structure of varied	structure of varied	structure of simple	structure of simple
simple poems.	simple poems with	simple poems.	poems.	poems with
	illustrations.			assistance.
Ability to read short	Read short poems	Reads short poems	Reads some short	Reads short poems
poems addressing	addressing varied	addressing varied	poems addressing	addressing varied
varied societal issues.	societal issues	societal issues.	varied societal issues.	societal issues with
	enthusiastically.			difficulty.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.5 Writing	3.5.1 Writing Narrative Paragraphs (1 lesson)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the parts of a narrative paragraph b) compose a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structure c) acknowledge the significance of paragraphing in written communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>identify parts of a well-written paragraph specifically, an introduction, necessary details, and a conclusion,</li> <li>read samples of narrative paragraphs provided by the teacher and discuss the flow of ideas,</li> <li>write a paragraph using a digital device about issues such as hygiene, safety, and security,</li> <li>present the paragraphs in class for peer review.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What are the parts of a paragraph?</li> <li>Why do we write paragraphs?</li> </ol>

- Communication is enhanced as learners compose a narrative paragraph and review each other's work.
- Creativity and imagination are developed as learners create narrative paragraphs.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Social cohesion is enhanced as learners present the paragraphs in class for peer review.

#### Values:

• Respect is promoted as learners give feedback on the narrative paragraphs they have reviewed.

# Link to other subjects:

• Computer Science covers interacting with technology through the use of digital devices.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify parts of a narrative paragraph.	Promptly identifies parts of a narrative paragraph.	Identifies parts of a narrative paragraph.	Sometimes identifies parts of a narrative paragraph.	Identifies parts of a narrative paragraph with help from others.
Ability to compose a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structure.	Composes a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structure artistically.	Composes a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structure.	Composes a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structures sometimes.	Composes a narrative paragraph with the appropriate structure with assistance from the teacher.

<b>THEME 4.0:</b>	THEME 4.0: LEADERSHIP						
Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Questions			
4.1 Listening and Speaking	4.1.1 Listening Comprehension: Selective Listening (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) distinguish between specific and general information from a listening text b) select specific information from a listening text c) listen and respond to texts on leadership d) emphasise the value of listening skills in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to an audio text and decide whether the information presented is specific or general</li> <li>search online for audio recordings on leadership and attentively listen to text for specific information</li> <li>Listen to a role play and respond to questions</li> <li>listen to a passage on leadership (good governance) and answer questions posed by the speaker.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to get the main points from an oral text?</li> <li>What can you do to ensure you capture the relevant information from a speaker?</li> </ol>			

• Communication is developed as learners critically listen to oral texts and select information.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

- Good governance is enhanced as learners listen to texts on leadership.
- Effective communication is achieved as learners listen and respond to audio texts.

### Values:

- Integrity is promoted as learners listen to texts on good governance.
- Social justice is enhanced as they listen to oral texts on good leadership qualities.

# Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili and other Language subjects - focus on selective listening as a skill.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to distinguish-	Distinguishes between	Distinguishes	Sometimes	Distinguishes between
between specific and	specific and general	between specific	distinguishes	specific and general
general information	information from a	and general	between specific and	information from a
from a listening text.	listening text	information from a	general information	listening text with
	remarkably.	listening text.	from a listening text.	prompts.
Ability to select specific information from a listening text.	Selects specific information from a listening text distinctly.	Selects specific information from a listening text.	Selects some specific information from a listening text.	Finds it difficult to select specific information from a listening text with difficulty.
Ability to listen and respond to texts on leadership.	Timely listens and responds to texts on leadership accurately.	Listens and responds to most texts on leadership	Listens and responds to some texts on leadership accurately	Listens and responds to texts on leadership accurately with assistance



Strand	Sub strand	1 0	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Questions	
4.2 Deading	421	Outcomes  Develop and of the sub-	The learner is exided to		
4.2. Reading	4.2.1	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. What can one	
	Intensive	strand, the learner	<ul> <li>search online and watch</li> </ul>	do to understand	
	Reading	should be able to:	appropriate video clips on the	a text better?	
		a) discuss the identified	selected reading strategies: reading	2. Why should one	
	(2 lessons)	reading strategies	for main ideas and reading for	read for main	
		b) select main ideas	details,	ideas?	
		and details from a	• read and underline the main ideas	3. How can you	
		variety of written	and details in texts on issues such as	improve your	
		texts	gender roles in leadership, and	reading?	
		c) acknowledge the	review each other's work,		
		importance of	• share ideas on how they can use the		
		reading for main	selected reading strategies in		
		ideas and details as a	groups,		
		comprehension skill.	• fill in substitution tables with		
		1	specific details from texts, in pairs,		
			• complete a mind map with a focus		
			on the main idea and details.		

- Learning to learn is developed as learners share what they have learnt while completing a mind map focusing on the main idea and details.
- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners manipulate digital devices while searching online and watching appropriate video clips on the selected reading strategies.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Gender roles in leadership are enhanced as learners read and underline the main ideas and details in texts on issues such as gender roles in leadership.

#### Values:

• Unity is achieved as learners work together to complete the mind map.

### Link to other subjects:

• All subjects emphasise reading for the main idea and specific details.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
Ability to discuss the	Confidently	Discusses the	Discusses the	Discusses the
identified reading	discusses the	identified reading	identified reading	identified reading
strategies.	identified reading	strategies.	strategies hesitantly.	strategies with some
	strategies with ease.	_		difficulty.
Ability to select main	Selects the main ideas	Selects the main	Selects a few of the	Attempts to select
ideas and details from	and details from a	ideas and details	main ideas and details	the main ideas and
a variety of written	variety of written	from a variety of	from a variety of	details from a
texts.	texts promptly.	written texts.	written texts	variety of written
				texts.



Strand Sub	strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry	
		Outcomes	Experiences	Questions	
Class and	ses: Verbs Tense ssons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in a text b) write sentences using the simple present tense, c) write sentences using the simple past tense d) advocate appropriate use of tense in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>underline verbs in simple present and simple past tense in a text</li> <li>reflect on the formation of simple present and simple past tense forms of verbs</li> <li>construct and share sentences on a variety of issues, including leadership, using verbs in the appropriate tense</li> <li>type the constructed sentences using a digital device</li> <li>search online or offline for verbs used in simple present and simple past tense from a variety of texts</li> <li>complete sentences using the correct tense of the given verbs</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it         necessary to         indicate when         an activity         takes place?</li> <li>What makes         correct use of         tense difficult         for some         people?</li> </ol>	

create and display charts     showing words in their     simple present and past     tense
play language games using verbs in the present and past tense.

• Self-efficacy is developed as learners build on their learning experiences while constructing grammatically correct sentences and using them in oral communication.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

- Effective communication is enhanced as learners use the appropriate tense to discuss leadership.
- Good governance is enhanced as learners construct sentences on leadership.

#### Values:

• Integrity is enhanced as learners construct sentences on leadership practices.

### Link to other subjects:

• All languages as they use the knowledge of tenses.

Assessment Rubric	Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations		
Ability to identify verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in a text.	Identifies all the verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in a range of texts.	Identifies all the verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in texts.	Identifies some of the verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in a text.	Rarely identifies verbs in the simple present and simple past tense in a text.		
Ability to write sentences using simple present tense.	Writes sentences using the simple present tense correctly and imaginatively.	Writes sentences using the simple present tense correctly	Writes sentences using the simple present tense with minimal errors	Writes sentences using the simple present tense with assistance		
Ability to write sentences using the simple past.	Writes sentences using the simple past correctly and enthusiastically.	Writes sentences using the simple past correctly.	Writes sentences using the simple past with some errors.	Rarely writes sentences using the simple past correctly.		

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)
4.4 Reading	4.4.1 Intensive Reading: Class Readers  (2 lessons)	Outcomes  By the end of the sub strand the learner should be able to:  a) identify the main characters in a class reader,  b) explain how the characters make the story flow,  c) make predictions based on the title and the sections read,  d) appreciate the role of characters in the class		
		reader.	characters make the story flow, write a summary about how the main characters make	

- Learning to learn is developed as learners share ideas on how the characters make the story flow.
- Critical thinking as learners examines links while discussing predictions made from the title and the section read.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Critical thinking is enhanced through discussions about how characters contribute to the flow of the story.

### Values:

• Responsibility is enhanced as learners write a summary based on the main character.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili deals with the skills of prediction and discussion of characters in texts.

Indicator	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies the main	Identifies the main	Identifies some of	Identifies some of the
the main characters	characters in the class	characters in the	the main	main characters in the
in the class reader.	reader with precision.	class reader.	characters in the	class reader with
			class reader.	assistance.
Ability to explain	Exceptionally explains	Explains how the	Explains how the	Has difficulty explaining
how the characters	how the characters	characters make the	characters make	how the characters make
make the story flow.	make the story flow	story flow.	the story flow,	the story flow even with
	with clear illustrations.		with prompting.	the assistance of peers.
Ability to make	Makes accurate	Makes accurate	Partially makes	Struggles to make
predictions based on	predictions based on	predictions based	accurate	accurate predictions
the title and the	the title and the	on the title and the	predictions based	based on the title and the
portion the sections	sections read	sections read.	on the title and the	section read.
read.	innovatively.		sections they have	
			read.	

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.5 Writing	4.5.1 Paragraphing: Using examples and incidents  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) outline examples and incidents to include in a paragraph, b) create a well-developed paragraph using examples and incidents, c) appreciate the importance of well-written paragraphs in writing.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>share ideas on examples and incidents that can be included in a paragraph,</li> <li>develop a paragraph on leadership, in groups, using the ideas generated in their earlier discussion,</li> <li>present their paragraphs in class for peer review,</li> <li>use mind maps to generate examples and incidents for sample paragraphs,</li> <li>compose a paragraph based on suggested examples and incidents.</li> </ul>	1. How can you organise your ideas logically? 2. Why should we write coherently?

• Creativity and imagination are enhanced as the learner creates a paragraph. This will help them to make connections between similar and related phenomena.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Diversity is developed as the learner collaborates with others to create a paragraph on leadership.

### Values:

• Love, care, and compassion for others are enhanced as learners present their paragraphs in class for peer review.



# Link to other subjects:

• All language subjects as the learner organises ideas in writing paragraphs.

Indicators	Exceeds expectations	Meets expectations	Approaches expectations	Below expectations
Ability to outline	Confidently outlines	Outlines examples and	Outlines some	Attempts to outline
examples and	examples and	incidents to include in	examples and	examples and
incidents to include	incidents to include	a paragraph.	incidents to include	incidents to include in
in a paragraph.	in a paragraph.		in a paragraph.	a paragraph.
Ability to create a	Creates a well-	Creates a well-	Creates a well-	Creates a well-
well-developed	developed	developed paragraph	developed paragraph	developed paragraph
paragraph using	paragraph using all	using most of the	using some of the	using some of the
examples and	the examples and	examples and incidents	examples and	examples and
incidents.	incidents	appropriately.	incidents.	incidents with
	appropriately.	_		assistance from peers.

Strand S	_	ecific Learning tcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
Listening and Speaking V	Fronunciation: Sounds and Word Stress  (2 lessons)  by 1 straight be a a) c) d)	the end of the sub and the learner should able to: identify the consonant and vowel sounds in words articulate consonants and vowel sounds for oral fluency distinguish the meaning of, words on the basis of stress advocate the role of correct pronunciation in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>pronounce the consonant sounds /p/, /b/, /k/ and /g/ from a text,</li> <li>practise saying the short /i/ and the long /i:/ sounds in pairs,</li> <li>watch and listen to an audio-visual recording featuring selected consonants and vowel sounds,</li> <li>make a recording featuring learned sounds,</li> <li>practise saying words with the sounds/p/ as in pin; /b/ as in bean, /k/ as in kin; /g/ as in goat, /i/ as in bin; and /i:/ as in seen correctly,</li> <li>distinguish the meaning of words based on stress, for example, project (verb) project (noun),</li> <li>play language games to distinguish word meaning on basis of stress,</li> <li>practise pronouncing minimal pairs containing the target sounds.</li> </ul>	1. Why it is important to articulate sounds correctly?  2. How can we improve our pronunciation.

- Digital Literacy as learners select digital technology relevant to the tasks while watching and listening to audio visual recordings.
- Communication as learners speak clearly and effectively while articulating the sounds correctly.
- Collaboration is developed as the learner actively participates when making recording the target sounds in groups.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

- Self-esteem is developed as the learner practises pronunciation of sounds in groups.
- Social cohesion is enhanced as the learner makes sentences on family relationships.

#### Values:

• Unity: learners work together to record sounds and words

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili and other languages require correct articulation of sounds.

Assessment Rubric				
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Always identifies the	Identifies the	Sometimes identifies	Struggles to identify
consonant and vowel	consonant and vowel	consonant and vowel	the consonant and	consonant and vowel
sounds in words.	sounds in words	sounds in words	vowel sounds in	sounds in words.
	correctly.	correctly.	words correctly.	
Ability to articulate	Articulates all the	Articulates most of	Articulates some of	Articulates some of
consonants and vowel	target consonant and	the target consonant	the target consonant	the target consonant
sounds for oral	vowel sounds	and vowel sounds	and vowel sounds	and vowel sounds
fluency.	correctly.	correctly.	correctly.	with some difficulty.
Ability to distinguish	Distinguishes the	Distinguishes the	Distinguishes the	Distinguishes the
the meaning and the	meaning and word	meaning and word	meaning and word	meaning and word
word classes of words	class of all the words	class of most of the	class of some of the	class of some the
with varying stress.	by varying stress	words by varying	words by varying	words by varying
	accurately.	stress accurately.	stress.	stress with assistance
				from peers.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.2 Reading	5.2.1 Study Skills: Synonyms and Antonyms (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify synonyms and antonyms of words from written texts b) spell synonyms and antonyms correctly for written fluency. c) use synonyms and antonyms in sentences d) appreciate the importance of correct use of words in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>use reference materials such as the encyclopaedia and the dictionary to locate synonyms and antonyms,</li> <li>check the meaning and pronunciation of synonyms and antonyms from the dictionary</li> <li>search for synonyms and antonyms from print and digital texts</li> <li>create a crossword puzzle using synonyms and antonyms and share it online</li> <li>use synonyms and antonyms in sentences</li> <li>match words with their antonyms from a list of words,</li> <li>practise pronouncing synonyms and antonyms in pairs</li> <li>design and display a chart with antonyms and synonyms of words correctly spelled.</li> </ul>	1. Why do we use antonyms and synonyms? 2. Why is it important to spell words correctly?

- Digital Literacy: learner interacts with digital devices and uses them to access the online encyclopedia and dictionary
- Learning to learn: enhanced as learners work independently when looking up the words in the dictionary and encyclopedia.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Social cohesion is enhanced as learners construct sentences on varied issues such as family set- up using synonyms and antonyms of words.

#### Values:

• Patriotism is enhanced as learners gain a sense of belonging to the family.

### Link to other subjects:

• Links to Kiswahili and other languages also have antonyms and synonyms.

<b>Assessment Rubric</b>				
Indicators	Exceeds	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>
	Expectations		Expectations	
Ability to identify	Identifies synonyms	Identifies synonyms	Identifies some	Struggles to identify
synonyms and	and antonyms from	and antonyms from	synonyms and	synonyms and
antonyms of words	written texts	written texts.	antonyms from	antonyms of words
from written texts.	meticulously.		written texts with	from written texts.
			assistance.	
Ability to spell	Promptly spells all	Spells of the	Spells some of the	Spells some of the
synonyms and	synonyms and	synonyms and	synonyms and	synonyms and
antonyms correctly.	antonyms correctly.	antonyms correctly.	antonyms correctly.	antonyms correctly with
				the assistance of peers.
Ability to use	Creatively uses	Uses synonyms and	Uses some	Needs assistance in
synonyms and	synonyms and	antonyms correctly	synonyms and	using synonyms and
antonyms in	antonyms correctly	in sentences.	antonyms correctly	antonyms in sentences.
sentences.	in sentences.		in sentences.	

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.3. Grammar in Use	5.3.1. Word Classes: Comparative and Superlative Adjectives (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand the learner should be able to: a) identify comparative and superlative adjectives in texts, b) use comparative and superlative adjectives in communication, c) acknowledge the value of comparative and superlative forms of adjectives in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>identify comparative and superlative adjectives from texts, in pairs</li> <li>search online or offline for examples of comparative and superlative adjectives</li> <li>construct sentences using comparative and superlative adjectives</li> <li>play language games featuring adjectives</li> <li>use a substitution table to complete sentences featuring comparative and superlative adjectives</li> <li>use flashcards to categorise comparative and superlative adjectives</li> <li>compare various items within the environment using comparative and superlative adjectives, in groups.</li> </ul>	1. How do we compare different people, places, and things? 2. Why are comparisons important in life?

- Learning to learn is developed as the learner organises their learning and searches online or offline for examples of comparative and superlative adjectives.
- Self-efficacy is enhanced as the learner uses flashcards to categorise adjectives into comparatives and superlatives successfully.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Self-awareness is enhanced as the learner identifies comparative and superlative adjectives from texts on family relationships.

#### Values:

• Love is nurtured as the learner uses adjectives in the comparative and superlative forms to express family relations.

### Link to other subjects:

• Language subjects also focus on comparative and superlative adjectives

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies and	Identifies all	Identifies some	Identifies
and categorise	categorises all	comparative and	comparative and	comparative and
comparative and	comparative and	superlative adjectives	superlative adjectives	superlative adjectives
superlative forms of	superlative adjectives	in a text.	in a text.	in a text with
adjectives.	in a text.			assistance
Ability to use	Uses comparative	Uses comparative	Uses some	Uses comparative and
comparative and	and superlative	and superlative	comparative and	superlative adjectives
superlative forms of	adjectives with great	adjectives.	superlative	with some difficulty.
adjectives.	clarity.		adjectives.	



Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question (s)
5.4. Reading	5.4.1 Intensive Reading: Oral Narratives (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify heroic characters in legends b) explain the moral lessons in legends c) discuss why legends are important in various communities d) relate the characters in the legends to real life.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>predict the actions of characters in <i>legends</i></li> <li>read a heroic narrative- (legends) aloud in turns</li> <li>identify the characters in legends,</li> <li>discuss heroic acts in the legend, in groups</li> <li>relate legends to their actions,</li> <li>identify and discuss the moral lessons learned from legends</li> <li>reflect on the impact of their actions on the society</li> <li>discuss in groups, how he or she can collect narratives from the community</li> <li>use a mind map to show how the moral lessons in the narrative can be of benefit to the community</li> <li>research and identify the community needs to be addressed through the functional reading of legend narratives</li> <li>develop, in groups, legend narratives.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why are heroes celebrated?</li> <li>Why some people are considered heroic?</li> <li>What heroic acts have been done in your school or community?</li> <li>What challenges might one face when collecting narratives from the community?</li> </ol>

- Citizenship is enhanced as learners use communication and interpersonal skills to build strong and supportive ties and cultural identity and developing a sense of belonging through reading and reflecting on the oral narratives.
- Critical thinking and problem-solving are developed as learners prepare and study instructions on how collecting narratives can be conducted in the community before the project begins.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Creative thinking is inculcated as the learners analyse the heroic actions of the characters in the oral narratives.

#### **Values**

• Patriotism is enhanced as learners reflect on the impact of their actions on society.

### Link to other subjects:

• Indigenous languages also have oral narratives, and thus, learning experiences can be shared.

Assessment Rubric				
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies heroic	Identifies heroic	Identifies some	Identifies heroic characters
heroic characters in	characters in the oral	characters in the	heroic characters in	in the oral narratives with
legends.	narratives with descriptions.	oral narratives.	the oral narratives.	assistance.
Ability to relate the characters in the legends to real life.	Relates all the characters in the legends to real life precisely.	Relates most of the characters in the legends to real life.	Relates some of the characters in the legends to real life.	Vaguely relates some of the characters in the legends to real life.
Ability to explain the moral lessons in legends.	Explains the moral lessons in legends with examples.	Explains the moral lessons in legends.	Explains some of the moral lessons in legends.	Explains some of the moral lessons in legends with assistance from peers.
Ability to discuss why legends are important in various communities.	Discusses why legends are important in various communities with confidence.	Discusses why legends are important in various communities.	Discusses why legends are important in various communities with some difficulty.	Discusses why legends are important in various communities with a lot of difficulty.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.5 Writing	5.5.1 Functional Writing: Friendly Letters	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the parts of a friendly letter b) compose a friendly letter using the correct format c) Appreciate the role of friendly letters in communication.	<ul> <li>The learners are guided to:</li> <li>read sample friendly letters</li> <li>identify and underline parts of a friendly letter in pairs</li> <li>create a friendly letter individually</li> <li>exchange the friendly letter with a peer for feedback</li> <li>incorporate the feedback obtained from a peer</li> <li>type the friendly letter on a digital device or display the letter on a chart</li> <li>display friendly letters for other learners to give feedback.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why do we write friendly letters?</li> <li>When do we write friendly letters?</li> </ol>

- Digital literacy is enhanced as the learner interacts with a digital device and uses it to type a friendly letter.
- Learning to learn is developed as the learner practises communicating constructively through friendly letters.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Creativity and imagination is enhanced as learners write friendly letters.

### Values

• Respect is developed as learners respectfully address their friends and family members in the letters.

### Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili emphasises writing friendly letters as one of the skills to be acquired.

Indicators	Exceeds	Meets	Approaches	Below
indicators	Expectations	Expectations	Expectations	Expectations
Ability to identify the	Accurately identifies	Identifies all the	Identifies some parts	Struggles to identify
parts of a friendly	all the parts of a	parts of a friendly	of a friendly letter.	the parts of a
letter.	friendly letter.	letter.		friendly letter.
Ability to compose a	Composes a clear and	Composes a friendly	Composes a friendly	Composes a
friendly letter using	precise friendly letter	letter using the	letter using the correct	friendly letter but
the correct format on	using the correct	correct format.	format with assistance	fails to use the
a digital device.	format artistically.			correct format.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
6.1 Listening and Speaking	6.1.1 Conversation Skills: (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify verbal and non-verbal forms of polite interruptions, b) apply turn-taking skills in different speaking contexts, c) use verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely, d) acknowledge the importance of politeness in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>watch a live or recorded dialogue depicting turn-taking skills and interrupting politely,</li> <li>practise in pairs interrupting someone politely,</li> <li>practise turn taking in a conversation with peers,</li> <li>watch short videos of conversations or television programmes and identify instances of turn taking and polite interruptions,</li> <li>listen to a radio talk show and pick out polite words and expressions,</li> <li>write examples of polite words and expressions on sticky notes or flash cards and paste them on the wall or class noticeboard,</li> <li>make posters showing polite expressions as well as ways of interrupting someone politely,</li> </ul>	1 How can you interrupt a conversation politely? 2 Why should people speak one at a time in a conversation 3 How can you ensure that you do not dominate a conversation

	<ul> <li>and polite interruptions and display them,</li> <li>role-play a dialogue on the effects of drug and substance abuse in pairs,</li> <li>recite a conversational verse (choral), make an audio or video recording and share it on WhatsApp, email, or social media.</li> </ul>
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- Communication is enhanced as learners take turns in real life conversations and role-play. This enhances effective speaking.
- Collaboration is developed as learners contribute to group decision making during the role play.

#### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Alcohol and substance abuse as learners are sensitised on the negative effects of drug and substance abuse through role play.

#### Values:

- Peace: Turn taking and polite interruptions in conversations ensure harmony
- Respect: By practising the skills of turn taking and interrupting politely, learners learn to respect the opinion and space of others.

# Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili addresses the skills of turn taking and interrupting politely

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets	Approaches Expostations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify verbal and nonverbal forms of polite interruptions.  Expectations  Consistently identifies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions		Identifies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations.	Sometimes identifies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations.	Identifies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations with the
Ability to apply turn- taking skills in different speaking contexts.	in conversations.  Applies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations at all times	Applies turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations.	Sometimes applies some turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations.	assistance of peers. Attempts to apply some turn-taking skills and polite interruptions in conversations with the assistance of peers.
Ability to use verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely.	Uses verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely in a captivating manner	Uses verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely.	Uses some of the selected verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely.	Uses some verbal and non-verbal cues to interrupt a conversation politely with assistance.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
6.2 Reading	6.2.1 Reading: Fluency (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify instances of expressive reading from a reading or digital text, b) read a text at the right speed, accurately and with expression, c) appreciate the importance of reading fluency in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>view a variety of video clips featuring well-read scripts related to the theme</li> <li>watch news clips from a favourite television programme/presenter and comment on the presenter's speed, accuracy, and expression,</li> <li>brainstorm on ways of reading effectively</li> <li>reflect on the qualities of a good reader</li> <li>read a text such as a poem, a narrative, or dialogue with: <ul> <li>with appropriate expressions</li> <li>with accuracy</li> <li>right speed,</li> </ul> </li> <li>listen to a text read by a peer and provide feedback</li> <li>engage in a readers' theatre in groups and read a poem, narrative, or dialogue</li> <li>read a choral verse in pairs or small groups,</li> <li>time himself or herself while reading an excerpt of a text</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to read fluently?</li> <li>How does the appropriate use of verbal and non-verbal cues enhance reading fluency?</li> </ol>

	participate in activities that enhance reading fluently, such as reader's theatre, paired reading, echo reading,
	repeated reading and choral reading.

- Learning to learn is developed as the learner builds on own learning experiences by listening and modelling fluent reading.
- Self-efficacy is developed as learners document- success criteria while timing themselves as they read excerpts in pairs.
- Communication and collaboration enhanced as the learner speaks clearly and effectively when reciting a choral verse.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Critical thinking is enhanced as the learner views a video and comments on whether a speaker reads accurately, at the right speed, and with expressions.

#### **Values**

- Responsibility is enhanced as learners read texts on drug and substance abuse prevention.
- Respect is achieved as learners listen to their peers' reading.

## Link to other subjects

- Performing arts: fluent reading is essential in drama and poem recitations.
- All languages emphasise fluent reading.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
Ability to identify	Identifies all	Identifies all	Identifies some	Identifies some	
instances of	instances of	instances of	instances of	instances of	
expressive reading	expressive reading	expressive reading	expressive reading	expressive reading	
read text or audio	from a read text or	from a read text or	from a read text or	from a read text or	
book with ease.	audio book	audio book.	audio book.	audio book with	
	interestingly.			assistance.	
Ability to read a text	Exuberantly reads a	Reads a text at the	Reads a text at the	Reads a text at the	
at the right speed,	text at the right	right speed,	right speed, with	right speed, with	
accurately, and with	speed, accurately,	accurately, and with	some hesitations and	many hesitations and	
expression.	and with expression.	expression.	mispronounces some	mispronounces most	
			sounds and words.	sounds and words.	

- Critical thinking and problem solving using logical reasoning as learners think of different ways to describe manner, time, and place
- Learning to learn organising own learning as learners identify and use different types of adverbs

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Drug and Substance Abuse: learners read different print and non-print texts on drug and substance abuse and learn the negative effects of the same.

### Values

• Responsibility: As learners record videos and describe the events with peers, they act responsibly

## Link to other subjects:

- Kiswahili and Indigenous Languages have adverbs as a word class
- Physical Education and Sports, Agriculture and Home Science since learners describe processes using adverbs of manner

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies adverbs of	Identifies adverbs of	Identifies some	Identifies some
adverbs of time, place,	time, place, and	time, place, and	adverbs of time, place,	adverbs of time, place,
and manner in texts.	manner in texts	manner in texts.	and manner in texts.	and manner in texts
	impeccably			with assistance.
Ability to use adverbs	Eagerly uses adverbs	Uses adverbs of time,	Uses some adverbs of	Uses some adverbs of
of time, place, and	of time, place, and	place, and manner in	time, place, and	time, place, and
manner in different	manner in sentences	sentences correctly.	manner in sentences	manner in sentences
contexts.	correctly.		correctly.	with assistance from
				peers.



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
6.4 Reading	6.4.1 Intensive Reading: Oral literature Songs  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify repeated words and phrases in lullabies, b) use appropriate techniques when performing lullabies, c) pick out key messages communicated in lullabies, d) appreciate the importance of lullabies in real life.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to audio recordings of lullabies</li> <li>view videos of lullabies and identify instances of repetition,</li> <li>perform a lullaby and make a recording,</li> <li>pick out key messages communicated in lullabies,</li> <li>share ideas on the key messages that are addressed in lullabies,</li> <li>discuss in groups the functions of lullabies,</li> <li>collaborate to compose songs, sing and record lullabies from their immediate environment,</li> <li>create lullabies in groups and perform them in class,</li> <li>identify characters in different lullabies.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What is the difference between a lullaby and other songs?</li> <li>How are songs similar to poems?</li> <li>What similarities exist in lullabies across communities?</li> </ol>

- Creativity and Imagination is developed as learners discuss different functions of lullabies; they develop their sense of imagination.
- Critical Thinking is enhanced as learner researches information about lullabies.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

Peace Education is enhanced as learners collaborate in singing and recording lullabies from their immediate environment.

### Values:

Social justice is achieved as learners collaborate in singing and recording lullabies from their immediate environment.

# Link to other subjects:

Performing Arts: singing lullabies involves performance.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	Exceeds	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
	Expectations		Expectations		
Ability to identify	Enthusiastically	Identifies all the	Identifies some of the	Identifies some of the	
repeated words and	identifies all the	repeated words and	repeated words and	repeated words and	
phrases in lullabies.	repeated words and	phrases in lullabies.	phrases in lullabies.	phrases in lullabies	
	phrases in lullabies.			with assistance.	
Ability to use	Passionately uses	Uses appropriate	Uses some	Uses some	
appropriate	appropriate	techniques when	appropriate	appropriate	
techniques when	techniques when	performing lullabies.	techniques when	techniques when	
performing lullabies.	performing lullabies.		performing lullabies.	performing lullabies	
				with guidance.	
Ability to pick out	Aptly picks out all	Picks out all of the	Picks out some of the	Tries to pick out key	
key messages	the key messages	key messages	key messages	messages	
communicated in	communicated in	communicated in	communicated in	communicated in	
lullabies.	lullabies.	lullabies.	lullabies.	lullabies.	

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
6.5 Writing	6.5.1 Mechanics of Writing: Commonly Misspelt Words (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) recognise commonly misspelt words in texts, b) use commonly misspelt words correctly in written texts, c) value the relationship between accurate spelling and effective written communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>mention words that are difficult to spell correctly,</li> <li>search for commonly misspelt words from textbooks and online sources, in pairs,</li> <li>discuss in groups ways of correcting commonly misspelt words,</li> <li>correct texts with wrong spellings of <i>irregular plural nouns</i>, for example, knife-knives; ox-oxen; fox-foxes; child-children; thief-thieves; lady-ladies; monkey-monkeys, <i>and -ing</i> verbs formed from verbs with final —e for example love — loving, dine — dining,</li> <li>explain to peers the effects of correct spelling on written communication</li> <li>engage in spelling games such as crossword puzzles,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What makes some words difficult to spell?</li> <li>How can we improve our spelling?</li> </ol>

	write a story or dialogue on contemporary issues, for example, keeping my neighbourhood safe, using the commonly misspelt words and share it with peers for feedback.	
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- Communication is enhanced as learners write clearly and spell words correctly.
- Collaboration is developed as learners contribute to group decision making in spelling games.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

Peace Education is enhanced as learners engage in discussions and games.

### **Values**

Peace is enhanced as learners engage in spelling games

## Link to other subjects:

- Performing arts correct spelling is required in scripting texts for performance
- Visual arts graphics need to be written in the correct spelling

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
Ability to recognise commonly misspelt words in texts.	Promptly recognises all commonly misspelt words in texts.	Recognises most commonly misspelt words in texts.	Recognises some commonly misspelt words in texts.	Recognises commonly misspelt words in texts with assistance.	
Ability to use commonly misspelt words correctly in written texts	Carefully and clearly uses commonly misspelt words in a written text	Uses commonly misspelt words in written texts	Uses some commonly misspelt words in written texts	Has difficulty using commonly misspelt words in written texts	

<b>THEME 7.0:</b>	THEME 7.0: NATURAL RESOURCES – FORESTS						
Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry			
		Outcomes		Question(s)			
7.1Listening	7.1.2 Listening	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. How can you			
and	Comprehension:	strand, the learner	• search online or offline for	tell the key			
Speaking	Listening for	should be able to:	signposts that introduce <i>details</i> in	information			
	Details	a) identify clues that	an oral text,	from a			
		signal details from a	• listen and identify words that	listening			
		listening text,	introduce different types of details	text?			
	(2 lessons)	b) take detailed notes	that indicate:	2. What factors			
		on a listening text,	- addition such as first, also,	interfere with			
		c) acknowledge the	moreover;	one's ability			
		importance of	- emphasis such as an important	to listen well?			
		listening for details.	note, especially, particularly;	3. How can you			
			- comparison such as. like,	tell that			
			similarly, just as	people are			
			- contrast such as but, however,	listening			
			on the other hand;	attentively?			
			- illustration <i>such as for</i>				
			example, for instance, such as,				
			- cause-and-effect such as				
			because, therefore, so that,				
			• discuss the kinds of details one				
			should look out for from a text.				

The details could include
numbers, figures, points, facts,
examples, people, places,
behaviour, and opinions,
• listen and note the clues
signalling details from a peer,
listen to a live or recorded oral
presentation on a pertinent and
contemporary issue such as
natural resources, for example,
forests, and take specific details,
• role-play, in turns, oral
presentations in pairs as the
partner takes notes,
• compare the notes in groups,
then revise and display them for
review.

- Self-efficacy is developed as learners listen for detail, thus making them confident in note-taking skills.
- Communication and collaboration are enhanced as learners role-play and make oral presentations. This enhances the learner's ability to listen keenly.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Environmental and social issues are emphasized as learners listen to texts on natural resources.

## Values:

• Patriotism is enhanced as learners listen to texts on natural resources, thereby developing a sense of belonging.

# Link to other subjects:

- Social studies provide the context from which the listening texts on Natural resources and forests can be obtained.
- German, French, Chinese, and Arabic require note-taking as part of the listening skill.

Indicators	Exceeds expectations	Meets expectations	Approaches expectations	Below expectations
Identifying clues that	Identifies all the clues	Identifies clues that	Identifies some clues	Struggles to identify
signal details from a	that signal details	signal details from a	that signal details	some clues that signal
listening text.	from a listening text.	listening text.	from a listening text.	details from a text.
Taking notes of details from a listening text.	Takes detailed notes of all the details from a listening text.	Takes notes of details from a listening text.	Takes notes of some details from a listening text.	Takes notes of some details from the text with assistance.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
7.2 Reading	7.2.1Intensive Reading: Visuals (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to a) identify types of information conveyed by visuals for comprehension, b) interpret visuals for information, c) appreciate the importance of visual interpretation skills in different texts.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to: <ul> <li>list common visuals like road signs, photographs, billboards,</li> <li>search online and offline for different types of information visuals convey such as stories, messages, feelings or emotions, relationships, mood,</li> <li>discuss class/school/ community/ national needs or issues that visuals can address,</li> <li>answer comprehension questions on the visuals,</li> <li>apply comprehension strategies such as prediction, making connections, inferences, questioning, and visualising in interpreting visuals,</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	1. How does observation of actual items help us understand what we are taught? 2. What is the importance of pictures and photographs that accompany written texts?

•	create stories or songs from visuals, discuss visuals of national importance like the national flag, the Kenyan currency,
•	discuss the importance of developing visual interpretation skills for a full understanding of messages, use digital devices to create simple visuals through
	photographing, drawing, and making realia on natural resources.

- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners search for different information conveyed through visuals.
- Citizenship: as learners discuss national symbols such as the national flag and currency enhances patriotism.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

Environmental conservation is enhanced as learners create visuals on natural resources.

## Values:

- Patriotism is enhanced as learners discuss visuals like the national flag and visuals on the Kenyan currency.
- Integrity is enhanced through discussions on the evils of corruption

# Link to other subjects:

- Visual arts deals with creating and interpreting visuals.
- Computer sciences In computer science, computers are used to create and display visuals.
- Humanities, Mathematics, and sciences use visuals like maps, graphs, and charts.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify types of information	Immaculately identifies types of	Identifies types of information conveyed	Identifies some types of information	Identifies some types of information
conveyed by visuals	information conveyed		conveyed by visuals	conveyed by visuals
for comprehension.	by visuals for comprehension.	comprehension.	for comprehension.	for comprehension with support.
Ability to interpret visuals for information.	Interprets visuals for information with exceptional insight.	Interprets visuals for information.	Interprets some visuals for information.	Interprets some visuals for information with
				support.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	<b>Suggested Learning Experiences</b>	Key Inquiry Question(s)
7.3 Grammar in Use	7.3.1 Word Classes: Personal and possessive pronouns.	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) distinguish between personal and possessive pronouns in sentences, b) use personal and possessive pronouns in sentences appropriately, c) appreciate the value of proper use of pronouns.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>pick out personal and possessive pronouns from print and non-print texts on natural resources in pairs,</li> <li>use personal pronouns to refer to people in a class,</li> <li>construct sentences using personal pronouns, in groups,</li> <li>write a paragraph using possessive pronouns,</li> <li>construct sentences using personal pronouns from substitution and completion tables,</li> <li>draw a chart with singular/plural, subjective, and objective personal pronouns and display them for peer review.</li> </ul>	1. What is the difference between personal and possessive pronouns? 2. How can you avoid unnecessary repetition in sentences? 3. Why should we avoid unnecessary repetition?

• Communication is enhanced by the correct use of pronouns

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Social cohesion is enhanced as learners use personal pronouns to refer to people in the class.

### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners use pronouns to construct sentences to refer to others in the class.

# Link to other subjects:

- Computer science: Digital skills are enhanced as learners refer to print and non-print materials to search for personal pronouns.
- French, German, Chinese, and Arabic cover pronouns in grammar.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to distinguish	Distinguishes	Distinguishes	Distinguishes between	Distinguishes between
between personal and	between personal and	between personal	some personal and	some personal and
possessive pronouns	possessive pronouns	and possessive	possessive pronouns in	possessive pronouns in
in texts.	in texts avidly.	pronouns.	texts.	texts with assistance.
Ability to use	Uses all personal and	Uses personal and	Uses some personal	Attempts to use
personal and	possessive pronouns	possessive	and possessive	personal and
possessive pronouns	excellently.	pronouns in	pronouns in sentences.	possessive pronouns in
in sentences.		sentences.		sentences.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
7.4 Reading	7.4.1 Intensive Reading: Characters in class readers.  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify minor characters in a class reader, b) Discuss the relationships between different minor characters in the class reader, c) appreciate the place of minor characters in the class reader.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read and identify minor characters in a class reader,</li> <li>search online and offline for words and phrases used to describe relationships between characters,</li> <li>discuss in groups how the characters relate with each other,</li> <li>hot seat different minor characters to bring out their relationships, in groups,</li> <li>link characters' reactions to the relationships they are in.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How can you tell the difference between a main and a minor character in a story?</li> <li>How would you describe the behaviour of your classmates?</li> </ol>

- Critical thinking: linking the relationships between characters in the class reader enhances the learner's ability to link various issues
- Collaboration: hot seating different minor characters to bring out their relationships

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Citizenship is enhanced as learners discuss the character traits and relationships of some of the characters in the text read.

# Values:

• Social justice is developed as learners discuss in groups the relationships between characters.

# Link to other subjects:

• Performing Arts uses hot seating for the actors to internalise their roles.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies and	Identifies and	Fairly identifies and	Identifies and
and discuss the role	discusses the role of	discusses the role of	discusses some of the	discusses the role of
of the minor	the minor characters	the minor characters	roles of the minor	the minor characters
characters in a class	in a class reader.	in a class reader.	characters in a class	in the text with
reader.			reader.	difficulty.
Ability to discuss the	Discusses the	Discusses the	Discusses the	Discusses the
relationships between	relationships between	relationships between	relationships between	relationships between
different minor	the different minor	different minor	some different minor	few different minor
characters in the	characters in the class	characters in the class	characters in the class	characters in the class
class reader.	reader with ease.	reader.	reader.	reader with a lot of
				difficulty.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
7.5 Writing	7.5.1 Composition Writing: Writing Process (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) outline the steps in the writing process, b) write a narrative composition following the writing process, c) acknowledge the role of writing fluency in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>watch a video of learners going through the writing process,</li> <li>read samples of well-written texts and highlight features that make them outstanding,</li> <li>discuss the writing process giving details of what each entails on a mind map,</li> <li>suggest the most suitable topics on issues like natural resources or saving forests for practising the writing process,</li> <li>practise, in groups, the writing process, for example by: <ul> <li>prewriting</li> <li>drafting</li> <li>editing</li> <li>revising</li> <li>publishing,</li> </ul> </li> <li>write a narrative composition following the writing process and</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What should you consider before you begin writing a composition?</li> <li>What contributes to a well-written composition?</li> </ol>

	share using a digital device for peer review,  • review the effectiveness of the writing process in writing compositions.
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- Digital literacy is developed as learners share the compositions using a digital device for peer review.
- Creativity and imagination is developed as learners mind-map the idea to be written in the narrative composition using the writing process.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Environmental Conservation is addressed by the narrative compositions on natural resources.

### Values:

Responsibility is enhanced as learners practise writing on natural resources, as they learn how to conserve the environment.

## Link to other subjects:

- All languages: Kiswahili, German, Arabic, and French Composition writing is a component of writing in all languages.
- Agriculture involves reading and writing about the management of natural resources like soil and forests.

Assessment Rubric						
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>		
Ability to outline the steps in the writing	Precisely outlines the steps in the writing	Outlines the steps in the writing process.	Outlines some steps in the writing	Outlines a few steps in the writing		
process.	process.		process.	process.		
Ability to write a narrative composition following the writing process.	Writes a narrative composition following the writing process in a focused and clear manner	Composes a narrative composition following the writing process.	Composes a fairly written narrative composition following the writing process.	Composes a fairly written narrative composition following the writing process with		

- Digital literacy is developed as learners manipulate digital devices and use them to create stories and share them with others
- Communication and collaboration speaking clearly and effectively as learners dramatize narratives and discuss moral lessons.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):

• Digital citizenship is enhanced as learners gain a sense of identity and belonging by listening and responding to explanatory narratives derived from various communities.

#### Values:

• Patriotism is promoted as learners listen and respond to explanatory narratives and moral lessons and relating them to their real life, thereby becoming better citizens.

## Link to other subjects:

- Social studies also emphasises the application of moral lessons.
- Performing arts also employs role-playing narratives in performances.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
Ability to identify	Distinctively identifies	Identifies most of	Identifies some of	Identifies the	
the characters and	the characters and	the characters and	the characters and	characters and moral	
moral lessons in	moral lessons in	moral lessons in	moral lessons in	lessons in explanatory	
explanatory	explanatory narratives.	explanatory	explanatory	narratives with	
narratives.		narratives.	narratives.	guidance from peers.	
Ability to sequence	Sequences the events in	Sequences all the	Sequences of the	Makes some attempts	
the events in	explanatory narratives	events in	events in	to sequence some of	
explanatory	impeccably	explanatory	explanatory	the events in	
narratives.		narratives.	narratives on some	explanatory narratives	
			occasions.	but with difficulty.	
Ability to explain	Explains the moral	Explains the moral	Explains some moral	Explains the moral	
the moral lessons in	lessons in an	lessons in an	lessons in an	lessons in an	
an explanatory	explanatory narrative	explanatory	explanatory	explanatory narrative	
narrative.	with appropriate and adequate examples.	narrative.	narrative.	with assistance.	

Strand	Sub strand	<b>Specific Learning Outcomes</b>	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
8.2 Reading	8.2.1 Intensive Reading (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) distinguish main ideas from supporting details from poems, b) use contextual clues to infer the meaning of words and phrases in a text, c) make connections between events in a poem and real life, d) summarise events in a poem e) answer direct and inferential questions from poems, f) acknowledge the role of reading comprehension in lifelong learning.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search online and offline and discuss, in groups, the meaning of reading for interpretation and evaluation,</li> <li>visualise events, people, and places in poems,</li> <li>predict events in poems,</li> <li>utilize digital devices to check the meanings of words,</li> <li>infer meanings of vocabulary based on contextual clues,</li> <li>answer direct and inferential questions in pairs,</li> <li>summarise main issues from poems</li> <li>create word puzzles with learned vocabulary and share them online,</li> <li>relate the issues in a set poem to real life.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How can you identify the subject in a poem?</li> <li>How are poems similar to songs?</li> </ol>

- Digital Literacy is enhanced as learner creates a word puzzle and shares it online using digital devices.
- Critical thinking and problem-solving are developed as learners interpret and evaluate issues highlighted in poems and relate them to real life.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Peace is enhanced as learners work in groups to evaluate issues highlighted in poems.

### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners respect each other's opinions as they work together.

# Link to other subjects:

• Social Studies and Business Studies require reading for interpretation and evaluation.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to distinguish	Confidently	Distinguishes main	Distinguishes some	Distinguishes some main
main ideas from	distinguishes main	ideas from	main ideas from	ideas from supporting
supporting details in	ideas from supporting	supporting details	supporting details in	details in poems with
poems	details in poems	in poems	poems	assistance
Ability to use	Elaborately uses	Uses contextual	Uses contextual	Uses contextual clues to
contextual clues to	contextual clues to	clues to infer the	clues to infer the	infer the meaning of a
infer the meaning of	infer the meaning of	meaning of words	meaning of some	few words and phrases
words and phrases in	words and phrases in	and phrases in a	words and phrases in	in a text
a text	a text	text	a text	



Ability to make	Makes connections	Makes connections	Makes some	Makes some connections
connections between	between events in a	between events in	connections between	between events in a
events in a poem and	poem and real life	a poem and real	events in a poem and	poem and real life but
real life.	insightfully	life	real life	with some difficulty.
Ability to summarise	Summarises events in	Summarises events	Summarises some	Summarises a few
events in a poem.	a poem elaborately	in a poem	events in a poem	events in a poem
Ability to answer	Zealously answers	Answers most	Answers some	Answers direct and
direct and inferential	direct and inferential	direct and	direct and inferential	inferential questions
questions from	questions from poems	inferential	questions from	from poems with
poems.		questions from	poems	assistance
		poems		

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes		Question(s)
8.3	8.3.1 Word	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. What is the
Grammar	Classes:	strand, the learner	• identify and underline <i>simple prepositions</i>	function of
in Use		should be able to:	(agent, instrument, and direction) in texts,	prepositions
	Simple	a) identify different	• search online and offline for examples of	in
	Prepositions	types of	simple prepositions,	sentences?
	(2 lessons)	prepositions, b) use prepositions in sentences, c) attest to the importance of well-formed sentences in communication.	<ul> <li>read texts and identity simple prepositions,</li> <li>complete sentences using a substitution table,</li> <li>match simple prepositions with the word they collocate with,</li> <li>Watch video clips and identify simple propositions,</li> <li>construct sentences using prepositions, in groups,</li> <li>create a crossword puzzle featuring simple prepositions and the words or phrases they collocate with,</li> <li>share the puzzles online, on posters, charts, or through WhatsApp.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>2. How do we show the relationship between words?</li><li>3. How can you ensure all your sentences are correctly written?</li></ul>

- Digital literacy developed as learners manipulate digital devices and use them to create word puzzles and share them with others
- Communication and collaboration are enhanced as learners speak clearly and effectively during dramatisation of narratives and discussion of moral lessons.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Social cohesion is enhanced as learners work in groups and cohesively as they give each other feedback.

#### Values:

• Unity is enhanced as learners work together to construct sentences using prepositions.

### Link to other subjects:

• Languages like French, German, Arabic, and Kiswahili have prepositions as an area of study

Indicators	Exceeds expectations	Meets expectations	Approaches expectations	<b>Below expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Keenly identifies	Identifies different	Identifies some types	Struggles to identify
different types of	different types of	types of prepositions.	of prepositions.	types of prepositions.
prepositions.	prepositions.			
Ability to use	Remarkably uses the	Uses prepositions in	Uses some	Uses prepositions in
prepositions in	prepositions in	sentences correctly.	prepositions in	sentences with the
sentences.	sentences correctly.		sentences correctly.	help of peers.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
8.4 Reading	8.4.1 Intensive Reading: Poetry (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand the learner should be able to: a) identify the human characters in a set of poems b) use adjectives to describe the traits of human characters in a set of poems c) appreciate the importance of human characters in poetry.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read a given poem and identify the human characters</li> <li>search online and offline for adjectives that can be used to describe characters</li> <li>discuss what each character does or says in each poem</li> <li>role-play a given poem to bring out the characters' actions</li> <li>take video clips of the role play and share them as they discuss their performances</li> <li>paste sticky notes containing character traits identified</li> <li>relate the human characters in the poem with real life lessons.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How do we identify characters in a given poem?</li> <li>Why are human characters important in poetry?</li> <li>How can you identify the lessons learned from poems?</li> </ol>

- Communication and collaboration are enhanced as learners contribute to group decision-making by participating actively in the discussion on what each character does or says in each poem.
- Learning to learn is developed as learners build on their own learning experiences while relating the human characters in the poem with real life situations.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Social cohesion is enhanced as learners relate human characters to real life.

## Values:

- Peace: learners bond as they work in groups
- Love: learners relate human characters to real life. In the process, they grow to love each other

# Link to other subjects:

- All languages: French, German, Arabic, and Chinese have poetry as a genre of literature
- Performing arts: role-playing involves performance

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Promptly identifies	Identifies the human	Identifies some of the	Identifies the human
human characters in a	the human characters	characters involved	human characters	characters involved
set of poems.	involved in a set of	in a set of poems.	involved in a set of	in a set of poems with
	poems.		poems.	difficulty
Ability to use	Stunningly uses	Uses appropriate	Uses some	Uses appropriate
appropriate	appropriate	adjectives to describe	appropriate adjectives	adjectives to describe
adjectives to describe	adjectives to describe	the traits of human	to describe the traits	the traits of human
the traits of human	the traits of human	characters in a set of	of human characters	characters in a set of
characters in a set of	characters in a set of	poems.	in a set of poems	poems with
poems.	poems.		with prompting.	difficulty.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry
8.5 Writing	8.5.1 Composition Writing: Self-Assessment (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand the learner should be able to: a) identify steps involved in the assessment of narrative compositions, b) write narrative compositions and assess the introduction, body, and conclusion, c) appreciate the importance of assessment in improving narrative composition writing.	<ul> <li>Experiences</li> <li>The learner is guided to:         <ul> <li>search online and offline for information on the aspects of self-assessment when writing a narrative composition,</li> <li>practise assessing own narrative composition,</li> <li>watch a video or listen to a recording on how to peer-assess a composition,</li> <li>plan, organise, and write a composition on travel, and share it with peers for review,</li> </ul> </li> <li>identify and correct spelling, punctuation, and grammatical errors using a given checklist.</li> </ul>	Question(s)  1. Why is it important to assess writing?  2. How can one improve their composition writing skills?

• Collaboration is enhanced as learners participate actively in the writing activity when working in pairs, sharing and assessing each other's narrative composition.

• Learning to learn is achieved as learners organise their learning while writing and assessing his or her narrative composition before sharing with peers for assessment.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):

• Peer education is enhanced as learners assess each other's compositions.

### Values:

• Integrity is achieved as learners learn to be honest and truthful while assessing their own and other's compositions.

# Link to other subjects

• French, German, Chinese, and Arabic involve narrative composition writing.

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Identifies the	Identifies the	Identifies the	Identifies the
introduction, body, and	introduction, body, and	introduction,	introduction, body,	introduction, body,
conclusion of a	conclusion of a	body, and	and conclusion of a	and conclusion of a
narrative composition.	narrative impressively	conclusion of a	narrative	narrative with help
	and with examples.	narrative.	occasionally.	from others.
Ability to assess	Exceptionally and with	Assesses	Assesses narrative	Struggles to assess
narrative compositions	detailed comments,	narrative	compositions using	narrative
using a given checklist.	assesses the narrative	compositions	the checklist with	compositions with the
	compositions using the	using the	assistance.	checklist given.
	checklist given.	checklist given.		

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes		
9.1 Listening and Speaking	9.1.1 Pronunciation: Consonant and Vowel Sounds (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) articulate correctly the consonant sounds/t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words articulate correctly vowel sounds /v/ and /u:/ in words, b) pronounce words correctly using stress, c) distinguish the meaning of words based on stress, d) acknowledge the importance of correct pronunciation in oral communication.	The learner is guided to: listen to audio clips and watch video clips with the sounds /t/, /d/, /l/, /r, /, /o/ and /u:/ in words  • articulate the following consonants and vowel sounds in groups:  - /t/ as in toll  - /d/as in doll  - /l/ as in liver  - /r/ as in river  - /v/ as in pull, bull;  - /u:/ as in pool, book,  • watch an oral presentation and pick out words with the target sounds,  • practise pronouncing words with the target consonant and vowel sounds, in pairs,  • sort words based on the pronunciation of the target, consonant, and vowel sounds	1. Why should you pronounce words correctly? 2. Why do people find it difficult to pronounce some words? 3. In what ways can one improve own pronunciation?

<ul> <li>recite poems or sing songs on national heroes with the target sounds,</li> <li>say tongue twisters with the target consonant and vowel sounds,</li> <li>listen to audio featuring a variety of words and classify them in their word classes according to the stressed syllables,</li> <li>engage in pronunciation drills on stress for distinguishing word class,</li> <li>underline stressed syllables in words</li> <li>discuss the importance of correct pronunciation and use of stress in conveying meaning,</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>conveying meaning,</li> <li>reflect on the target consonant and vowel sounds and identify those they struggle with for further practise.</li> </ul>

- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners listen to audio clips and watch videos on pronunciation
- Learning to learn is emphasised as learners build on their own experiences by reflecting on the target consonant and vowel sounds and identify those they struggle with for further practise.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Patriotism and Good Governance are enhanced as learners sing songs and recite poems on national heroes/heroines.

#### Values:

- Patriotism is enhanced through poems on nationalism
- Unity is enhanced in the songs on nationalism

### Link to other subjects:

- All language subjects focus on pronunciation as a basic skill.
- Performing Arts emphasises clear enunciation in performances.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
Ability to articulate correctly the consonant sounds/t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words.	Excellently articulates correctly the consonant sounds /t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words.	Articulates correctly the consonant sounds/t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words.	Articulates correctly some of the consonant sounds/t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words.	Articulates correctly few of the consonant sounds/t/, /d/, /l/, /r/ in words.	
Ability to articulate correctly vowel sounds /v/ and /u:/ in words.	Passionately articulates correctly vowel sounds /v/ and /u:/ in words with ease.	Articulates correctly vowel sounds /u/ and /u:/ in words.	Sometimes articulates correctly vowel sounds /ʊ/ and /uː/ in words with assistance.	Attempts to articulate correctly vowel sounds /o/ and /u:/ in words, even with the assistance of others.	
Ability to pronounce words correctly using stress.	Conspicuously pronounces words correctly while using stress	Pronounces words correctly using stress.	Occasionally pronounces words using stress correctly.	Has difficulty pronouncing words using stress correctly.	
Ability to give the meaning of words based on stress.	Impressively gives the meaning of words based on stress with examples.	Gives the meaning of words based on stress.	Gives the meaning of some words based on stress.	Gives the meaning of words based on stress with assistance.	

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	<b>Key Inquiry</b>
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)
9.2 Reading	9.2.1 Extensive Reading: Grade- appropriate fiction materials  2 lessons	_	Experiences  The learner is guided to:  • identify fictional material to read by looking at the cover page, blurb, and title  • read texts on varied issues such as national heroes and heroines and discuss the elements of fiction in the text  • list down new words and phrases encountered  • re-tell the story in their own words	
			<ul> <li>dramatise a section of the text and record themselves</li> <li>relate the ideas expressed in</li> </ul>	
			<ul><li>fiction to real life</li><li>read fiction materials for enjoyment.</li></ul>	

# **Core Competencies:**

• Learning to learn as learners select fictional texts for reading

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):

• Citizenship as they are exposed to individual and cultural differences through extensive reading

#### Values:

• Patriotism: Reading on national heroes and heroines inculcates patriotism.

## Link to other subjects:

• Language subjects like Indigenous Languages, French, Arabic, and Chinese have fiction as a genre.

#### **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies and selects	Identifies and selects	Identifies and selects	Identifies and selects
and select a variety	a variety of fictional	a variety of fictional	some fictional texts	a few fictional texts
of fictional texts for	texts for extensive	texts for extensive	for extensive reading	for extensive reading,
extensive reading.	reading	reading.	with assistance.	even with prompting.
	immaculately.			
Ability to read and	Reads and explains	Reads and explains	Reads and explains	Reads and explains
explain imaginary	incredibly imaginary	imaginary ideas in a	some imaginary ideas	imaginary ideas in a
ideas in a fictional	ideas in a given	given fictional text	in a given fictional	given fictional text
text.	fictional text.		text.	with assistance.



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Self-efficacy is developed as learners pay attention to details and use conjunctions in different circumstances.

• Learning to learn is achieved as learners share what they have learnt as they create and share stories or songs about heroes and heroines in Kenya.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Patriotism is enhanced as learners create and share stories about local heroes

#### Values:

- Patriotism: National heroes and heroines are focused on in the story.
- Peace: Learners acquire skills of working in harmony as they work in pairs and groups.

### Link to other subjects:

• Languages like French, German, Arabic, and Chinese address the correct usage of conjunctions.

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Consistently identifies	Identifies the	Sometimes identifies	Attempts to identify
conjunctions and, but	the conjunctions <i>and</i> ,	conjunctions and,	the conjunctions and,	the conjunctions <i>and</i> ,
and or in sentences.	but and or in sentences	but and or in	but and or in	but and or in
	correctly.	sentences.	sentences.	sentences.
Ability to use the	Impressively uses the	Uses the	Sometimes uses the	Uses the
conjunctions and, but	conjunctions and, but	conjunctions and,	conjunctions and, but	conjunctions and, but
and or in sentences	and or in sentences	but and or in	and or in sentences	and or in sentences
accurately.	accurately.	sentences	accurately.	with limitations.
		accurately.		

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
9.4 Reading	9.4.1 Intensive reading: Class Reader (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand the learner should be able to: a) explain the sequence of events in a class reader, b) make short notes on the sequence of events in a class reader, c) appreciate reading works of art for information and enjoyment.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read sections of a class reader and explain the sequence of events,</li> <li>dramatize parts of the class reader for clarity,</li> <li>outline the actions of each character studied in the section,</li> <li>discuss, in pairs, how the characters make the story flow,</li> <li>use a sequence chart to show the order of events in the class reader,</li> <li>make short notes on the sequence of events in the story,</li> <li>relate the events in the story to real life,</li> <li>discuss possible solutions to the problems portrayed in the class reader.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What marks the climax of a story?</li> <li>How does a writer make a piece of writing interesting?</li> <li>Which captivating storybooks or TV programmes have you come across, and what made them interesting?</li> </ol>

• Communication is developed as learners write fluently and present organised work as the learner makes notes on the sequence of events in the class reader.

- Collaboration is enhanced as learners participate actively in dramatising parts of the class reader for conceptualisation.
- Critical thinking and problem-solving are developed as learners create different options by discussing possible solutions to the problems portrayed in the class reader.

• Ethical relationships are enhanced as learners relate issues to real life and to relationships in society.

#### Values:

• Respect: dramatising parts of the class reader enhance respect among learners

# Link to other subjects:

• Performing arts: dramatisation is a component of this learning area.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to explain the	Avidly explains the	Explains the	Fairly explains the	Finds it difficult to
sequence of events to	sequence of events in	sequence of events in	sequence of events in	explain the sequence
a class reader.	a section of a class	a section of a class	a section of a class	of events in a section
	reader.	reader.	reader.	of a class reader.
Ability to make short	Makes clear, concise	Makes short notes on	Makes fairly clear	Has difficulty in
notes on the sequence	short notes on the	the sequence of	short notes on the	making short notes on
of events in a class	sequence of events in	events in a section of	sequence of events in	the sequence of
reader.	a section of the class	the class reader.	a section of the class	events in a section of
	reader.		reader.	the class reader.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
9.5 Writing	9.5.1 Creative writing: Narrative compositions  (1 lesson)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify features of narrative composition in creative writing, b) create well-written narrative compositions on a variety of topics, c) appreciate the importance of writing in day-to-day life.	The learner is guided to:  Search for features of a well-written narrative from print and non-print sources. (200-240 words) such features include  a narrow and clearly defined focus (title)  a strong introduction  character descriptions  dialogue  setting description  interesting details  a logical sequence  purposeful and precise word choice  varied sentence structure and  a strong conclusion,  read well-written samples of narrative compositions noting the most outstanding parts,	1. How can you make your composition writing better?

	<ul> <li>plan a narrative composition in groups, and tell it as a chain story,</li> <li>write a narrative composition on issues like historical and current heroes and share it with peers for discussion and revision,</li> <li>create displays of narrative writing skills learned and publish them in the classroom.</li> </ul>
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- Creativity and imagination are enhanced as learners look at problems in a new way and undertake the task of narrative writing and sharing.
- Self-efficacy is attained as learners pay attention to detail, plan a narrative composition, and tell a chain story.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Citizenship is enhanced **as** learners create narratives on historical and current heroes and heroines which portray love for the nation.

#### Values:

• Social justice: research and writing stories of heroes and heroines exposes learners to issues like colonialization, thus enabling them to learn from the experiences of the heroes and heroines.

# Link to other subjects:

- French, Arabic, German, and Chinese require narrative writing as a basic skill.
- Performing Arts: Composing plays, poems, and narratives for performance require creative writing skills.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to Identify features of narrative composition in creative writing.	Distinctly identifies all features of narrative composition in creative writing.	Identifies features of narrative composition in creative writing.	Identifies some features of narrative composition in creative writing.	Needs assistance in identifying features of narrative composition in creative writing.
Ability to create well written narrative compositions on a variety of topics.	Creates uniquely well written narrative compositions on a variety of topics.	Creates well written narrative compositions on a variety of topics.	Creates fairly well written narrative compositions on a variety of topics.	Creates written narrative compositions on a variety of topics with support from peers.

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Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry	
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)	
10.1 Listening and Speaking	10.1.1 Oral Presentations: Delivering Speeches (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify occasions where speeches are presented, b) apply the features of oral presentations for effective communication, c) appreciate the importance of good oral presentation skills when delivering a speech.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>Think, pair, and share on occasions where speeches are presented,</li> <li>Search online or offline for features of oral presentation and make short notes,</li> <li>listen to recorded gradeappropriate speeches and share their opinions on them in pairs,</li> <li>brainstorm, in groups, on the importance of body language in delivering a speech,</li> <li>rehearse a speech and present it to each other in groups,</li> <li>write short speeches on the importance of music and present it to peers,</li> <li>record the speeches being presented and discuss the presentations.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What is the purpose of speeches in society?</li> <li>What circumstances make one read a pre-written speech?</li> <li>How can one deliver a speech effectively?</li> </ol>	

- Digital Literacy is improved as learners use digital devices to record speeches as learners present them.
- Self-efficacy is enhanced as learners give attention to details while rehearing speeches and presenting them to each other in groups.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs

• Social cohesion: writing a short speech on the importance of music relates to social cohesion.

#### Values:

- Responsibility: the importance of music to learners promotes responsibility among learners.
- Respect: discussion on presentations requires that learners respect each other's work.

## Link to other subjects:

• Performing Arts also focuses on oral presentations, including delivering a speech that involves both verbal and non-verbal aspects.

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify occasions where speeches are presented.	Prominently identifies many occasions where speeches are presented.	Identifying occasions where speeches are presented.	Identifies some occasions where speeches are presented.	Finds it difficult to identify occasions where speeches are presented.
Ability to apply the features of oral presentations in speeches for effective communication.	Immensely and effectively applies the features of oral presentations in speeches for effective communication.	Applies the features of oral presentations in speeches for effective communication.	Applies some of the features of oral presentations in speeches for effective communication.	Rarely applies the features of oral presentations in speeches for effective communication.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
10.2 Reading	10.2.1 Study Skills: Note Making (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the main and supporting points in texts b) make notes from varieties of written texts, c) relate notemaking to effective reading.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>conduct an online and offline search on the format of note- making- (heading, subheading, main points, supporting point, keywords)</li> <li>discuss, in groups, the importance of note making in reading,</li> <li>read texts on varied issues, including music, and select the key points</li> <li>pick the keywords from reading texts</li> <li>fill in the key points in a note making a template</li> <li>draw a mind map to show the relationship between the topic, main idea, and supporting ideas, in groups</li> <li>read print or non-print texts and make notes from them.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How can effective reading be done?</li> <li>How can key points be identified in a text?</li> <li>What is the importance of notemaking?</li> </ol>

- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners search online for information on note-making.
- Learning to learn as learners organise own learning and makes notes after reading varied texts.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Career guidance: reading and making notes on types of music exposes the learner to the music career

Values:

Unity: drawing a mind map in groups enhances unity among learners

Link to other subjects:

Integrated Science, CRE, IRE, and HRE - require the skill of note making for effective study

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Speedily identifies all	Identifies most of the	Identifies some of	Identifies some of the
main and supporting	the main and	main and supporting	the main and	main and supporting
points in a given text.	supporting points in a	points in a given text.	supporting points in	points in a given text
	given text.		a given text.	with some assistance.
Ability to make notes	Makes amazingly	Makes notes from	Makes some notes	Attempts to make
from varieties of	clear notes from	varieties of written	from varieties of	notes from varieties
written texts.	varieties of written	texts.	written texts.	of written texts.
	texts.			

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
10.3 Grammar in Use	10.3.1 Word Classes: Determiners (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify articles and possessives in texts, b) use articles and possessives in sentences, c) acknowledge the importance of articles and possessives for effective communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>identify articles and possessives from a text,</li> <li>underline articles a, an, the and possessives my, our, your, his, her, their used in print and non-print texts,</li> <li>read out examples of possessives from flashcards in pairs,</li> <li>correct errors in sentences that contain articles,</li> <li>engage in language games using articles, in groups,</li> <li>practise matching articles with nouns in pairs,</li> <li>construct sentences using possessives</li> <li>compose a song on children's rights using relevant articles and possessives and video record the performances.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What would happen if a conversation lacked determiners?</li> <li>How do we indicate that something belongs to somebody?</li> </ol>

- Self-efficacy is improved as learners pay attention to details and correct errors in sentences.
- Communication and collaboration are enhanced as learners use articles and possessives to communicate clearly and effectively.

## Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Child rights - composing a song on the rights of children enlightens learners on their welfare

#### Values:

• Respect - correct use of articles and possessives makes learners use correct titles while addressing people

### Link to other subjects:

• French, German, Chinese, and Arabic have determiners as an area of study.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify articles and possessives in texts.	Identifies articles and possessives in texts outstandingly.	Identifies articles and possessives in texts.	Identifies some articles and possessives in texts.	Attempts to identify articles and possessives in texts.
Ability to use articles and possessives in varied sentences.	Uses articles and possessives in varied sentences phenomenally.	Uses articles and possessives in sentences.	Uses articles and possessives in some sentences.	Uses articles and possessives in sentences with the teacher's assistance.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
10.4 Reading	10.4.1 Intensive Reading: Characters and their traits  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: (a) identify characters in monster narratives, (b) explain traits of characters in given monster narratives, (c) relate monster narratives to real life situations, (d) appreciate the importance of monster narratives in life.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>describe a monster/ ogre,</li> <li>search online and offline for features of monster narratives,</li> <li>narrate monster narratives from their immediate environment to their peers,</li> <li>in groups, discuss what monsters/ogres represent</li> <li>discuss how monster narratives relate to real life,</li> <li>explain health education lessons they learn from monster narratives,</li> <li>dramatise a monster narrative and record the performance,</li> <li>discuss the traits of the characters involved in a monster narrative in pairs,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What kind of characters are commonly used in monster narratives?</li> <li>What is the relevance of oral narratives in modern society?</li> <li>What should one consider when collecting narratives among people of varied sociocultural backgrounds?</li> </ol>

	• brainstorm on the reading
	strategies suitable for
	sharing experiences with
	community members,
	• interact actively with
	resource persons to pick
	out the relevant reading
	strategies,
	• seek support from
	resources persons on how
	to relate monster narratives
	to real life,
	• collect, analyse and
	compile them into an
	anthology of narratives
	from the community, in
	groups,
	• conduct a reader's theatre
	in groups,
	• describe the procedure
	used in collecting the
	narratives.
	manatives.

- Critical thinking and problem solving are embedded as learners discuss the lessons learned and the relevance of monster narratives in real life.
- Critical thinking and problem solving are enhanced as learners reason logically in choosing the reading strategies that would best aid in sharing experiences with community members.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• HIV and AIDS: the relevance of monster narratives in real life touches on health issues.

#### Values:

• Responsibility: since monsters represent evil in society, learners learn to act responsibly.

### Link to other subjects:

• Indigenous languages: monster narratives are part of oral literature, which is a key component of indigenous languages.

#### **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Readily identifies	Identifies characters	Identifies some	Identifies a few
characters in monster	characters in monster	in monster narratives.	characters in monster	characters in monster
narratives.	narratives.		narratives.	narratives.
Ability to relate	Fervently relates	Relates monster	Relates monster	Relates monster
monster narratives to	monster narratives to	narratives to real life	narratives to real life	narratives to real life
real life situations.	real life situations.	situations.	situations	situations with
			laboriously.	support from others.



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Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
10.5 Writing	10.5.1 Functional Writing: Packing and Shopping lists (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify ways of grouping items in packing and shopping lists, b) write a packing list for a specified event, c) prepare a shopping list for use in a given context, d) recognise the importance of preparing a shopping and packing list in their everyday lives.	<ul> <li>The earner is guided to:</li> <li>search online and offline for samples of packing and shopping lists,</li> <li>discuss in groups, the parts of a shopping list,</li> <li>create and fill a packing list template,</li> <li>discuss, in groups, different ways of grouping items in packing and shopping lists,</li> <li>give in pairs the prices of different items in the shopping list to match a given budget.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What should one consider when grouping items in a packing list?</li> <li>Why should a shopping list be prepared?</li> <li>What is the importance of a packing list?</li> </ol>

- Critical thinking is enhanced as learners categorise the various items included in a shopping and packing list in order of importance.
- Learning to learn is enhanced as learners prepare a shopping list and a packing list which builds learners' capacity.

• Financial literacy is enhanced as learners prepare a realistic budget for the shopping list and categorise items.

#### Values:

- Integrity as learners come up with shopping lists that adhere to given budgets
- Social responsibility mastery of writing of shopping and packing list would ensure public projects are completed within stated budgets.

### Link to other subjects:

• Business Studies - preparing a shopping list involves budgeting which is a component of Business Studies

#### Assessment Rubric

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>
			Expectations	
Ability to identify	Exceptionally identifies	Identifies ways of	Identifies some ways	Attempts to identify
ways of grouping	ways of grouping items	grouping items in	of grouping items in	ways of grouping items
items in packing and	in packing and shopping	packing and	packing and shopping	in packing and shopping
shopping lists.	lists	shopping lists.	lists	lists
Ability to write a	Uniquely writes a	Writes a packing list	Roughly writes a	Writes a packing list for
packing list for a	detailed packing list for	for a specified event	packing list for a	a specified event with
specified event	a specified event		specified event.	difficulty
Ability to prepare a	Prepares a strikingly	Prepares a shopping	Prepares a shopping	Prepares a shopping list
shopping list for use	detailed shopping list	list for use in a given	list for use in a given	for use in a given context
in a given context	for use in a given	context	context with a lot of	with a lot of difficulty
	context		effort	



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Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
11.1 Listening and Speaking	11.1.1 Interviews (1 lesson)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify reasons for sitting an interview, b) articulate points clearly and confidently during an oral interview, c) respond confidently to questions during an interview, d) Seek clarification during an oral presentation, e) appreciate the importance of interviews in getting school placement and scholarships.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to and review an audio clip on school placement and scholarship interviews</li> <li>discuss in groups reasons for sitting for a placement and scholarship interview,</li> <li>search online and watch video clips on school placement and scholarship interview</li> <li>role-play in small groups the school placement and scholarship interview, record and share them via mobile phones and other social media channels</li> <li>conduct mock interviews in pairs or small groups,</li> <li>record the interviews on digital devices</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why are interviews important?</li> <li>Why should one articulate point clearly and confidently during an interview?</li> <li>How can one seek clarification during an interview?</li> <li>What are the ways in which you can prepare for an interview?</li> </ol>

	share the videos with friends and
	peers on social media platforms,
	blogs among others.

- Communication and collaboration **are** enhanced as learners discuss in groups reasons for sitting for a placement and scholarship interview.
- Digital Literacy **is** enhanced as learners search online and watch video clips on school placement and scholarship interviews.
- Self-efficacy is enhanced as learners organise and lead the open forum where the functional reading is conducted.

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

Peace Education is developed through discussion in groups and working in pairs.

#### Values:

- Social responsibility is achieved through role play and discussion.
- Respect **is** enhanced as the learners collaborate in groups.

# Link to other subjects:

• Listening to respond is an integral component in the study of Kiswahili, French, German and Indigenous languages

Indicators	Exceeds	Meets	Approaches	<b>Below Expectations</b>
	Expectations	Expectations	Expectations	
Ability to state	Sharply states	States reasons for	States some reasons	With support from
reasons for sitting for	reasons for sitting for	sitting for school	for sitting for school	others states some
school placement and	school placement and	placement and	placement and	reasons for sitting for
scholarship	scholarship	scholarship	scholarship	school placement and
interviews.	interviews.	interviews.	interviews.	scholarship interviews.
Ability to articulate	Eagerly articulates	Articulates points	Articulates some	Articulates some points
points clearly during	points clearly and	clearly during an	points clearly during	clearly during an oral
an oral interview.	confidently during an	oral interview,	an oral interview,	interview with the
	oral interview.			assistance of peers
Ability to respond to	Responds	Responds to	Responds to some	Responds to some
questions during an	passionately to	questions during an	questions during an	questions during an
interview.	questions during an	interview.	interview.	interview with the
	interview.			assistance of peers.
Ability to seek	Impressively seeks	Seeks clarification	Seeks clarification on	Seeks clarification on
clarification during	clarification on all	on all issues during	some issues during an	some issues during an
an oral presentation,	issues during an oral	an oral	oral presentation.	oral presentation but
	presentation.	presentation.		with a lot of difficulty.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
11.2 Reading	11.2.1 Extensive Reading: Non-Fiction materials (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify print or electronic non-fiction materials that are interesting to read, b) read a variety of gradeappropriate non-fiction materials independently for lifelong learning, c) recommend to peers suitable non-fiction materials to read for information, d) acknowledge the importance of reading for enjoyment and general understanding.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search for digital and print non-fiction materials,</li> <li>read a variety of non-fiction materials,</li> <li>infer the meaning of the new words and phrases used in non-fiction materials,</li> <li>skim through the non-fiction material for the main idea,</li> <li>scan the non-fiction material to obtain specific information,</li> <li>prepare a reading log of the reading activities of the non-fiction texts.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What kind of stories contribute to behaviour change?</li> <li>Why should we read nonfiction materials?</li> </ol>

- Self-efficacy is strengthened as learners read a variety of non-fiction material to inculcate a reading culture.
- Learning to learn is instilled as learners search for digital and print non-fiction materials using electronic gadgets.

• Life skills, especially self-awareness is developed through the learner's own choice of non-fiction materials to interact with.

### Values:

• Responsibility is honed as learners make informed choices by recommending to peers suitable non-fiction materials to read.

### Link to other subjects:

• Extensive reading is a skill learners require as they research across the subjects.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Prompt in identifying	Identifies reading	Identifies some	Identifies reading
print and electronic	reading materials of	materials of interest.	reading material of	materials of interest
materials that are	interest.		interest with	with assistance.
interesting to read.			difficulty.	
Ability to infer the	Infers the meaning of	Infers the meaning of	Infers the meaning of	Infers the meaning of
meaning of new	all the new words and	the new words and	a few new words and	the new words and
words and phrases	phrases used in the	phrases used in the	phrases used in the	phrases used in the
used in the non-	non-fiction material	non-fiction material.	non-fiction material.	non-fiction material
fiction materials.	effectively using all			with the support of
	context clues.			others.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
11.3 Grammar in Use	11.3.1 Word Classes 11.3.2 Adjective Formed from Nouns 11.3.3. Adjectives Formed from Verbs  (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) recognise adjectives from a text b) construct simple sentences using the adjectives formed c) appreciate the value of proper use of adjectives.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search for online tutorials on adjectives and examples of adjectives formed from nouns and verbs,</li> <li>listen to a poem or passage from the teacher and pick out adjectives formed from nouns and verbs,</li> <li>read a given passage and, in pairs, identify adjectives formed from nouns and verbs,</li> <li>form adjectives using nouns and verbs</li> <li>construct simple sentences using the adjectives formed in pairs,</li> <li>in groups, engage in language games such as scrabble, puzzle code words, and guessing games.</li> </ul>	1. How are adjectives formed? 2. Why should we use adjectives correctly?

- Communication and collaboration is developed as learners work in pairs and groups to interact with others and share ideas.
- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners search and watch online tutorials on adjectives to develop their interest in the theme.

• Citizenship is inculcated as learners engage in the formation of adjectives and the construction of sentences in pairs and groups.

#### Values:

• Love is instilled through collaboration in pairs and groups

## Link to other subjects:

• Adjectives are learnt in Kiswahili, German, French and indigenous languages

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to recognise adjectives from a text	Aptly recognises the adjectives in a passage	Recognises adjectives in a passage	Recognises some adjectives in a passage	Recognises a few adjectives in a passage with the support of the teacher and peers
Ability to construct simple sentences using the adjectives formed	Impeccably constructs many simple sentences using adjectives formed	Constructs simple sentences using the adjectives formed	Constructs some simple sentences using the adjectives formed	Constructs a few simple sentences using the adjectives formed with assistance.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
11.4 Reading	114.1 Intensive reading: 11.4. 2 Dilemma Narratives  (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) describe the characters in a given dilemma narrative, b) recognise a closing formula as a feature of dilemma narratives, c) relate the lessons learnt in the dilemma narrative to real life experiences, d) appreciate the lessons learnt from the dilemma narrative for literary appreciation.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read the dilemma narrative in a given text and describe the characters,</li> <li>identify a closing formula as a feature of dilemma narratives,</li> <li>in groups, discuss what makes dilemma narratives interesting,</li> <li>dramatise parts of the dilemma narrative in small groups,</li> <li>draw a chart showing the sequence of events in the dilemma narrative,</li> <li>search online and watch an adaptation of a dilemma narrative,</li> <li>relate the lessons learnt from the dilemma narrative to real life experiences in groups.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What is the importance of dilemma narratives in society?</li> <li>What are the qualities of a good narrator?</li> <li>How can narratives contribute to decision making?</li> </ol>

• Creativity and imagination is engrained as learners relate the lessons learnt to real life experiences and give them the ability to recreate the environment.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Life skills is enhanced as learners describe and relate the characters to real life situations in groups.

#### **Values**

• Respect is enhanced as learners carry out group discussions.

### Link to other subjects:

• Performing Arts and Kiswahili emphasise creativity through narratives.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to describe	Elaborately describe	Describes the	Describes some	Describes characters
the characters in the	the character in	characters in	characters in	in dilemma narratives
Dilemma Narrative	dilemma narratives	dilemma narratives	dilemma narratives	with the help of peers
Ability to relate the	Graphically relates	Relates the lessons	Relates, with some	Relates the lessons
lessons learnt in the	the lessons learnt in	learnt in the dilemma	effort, the lessons	learnt in the dilemma
dilemma narrative to	the dilemma narrative	narrative to real life	learnt in the dilemma	narrative to real life
real life experiences.	to real life	experiences.	narrative to real life	experiences with
-	experiences.		experiences.	assistance from the
				teacher and peers.
Ability to recognise a	Instantly recognises a	Recognises a closing	Recognises a closing	Recognises a closing
closing formula as a	closing formula as a	formula as a feature	formula as a feature	formula as a feature
feature of dilemma	feature of dilemma	of dilemma	of dilemma narratives	of dilemma narrative
narratives.	narratives.	narratives.	with some	with the help of the
			difficulties.	peers.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
11.5 Writing	11.5.1 Spelling antonyms, synonyms, and numbers (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to:  • recognise antonyms, synonyms, and numbers in words from a selected text,  • use antonyms, synonyms, and numbers in words correctly in writing,  • appreciate the usage of antonyms, synonyms, and numbers in words in effective writing.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read a text with antonyms, synonyms, and numbers in words from print and non-print sources,</li> <li>identify the antonyms, synonyms, and numbers in words from a selected text</li> <li>listen to a dictation of a text with antonyms and synonmys, and write them down,</li> <li>Search for antonyms and synonyms from books in groups, newspapers and the internet, and compile a list,</li> <li>write a list of antonyms and synonyms and synonyms and, in pairs, exchange for assessment.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to tell the synonyms and antonyms of words?</li> <li>Which words with similar meanings do you know?</li> <li>Why is it important to write numbers in words?</li> </ol>

- Digital literacy is developed as learners search for more antonyms and synonyms from books, newspapers, and the internet to boost their ability to use digital devices.
- Communication and collaboration is enhanced as learners generate a list of antonyms and synonyms in groups as they interact with peers and share ideas.

• Effective communication is improved as learners use antonyms, synonyms, and figures in words correctly in writing.

### Values:

• Unity is cultivated as learners search for more examples of antonyms and synonyms in groups.

## Link to other subjects

• Antonyms, synonyms, and writing of numbers in words are taught in Kiswahili, Sciences, Mathematics, and other languages.

### **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to recognise	Recognises the	Recognises	Recognises a few	Recognises antonyms,
antonyms, synonyms,	antonyms, synonyms,	antonyms, synonyms,	antonyms,	synonyms, and
and figures in words	and numbers in	and numbers in	synonyms, and	numbers in words from
from a selected text.	words from a	words from a selected	numbers in words	a selected text with the
	selected text with	text.	from a selected	guidance of the teacher
	ease.		text.	and peers.
Ability to use	Correctly uses	Uses antonyms,	Strains when using	Uses antonyms,
antonyms, synonyms,	antonyms, synonyms,	synonyms, and	antonyms,	synonyms, and
and numbers in	and numbers in	numbers in words	synonyms, and	numbers in words but
words correctly.	words effortlessly.	correctly.	numbers in words	with the guidance of
			correctly.	the teacher



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Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
12.1 Listening and Speaking	12.1.1 Listening to Respond: Views/ Opinions  (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) list ways of expressing views/opinions in different contexts, b) use different expressions that indicate own views/opinions in a given text, c) acknowledge the value of one's views/opinions as a lifelong skill in communication.	The learner is guided to:  • search online and offline for the different ways of expressing views/opinions,  • listen to an oral narrative and identify the different ways used to express opinions/views,  • in groups, role play the different characters in the narrative and bring out different ways of expressing opinions/views,  • explain their feelings towards issues raised in the trickster narrative,  • write on a chart the words they have used to describe their feelings.	<ol> <li>How are opinions expressed?</li> <li>Why is it important to express one's opinion?</li> <li>How can expressing opinions/views affect relationships'</li> </ol>

- Learning to learn is achieved as learners discuss various views/opinions.
- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners interact using technology when searching online and listening to an oral narrative from digital gadgets.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Effective communication is enriched as learners explore and express their views/opinions on different subjects.

#### Values:

- Respect is enhanced as learners express opinions during group activities.
- Unity is inculcated as learners engage in group work.

### Link to other subjects:

Views or opinions are important in subjects like Religious Education, Life Skills Education, and Music

### **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to list ways of	Lists very many ways	Lists ways of	Lists some ways of	Can barely list ways
expressing	of expressing	expressing	expressing	of expressing
views/opinions in	views/opinions in	views/opinions in	views/opinions in	views/opinions in
different contexts.	different contexts.	different contexts.	different contexts.	different contexts.
Ability to use	Uniquely uses	Uses different	Uses different	Uses different
different expressions	different expressions	expressions that	expressions that	expressions that
that indicate own	that indicate own	indicate own views in	indicate own views in	indicate own views in
views in a given text.	views in a given text	a given text.	a given text on some	a given text with
	with ease.		occasions.	difficulty.



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Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question (s)
12.2	12.2.1 Intensive	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. Why should we
Reading	Reading-	strand, the learner should	<ul> <li>download and share texts</li> </ul>	recreate
	Comprehension	be able to:	with mental images from the	characters,
		a) Identify the main	texts and draw conclusions,	places, and
		ideas in a text,	• read a passage individually,	events in our
	(2 Lessons)	b) use contextual clues	and identify keywords in the	minds?
		to infer the meaning	passage,	2. How can we tell
		of words in a text,	• infer the meaning of words	the meaning of
		c) describe characters,	using contextual clues,	words and
		ideas, or events in a	• choose descriptive parts of	phrases in a
		text,	the passage on traditional	text?
		d) summarise	fashion and share the vivid	
		information from a	images created in their mind,	
		short text,	• in groups, role-play the	
		e) appreciate the	characters and events in the	
		importance of reading	text,	
		comprehension in	<ul> <li>use contextual clues to</li> </ul>	
		lifelong learning.	decipher the meaning of	
			words,	
			<ul> <li>answer questions based on</li> </ul>	
			the passage	
			• give an appropriate title to a	
			story or passage.	

- Critical thinking is enhanced as learners visualise characters, events, and places.
- Imagination is developed as learners gain new perspectives as they use contextual clues to infer the meanings of words.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Self-awareness is instilled as learners visualise pictures of ideas or events in a text.

### Values:

• Responsibility is reinforced as learners help each other to role-play characters, events and answer questions.

### Link to other subjects:

• Making inferences and visualising are important skills in Mathematics, Sciences, and Performing Arts

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Discernibly identifies	Identifies the main	Identifies the main	Identifies the main
main ideas in a text.	ideas in a text.	ideas in a text.	ideas in a text.	ideas in a text with
			Intermittently.	assistance.
Ability to use	Uses contextual clues	Uses contextual	Uses contextual clues	Uses contextual clues
contextual clues to	to infer the meaning	clues to infer the	to infer the meaning	to infer the meaning
infer the meaning	of very many words	meaning of words	of a few words in a	of few words in a
of words in a text.	in a text with ease.	in a text.	text.	text.
Ability to describe	Describes characters,	Describes	Describes a few	Finds it difficult to
characters, events,	events, and places in	characters, events,	characters, events,	describe characters,
and places in the	the text graphically.	and places in the	and places in the text.	events, and places in
text.		text.		the text.



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
12.3 Grammar in Use	12.3.1 Phrasal Verbs (2 Lesson)	Outcomes  By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to:  a) identify phrasal verbs formed from put, come and give in a given text,  b) use given phrasal verbs correctly in sentence construction,  c) acknowledge the role	The learner is guided to:  • read a text and identify the phrasal verbs formed from <i>put</i> , <i>come</i> and <i>give</i>	Question (s)  1. How are phrasal verbs formed?  2. What meanings are expressed through phrasal verbs?  3. Why should we use Phrasal Verbs
		of phrasal verbs in communication.	<ul><li>examples of phrasal verbs,</li><li>construct sentences using the phrasal verbs in pairs.</li></ul>	correctly?

- Communication and collaboration are strengthened when learners speak clearly as they interact to enhance their knowledge of phrasal verbs.
- Self-efficacy is developed as learners identify and state what they find difficult to do and why.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Effective communication is improved when learners refine their ability to communicate by using phrasal verbs correctly.

### Values:

• Cohesion is achieved as learners work in groups to foster unity.

### Link to other subjects:

• Phrasal Verbs are learnt in all Languages.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies very many	Identifies many	Identifies some	Identifies Phrasal
Phrasal Verbs formed	Phrasal Verbs formed	Phrasal Verbs formed	Phrasal Verbs formed	Verbs formed from
from put, come and	from put, come and	from put, come and	from put, come and	put, come and give in
give in a given text.	give in a given text.	give in a given text.	give in a given text.	a given text with help
				from others.
Ability to use given	Uses the given	Uses the given	Uses some of the	Uses the given
phrasal verbs in	phrasal verbs	phrasal verbs	given phrasal verbs	phrasal verbs
sentence construction	correctly in sentence	correctly in sentence	correctly in sentence	correctly in sentence
correctly.	construction and with	construction.	construction.	construction with
-	precision.			difficulty.

Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry	
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)	
12.4	12.4.1 Class	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. Why do people	
Reading	Reader: Main Ideas  (2 Lessons)	strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the main ideas in the section read in the text, b) discuss the lessons learnt from the text c) relate the lessons learnt to real life experiences d) appreciate the role of literature in fostering critical thinking.	<ul> <li>read a section of the text aloud in turns and dramatise the events</li> <li>discuss the main ideas in the sections read in the text in groups</li> <li>relate the lessons learnt from the section read to real life experiences in groups</li> <li>draw a chart showing the sequence of the main events in the section read</li> <li>search online and watch an adapted dramatisation of the section read.</li> </ul>	read storybooks?  2. What is the importance of reading a short story?	

### **Core Competencies:**

- Self-Efficacy is strengthened since learners' self-awareness is improved as they acquire literary analysis skills.
- Creativity and Imagination is developed as learners undertake group discussions and role-play to enhance creativity.
- Critical thinking and problem solving is developed as learners relate the lessons learnt from the section read to real life experiences.

- Pertinent Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

   Self-awareness is enhanced as learners relate the story to real life experiences.
- Social cohesion is cultivated as learners work in groups thus creating a sense of oneness.

#### Values:

- Peaceful coexistence is nurtured as learners discuss in groups.
- Love is reinforced as learners work in groups.

### Link to other subjects:

Reading and analysis of class readers is done in all Language subjects and Performing Arts.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Aptly identifies main	Identifies main ideas	Identifies some of the	Occasionally
main ideas in the	ideas in the sections	in the sections read	main ideas in the	identifies some of the
sections read in the	read in the text	in the text	sections read in the	ideas in the sections
text			text	read in the text
Ability to discuss the	Discusses in details	Discusses the lessons	Discusses some	Struggles to discuss
lessons learnt from	the lessons learnt	learnt from the text	lessons learnt from	the lessons learnt
the text	from the text		the text	from the text
Ability to relate the	Relates, with detailed	Relates the lessons	Partially relates the	Relates the lessons
lessons learnt to real	illustrations, all the	learnt to real life	lessons learnt to real	learnt to real life
life experiences	lessons learnt to real	experiences	life experiences	experiences with
	life experiences			difficulty



Strand Su	ub strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	<b>Key Inquiry</b>
		Outcomes		Question (s)
12.5	2.5.1 The	By the end of the sub	The learner is guided to:	1. What is the
Writing   wr	riting	strand, the learner should	• search online and offline for an example	difference
Pr	rocess:	be able to:	of a dialogue	between a
Di	ialogues	a) outline the format of a	<ul> <li>dramatise the identified dialogue</li> </ul>	dialogue and
	2 Lessons)	dialogue b) apply the writing process in writing a dialogue c) acknowledge the importance of the writing process in acquiring good writing skills.	<ul> <li>in groups, discuss the format of the dialogue they have identified</li> </ul>	a narrative composition?  2. What should we consider before writing a dialogue?

• Communication and collaboration is developed when learners write clearly and in an organised manner, as they work together to acquire skills in good writing for effective communication.

# Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Effective communication is enhanced as learners communicate effectively through writing.

#### Values:

- Responsibilty is instilled as learners learn how to dress decently and respectfully.
- Unity is achieved as learners work together to generate ideas for writing tasks.

### Link to other subjects:

 Social Studies, Religious Education, and Home Science emphasise appropriate modes of dressing in different contexts.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to outline	Outlines the format of	Outlines the format	Outlines the format of a	Outlines the format
the format of a	a dialogue with	of a dialogue.	dialogue with assistance.	of a dialogue with
dialogue.	stunning clarity.			difficulty.
Ability to apply	Applies the writing	Applies the writing	Applies the writing	Has difficulty
the writing process	process in writing a	process in writing a	process in writing a	applying the writing
in writing a	dialogue with	dialogue.	dialogue with the help of	process in writing a
dialogue.	pleasant zeal.		peers.	dialogue.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
13.1Listening and Speaking	13.1.1 Listening Comprehension: Extensive Listening (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the key issues raised in songs addressing land travel, b) listen attentively to songs on land travel, c) use vocabulary identified from songs on land travel correctly, d) Acknowledge the importance of extensive listening in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to songs on local and international land travel from audio recordings,</li> <li>respond to comprehension questions on key issues raised in the song,</li> <li>pick out key issues raised from a song sung by the teacher or resource person on land travel,</li> <li>share ideas on the key issues addressed in the songs they have listened to using wall charts,</li> <li>identify vocabulary used in songs on land travel and infer their meaning from context,</li> <li>construct sentences orally using the vocabulary learnt,</li> <li>sing choral songs on land</li> </ul>	1. How can we tell the main message in a song? 2. How can we draw meanings from the words used in a song? 3. How are songs made interesting?

- Digital Literacy is enhanced when learners manipulate digital tools as they listen to songs from audio recordings and respond to them.
- Learning to Learn is cultivated as learners build on their own knowledge.

### Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)

• Effective communication is strengthened as learners learn to listen attentively and critically.

#### Values:

• Patriotism is reinforced as learners listen to information on local land travel.

### Links to other subjects:

• All subjects require listening skills

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
Ability to identify the	Identifies the key issues	Identifies the key	Identifies some key	Makes an attempt to
key issues raised in	raised in songs	issues raised in songs	issues raised in songs	identify key issues
songs addressing land	addressing land travel	addressing land travel.	addressing land travel.	raised in songs
travel.	strikingly.			addressing land travel.
Ability to respond to	Responds to	Responds to	Responds to some	Has difficulty in
comprehension	comprehension	comprehension	comprehension	responding to
questions from songs	questions from songs on	questions from songs	questions on songs on	comprehension
on land travel.	land travel with	on land travel.	land travel.	questions from songs on
	conviction.			land travel.
Ability to use	Keenly and correctly	Uses vocabulary	Uses some vocabulary	Barely uses vocabulary
vocabulary identified	uses vocabulary	identified from songs	identified from songs	identified from songs
from songs correctly.	identified from songs.	correctly.	correctly.	correctly.



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
13.2 Reading	13.2.1 Intensive Reading: Comprehension Strategies (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify key ideas from a passage, b) summarise key ideas from a passage, c) create mental images from the events in a passage, d) deduce the meaning of words from context, e) respond to factual and inferential questions correctly from the passage f) acknowledge the importance of comprehension strategies in effective reading.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read selected grade-appropriate passages on issues related to land travel, such as safety and security from print and online sources,</li> <li>discuss opinions formed about the characters or ideas presented in the passage,</li> <li>infer the meaning of words based on how they have been used in the passage</li> <li>complete oral and written exercises using the vocabulary learnt,</li> <li>answer factual and inferential questions from the passages, both orally and in writing,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How do you get the meaning of words from a passage?</li> <li>What is the importance of reading a passage?</li> <li>What makes people write passages?</li> </ol>

<ul> <li>summarise key ideas presented in the passages by paraphrasing,</li> <li>retell sections of the</li> </ul>
passage in groups.

### **Core competencies developed:**

- Critical thinking is cultivated when learners demonstrate that they can follow simple instructions to complete tasks.
- Problem solving **is** cultivated as learners find required information when discussing opinions formed about the characters or ideas presented in the passage.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Safety and security is reinforced as learners read and respond to texts on safe and secure land travel.

#### Values:

 Love is cultivated as learners acquire information on land travel and retell sections of the passage in pairs or groups.

### Link to other subjects:

Physical and Health Education also addresses issues of safety.

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectation</b>	Approaches Expectation	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify and summarise key ideas from a passage	Identifies and summarises key ideas from a passage appealingly and with a lot of clarity	Identifies and summarises most key ideas from a passage	Identifies and summarises some key ideas from a passage	Identifies and summarises a few key ideas from a passage
Ability to deduce the meaning of words from context.	Evidently deduces the meaning of words from context	Deduces the meaning of words from context	Deduces the meaning of some words from context	Struggles to deduce the meaning of words from context

Strand	<b>Sub Strand</b>	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	<b>Key Inquiry</b>
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)
13.3 Grammar in Use	13.3.1 Sentences: Simple Sentences (2 lessons)	1	88	Question(s)  1. What is the role of sentences in a text?

• Communication and collaboration are improved as learners speak clearly and effectively by making points in a logical order.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

Environmental Education is achieved as learners discuss tourist attraction sites.

#### Values:

• Responsibility is enhanced as learners write a short dialogue using simple sentences and share it with peers online and offline.

### Link to other subjects:

• Land travel is taught in Social Studies

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify simple sentences from varied texts	Identifies simple sentences from varied texts promptly	Identifies all simple sentences from varied texts	Identifies some simple sentences from varied texts	Finds it difficult to identify simple sentences from varied
				texts
Ability to construct simple sentences on a	Constructs a range of simple sentences on a	Constructs simple sentences on a variety	constructs some simple sentences on a	Needs support to construct simple
variety of issues	variety of issues	of issues correctly	variety of issues correctly	sentences on a variety of issues



Strand	Sub strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
13.4 Reading	13.4.1 Oral Literature: Praise Songs (2 lessons)	strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the purpose and occasions for which praise songs are performed, b) discuss the relationship between the singer and the person being praised in praise songs, c) perform praise songs sung in their immediate environment d) collaborate with peers in performing the praise songs, e) appreciate the purpose of praise songs in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>listen to praise songs from audio-visual sources or from a resource person,</li> <li>identify and discuss the purpose of the praise songs they have listened to,</li> <li>share ideas on the relationship between the singer and the person been praised in the praise songs they have listened to,</li> <li>identify a praise song sang in their immediate environment in groups,</li> <li>present praise songs in groups to the class and share experiences,</li> <li>discuss the character traits of the singer(s) as brought out in the praise song(s).</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why do we sing?</li> <li>What kind of people are praised in songs?</li> <li>How do songs portray people's character?</li> <li>What are the qualities of a good singer?</li> </ol>

- Self-efficacy is strengthened as learners share experiences as they discuss what they found difficult in praise songs.
- Creativity and imagination are enhanced as learners gain new perspectives on how to perform praise songs.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Life skills are inculcated as learners identify and perform praise songs sung in their immediate environment.

#### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners perform praise songs in groups and respect each other's roles.

### Link to other subjects:

- Performing arts: songs are one of the genres performed in this subject.
- Indigenous Languages: songs are part and parcel of indigenous knowledge.

Assessment Rubric					
Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>	
Ability to identify	Exuberantly identifies	Identifies the	Identifies the purpose	Identifies the purpose	
the purpose and	the purpose and	purpose and	and occasion for praise	and occasion for praise	
occasion for praise	occasion for praise	occasion for praise	songs in different	songs in different	
songs in different	songs in different	songs in different	contexts with some	contexts with	
contexts.	contexts.	contexts.	effort.	assistance.	
Ability to discuss	Discusses the	Discusses the	Discusses some aspects	Discusses with suppor	
the relationship	relationship between	relationship	of the relationship	aspects of the	
between the singer	the singer and the	between the singer	between the singer and	relationship between	
and the person	person being praised	and the person	the person being praised	the singer and the	
being praised in	in praise songs	being praised in	in praise songs.	person being praised in	
praise songs.	earnestly.	praise songs.		praise songs,	
Ability to Perform	Performs praise songs	Performs praise	Makes some effort to	Attempts to perform	
praise songs sang	sang in their	songs sang in their	perform praise songs	praise songs sang in	
in their immediate	immediate	immediate	sang in their immediate	their immediate	
environment.	environment excitedly	environment.	environment.	environment, even wit	
	and confidently.			assistance.	

Strand Sub stra	nd Specific Learning Outcomes		
13.5 Writing  13.5.1 Creative Writing Narratic Compose (2 lesson	should be able to: a) explain the meaning of specified idioms	<ul> <li>brainstorm on the reason creative writers use idiomatic expressions in writing,</li> <li>explain situations that call for the use of the following idiomatic expressions: <ul> <li>biting off more than you can chew</li> <li>own up to something</li> <li>having a lot on your plate</li> <li>call it a day</li> <li>piece of cake</li> <li>hold your tongue</li> </ul> </li> <li>confirm the meaning of the idiomatic expressions from print and online dictionaries,</li> <li>practise using the idiomatic expressions in sentences,</li> <li>plan a narrative composition in groups, incorporating the specified idiomatic expression on the theme of land travel,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What makes a story memorable?</li> <li>What is the importance of using idioms in communication?</li> </ol>

	<ul> <li>write a narrative composition individually</li> <li>Peer review each other's work and revise as per the suggestions given.</li> </ul>
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- Problem Solving **is** boosted when learners seek advice to help solve the problem as peers review each other's work and revise as per the suggestions given
- Digital literacy is enhanced when learners use digital devices to effectively accomplish their own tasks by confirming the meaning of the idiomatic expressions from online dictionaries.
- Creativity and imagination are developed as learners undertake to watch how people do things and write about it.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Effective communication is enriched when learners engage in the creative writing process.

#### Values:

• Integrity is enhanced as learners discuss and use the idiomatic expressions in writing.

### Link to other subjects:

- Narrative writing is a skill in all languages.
- Performing Arts Composing plays, poems, and narratives for performance require creative writing skills.

Assessment Rubric						
Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations		
Ability to explain the meaning of idiomatic expressions in context.	Explains the meaning of all idiomatic expressions in context and with ease.	Explains the meaning of most idiomatic expressions in context.	Explains the meaning of some idiomatic expressions in context.	Explains the meaning of a few idiomatic expressions in contex with assistance.		
Ability to create well written narrative compositions using the specified idiomatic expressions.	Exceptionally creates well written narrative compositions using the specified idiomatic expressions.	Creates well written narrative compositions using the specified idiomatic expressions.	Creates well written narrative compositions using the specified idiomatic expressions with assistance.	Struggles to create narrative compositions using the specified idiomatic expressions even with assistance.		

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes	Experiences	Question(s)
14.1 Listening	14.1.1Pronunciation: Consonant Sounds and Intonation (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify words with the sounds /v/, /f/, /n/ and /ŋ/ from a text, b) pronounce words with the sounds /v/, /f/, /n/ and /ŋ/ in sentences, c) use correct intonation for yes/no and whquestions in varied contexts, d) appreciate the importance of correct pronunciation and intonation in a conversation.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search from print and non-print sources for tongue twisters with some of the target sounds and say them for enjoyment,</li> <li>watch a video or listen to a recording or conversation on outdoor games and group the words in a table according to the following target sounds: v/as in very; /f/ as in ferry /n/ as in been an /ŋ/ as in being,</li> <li>listen to, and model native speaker clips with the target sounds in words,</li> <li>practise, in groups, the pronunciation of words with the target sounds and record themselves,</li> <li>share the clips for peer review,</li> </ul>	1. Why should people pronounce words correctly? 2. How can one learn to pronounce words correctly? 3. What kind of questions require Yes or No as an answer?

		<ul> <li>listen to an audio or a dramatised conversation on outdoor games in which Yes/No and WH- questions are used and point out whether a rising or falling intonation is used,</li> <li>practise articulation of Yes/No and WH- questions with the appropriate intonation in dialogues,</li> <li>write, dramatise and record a dialogue using words with the target sounds as well as Yes/No and WH- questions and share with peers for review.</li> </ul>
0 0		share with peers for review.

- Digital literacy is enhanced as learners use digital tools to record themselves and share dramatised dialogues.
- Self-efficacy is developed as learners document their successes when writing and dramatising the conversations.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Health Education – Body fitness is enhanced as learners listen to dramatised conversations on outdoor games.

#### Values:

- Peace is achieved as learners discuss proper pronunciation and accommodate those who cannot pronounce well due to mother tongue or other influences.
- Respect is enhanced as learners learn to ask and answer yes/no and which questions politely.



### Link to other subjects:

- Kiswahili, French, German, Indigenous Languages, and Arabic require skills in pronunciation and questioning
- Physical Health Education, to which the theme of outdoor sports is related

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Identifies very many	Identifies words with	Identifies some of the	Identifies some of the
words with the	of words with the	the sounds /v/, /f/, /n/	words with the sounds	words with the sounds
sounds /v/, /f/, /n/ and	sounds /v/, /f/, /n/ and	and /ŋ/ from a text.	$//v/$ , $/f/$ , $/n/$ and $/\eta/$	/v/, $/f/$ , $/n/$ and $/n/$
/ŋ/ from a text.	/ŋ/ from a text.		from a text.	from a text with
				difficulty.
Ability to pronounce	Impressively	Pronounces words	Sometimes	Attempts to
words with the	pronounces words	with the sounds /v/,	pronounces words	pronounce words
sounds /v/, /f/, /n/ and	with the sounds /v/,	f/, $n/$ and $n/$ in	with the sounds /v/,	with the sounds /v/,
/ŋ/ in sentences.	/f/, $/n/$ and $/n/$ in	sentences correctly.	/f/, $/n/$ and $/g/$ in	/f/, $/n/$ and $/n/$ in
	sentences correctly.		sentences correctly.	sentences.
Using correct	Prominently uses	Uses correct	Uses correct	Finds it difficult to
intonation for Yes/No	correct intonation for	intonation for Yes/No	intonation for Yes/No	use correct intonation
and WH- questions in	Yes/No and WH-	and WH- questions in	and WH- questions in	for Yes/No and WH-
varied contexts.	questions in varied	varied contexts.	some contexts.	questions.
	contexts.			

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
14.2 Reading	14.2.1 Study Skills: Summarising (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the main ideas in texts, b) write a summary of ideas from varied texts, c) appreciate the importance of summarising information in a given context.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>brainstorm on the steps to follow when writing a summary of a text,</li> <li>in pairs, read a print or non-print text on varied issues, including outdoor games, and underline the main ideas,</li> <li>make notes from the underlined sentences and use them to make a rough draft,</li> <li>use the rough draft to make a fair copy,</li> <li>share the summaries through charts for peer review,</li> <li>check and make corrections on the written summarised pieces in groups,</li> <li>discuss in pairs the purpose of making summaries.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How do we identify the main ideas from a text?</li> <li>Why is it important to summarise information?</li> <li>What factors should one consider when summarising an event?</li> <li>In which activities or jobs can summarising be useful?</li> </ol>

• Learning to learn Developed as learners summarise excerpts as well as make presentations for peer review.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Life Skills Education is enhanced as learners make decisions when selecting which content to pick or leave out in summary writing.

#### Values:

• Responsibility is enhanced as learners underline the main ideas in the text that they are assigned.

### Link to other subjects:

• Social Studies, Religious Education, and Agriculture – summary as a skill is essential as learners are exposed to huge chunks of content that might require summarising from time to time

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify the	Distinctly identifies	Identifies the main	Identifies some of the	Identifies some of the
main ideas in texts.	the main ideas in	ideas in texts.	main ideas in texts	main ideas in texts
	texts.		tiresomely.	with assistance.
Ability to write a	Convincingly writes a	Writes a summary of	Writes a summary of	With difficulty writes
summary of ideas	summary of ideas	ideas from varied	ideas from varied	a summary of ideas
from varied texts.	from varied texts.	texts.	texts laboriously.	from varied texts.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	<b>Suggested Learning Experiences</b>	Key Inquiry Question(s)
14.3 Grammar in Use	14.3.1 Sentences: Subject- Verb Agreement (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the subject and the verb in sentences, b) construct sentences ensuring subject-verb agreement, c) affirm the importance of subject-verb agreement in sentences.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>read texts on varied topics such as outdoor games and identify the subject and verbs in the sentences</li> <li>brainstorm and make short notes on the relationship between a subject and a verb in a sentence in terms of number and person</li> <li>read sentences and label subject-verb agreement in them,</li> <li>make sentences based on outdoor sports in which the rule of subject-verb agreement has been applied,</li> <li>share the sentences in charts for peer review.</li> </ul>	1. What is a subject in a sentence? 2. Which rule should we follow when constructing a sentence? 3. What is the difference between the first, second, and third persons?

• Self-efficacy is developed as learners ensure subject-verb agreement when constructing sentences.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Life Skills Education - Problem solving is achieved as learners come up with sentences in which subject-verb agreement has been correctly used. This helps sort out communication hitches.

#### Values:

• Integrity is enhanced **as** learners openly share ideas of agreement.

### Link to other subjects:

- All language subjects embrace subject-verb agreement
- Sports and Physical Education Learners make sentences based on the theme of outdoor sports and games.

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	<b>Meets Expectations</b>	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Sharply and promptly	Identifies subjects	Identifies subjects and	Struggles to identify
subjects and verbs in	identifies subjects and	and verbs in	verbs in sentences in	subjects and verbs in
sentences.	verbs in sentences.	sentences.	some instances.	sentences.
Ability to construct	Imaginatively	Constructs sentences	Sometimes constructs	Constructs sentences
sentences ensuring	constructs sentences	ensuring subject-	sentences with	with subject-verb
subject-verb	ensuring subject-verb	verb agreement.	subject-verb	agreement with help
agreement.	agreement.		agreement.	from others.



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry
		Outcomes		Question(s)
14.4 Reading	14.4.1 Class reader: Features of style	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify instances of dialogue, similes, and metaphors in the text,	The learner is guided to:  • search online and offline for examples of <i>dialogue</i> , <i>similes</i> , and metaphors in stories and them with the rest of the class,	1. Which stylistic features have you come across in different texts?
	(2 Lessons)	b) use the styles of dialogue, similes, and metaphors in guided contexts, c) appreciate the importance of style in a work of art.	<ul> <li>in pairs, read the class reader and identify with illustrations instances of dialogue, similes, and metaphors in the text, and display their work on the class notice boards,</li> <li>in groups, role-play selected dialogues from the class reader and record themselves for video sharing and review,</li> <li>make sentences using the similes and metaphors identified from the text,</li> <li>discuss instances in real life where dialogues, similes, and metaphors can be used.</li> </ul>	<ul><li>2. How can we convey a message more effectively?</li><li>3. Why do we use similes and metaphors?</li></ul>

- Self-efficacy is developed as learners hold a discussion on instances in real life where dialogues, similes, and metaphors can be used, thereby enhancing their literary skills.
- Learning to learn is achieved as learners record and share videos.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Critical thinking is achieved as learners relate the features of styles to real life.

#### Values:

• Respect is enhanced as learners help each other during role-play of selected dialogues.

### Link to other subjects:

• All languages – study of class readers involves scrutiny of stylistic devices.

Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to identify	Conspicuously and	Identifies and	Identifies and illustrates	Identifies and
and illustrate	keenly identifies and	illustrates	instances of dialogue,	illustrates instances
instances of	illustrates instances of	instances of	similes, and metaphors	of dialogue, similes,
dialogue, similes,	dialogue, similes, and	dialogue, similes,	in the text sometimes.	and metaphors in the
and metaphors in the	metaphors in the text.	and metaphors in		text with difficulty.
text.		the text.		
Ability to use	Elaborately uses	Uses dialogue,	Sparingly uses dialogue,	Needs assistance in
dialogue, similes,	dialogue, similes, and	similes, and	similes, and metaphors	using dialogue,
and metaphors in	metaphors in guided	metaphors in	in guided contexts.	similes, and
guided contexts.	contexts.	guided contexts.		metaphors in guided
				contexts.



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Questions
14.5 Writing	14.5.1 Creative Writing: Descriptive Writing (200 – 240 words) (2 Lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify features of a person, a thing, or a place that can be described, b) write a descriptive composition on a given subject, c) underscore the importance of creative writing in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>in pairs, view videos or pictures of people, things or places and list the features of each that can be described in an essay,</li> <li>search online and offline for words and expressions that can be used to describe different features like weather emotions, events, and characters,</li> <li>explain the difference between descriptive writing and other forms of writing,</li> <li>in groups, read samples of descriptive essays and classify the features that are described and the expressions used in a graphic form for sharing,</li> <li>create a descriptive composition of between 200 to 240 words on an interesting topic like outdoor sports and display it in a gallery for peer review and revision.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How can you describe your best friend?</li> <li>How can you describe some things in your school?</li> <li>What do you consider when describing something?</li> </ol>

- Creativity and imagination are developed as learners write clearly and creatively when writing the descriptive composition.
- Collaboration is promoted as learners engage in peer review of each other's work, thus improving quality.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Creative thinking is enhanced as learners compose descriptive texts.

#### Values:

• Unity is enhanced as learners engage each other to view videos or pictures of people, things, or places.

### Link to other subjects:

- Performing arts: A sense of creativity is required in scripting texts for performance,
- All languages: Writing is key to mastery of any language.

Indicator	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	<b>Below Expectation</b>
Ability to identify	Exhaustively	Identifies features of	Partially identifies	Identifies features of
features of a person,	identifies features of	a person, a thing or a	features of a person a	a person a thing, or a
a thing, or a place.	a person, a thing, or a	place.	thing, or a place.	place with difficulty.
	place.			
Ability to write a	Writes a vivid or	Writes a descriptive	With some effort,	Needs assistance in
descriptive	detailed descriptive	composition on a	writes descriptive	writing a descriptive
composition on a	composition on a	given subject.	composition on a	composition on a
given subject.	given subject.		given subject.	given subject.



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
15.1 Listening and Speaking		By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) outline the organisation of an oral report of events within the classroom, b) present an oral report on events that occur within the classroom, c) enjoy delivering and listening to oral reports in various contexts.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>brainstorm in groups on the content and organisation of an oral report e.g. introduction, body, and conclusion,</li> <li>search in pairs online and offline the steps for conducting an oral report e.g. research, compile (write), rehearse, and report (present/deliver),</li> <li>role-play methods of delivering oral reports such as clear pronunciation, voice projection, tonal variation, use of nonverbal cues, and use of visuals,</li> <li>use flashcards to prepare speaking notes for the reports,</li> <li>simulate in groups an oral report preparation and delivery procedure and video or audio record themselves,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Which activities can you report about that happen in the classroom?</li> <li>What makes a good oral report?</li> <li>How can you make an oral report presentation interesting?</li> </ol>

	<ul> <li>watch or listen to the recorded reports and evaluate them in terms of strengths and weaknesses,</li> <li>prepare and present actual oral reports in groups,</li> <li>write the reports on charts and share them with peers.</li> </ul>	
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- Digital Literacy is developed as learners practise their digital knowledge by searching online for report preparation and presentation skills.
- Critical thinking and problem solving is enhanced as learners make objective observation when evaluating the strengths and weaknesses of their peers' oral reports.

### **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Effective communication is strengthened as learners use verbal and non-verbal reporting skills.

#### Values:

• Patriotism is enhanced as learners address class issues in their reports.

### Link to other subjects:

- All language subjects emphasise oral skills
- Computer Science, Agriculture, Home Science, and Integrated Science require reporting skills for projects

#### **Assessment Rubric** Meets **Approaches Indicators Exceeds Expectations Below Expectations Expectations Expectations** Impressively outlines Outlines the Has limitations in Ability to outline Outlines some aspects outlining the the organisation of the organisation of an organisation of an of the organisation of an oral report of oral report of events. oral report of an oral report of organisation of an oral report of events. events. events. events. Ability to present Pleasantly presents oral Presents oral Fairly presents oral Presents oral reports on a few events that occur oral reports on reports on various reports on events reports on some events events that occur that occur within that occur within the events that occur within the classroom within the within the classroom. the classroom. classroom. with support. classroom.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Questions
15.2 Reading	15.2.1 Reading Fluency (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) recognise the use of fluency strategies in the reading process, b) apply fluency strategies while reading, c) hail the role of reading fluency in communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>watch and listen to videos of students reading fluently and discuss what makes them good readers,</li> <li>search online and offline for different reading fluency strategies such as previewing and predicting, skimming, scanning, and ignoring unknown words and share with peers,</li> <li>in pairs, watch or listen to sample reading clips and simulate the model reading as they apply reading strategies,</li> <li>practise, in groups, timed reading, accurate reading, and reading with expression on issues like tourist attraction sites in Kenya,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why is it important to read fluently?</li> <li>What makes one a good reader?</li> <li>How can you improve your reading fluency?</li> </ol>

	<ul> <li>assess peers' reading based on the aspects of fluency – accuracy, speed, reading,</li> <li>record sample readers in class and save the recordings on a digital device,</li> <li>discuss the importance of reading fluently.</li> </ul>
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#### **Core Competencies to be developed:**

- Self-efficacy is achieved as learners gain confidence in reading by applying fluency strategies.
- Citizenship is developed as learners promote national responsibility by reading about tourist attraction sites in Kenya.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Effective Communication is enhanced as learners develop competence in fluency as a reading skill.
- Environmental Education and Animal Safety are achieved as learners read about tourist attraction sites in Kenya.

#### Values:

• Unity is achieved as learners work in pairs to watch or listen to sample reading clips and simulate models.

## Link to other subjects:

• All language subjects encourage reading fluency.

# **Assessment Rubric**

Indicator	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to recognise the use of fluency strategies in the reading process.	Promptly recognises the use of fluency strategies in the reading process.	Recognises the use of fluency strategies in the reading process.	Recognises the use of fluency strategies in the reading process with some effort.	Recognises the use of fluency strategies in the reading process with support.
Ability to apply fluency strategies while reading.	With noticeable precision, applies fluency strategies while reading.	Applies fluency strategies while reading.	Applies some fluency strategies while reading.	Applies fluency strategies while reading with assistance from others.

Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
15.3 Grammar in Use	15.3.1 Affirmative and Negative Sentences (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) differentiate between affirmative and negative sentences in spoken and written contexts, b) construct affirmative and negative sentences in varied contexts, c) acknowledge the expressive role of sentences in effective communication.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>search online and offline for the differences between affirmative and negative sentences and share them with peers,</li> <li>role-play a dialogue with affirmative and negative sentences and record themselves,</li> <li>watch/listen to a conversation on issues like tourist sites in Kenya and pick out in groups the affirmative and negative sentences,</li> <li>sort jumbled up sentences into affirmative and negative sentences</li> <li>construct affirmative and negative sentences</li> <li>construct affirmative and negative sentences,</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>When do we use affirmative statements?</li> <li>When do we use negative statements?</li> <li>Why is it important to use the right sentence when saying something?</li> </ol>

	<ul> <li>share sentences made in the form of charts for peer review,</li> <li>write a short story or dialogue on an issue like tourist attraction sites in Kenya using affirmative and negative sentences.</li> </ul>
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#### **Core competencies to be developed:**

- Citizenship: using critical inquiry as learners make affirmative and negative sentences on the tourist attraction sites in Kenya
- Digital literacy is developed as learners search online and offline for the differences between affirmative and negative sentences and share them with peers.

# **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Citizenship Education is enhanced through texts on tourist sites in Kenya.
- Creative Thinking is enhanced as learners create dialogue and stories using declarative sentences.
- Friendship Formation is developed as the learners ask and answer questions and state facts with their peers

## Values:

- Unity is enhanced as learners share sentences made in the form of charts for peer review
- Patriotism is enhanced as learners read texts on tourist attraction sites.

# Link to other subjects:

• All language subjects feature affirmative and negative sentences.

# **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectation</b>	<b>Meets Expectation</b>	Approaches Expectation	<b>Below Expectation</b>
Ability to	Differentiates between	Differentiates	Somehow	Has difficulty telling
differentiate	affirmative and	between affirmative	differentiates between	the difference between
between affirmative	negative sentences in	and negative	affirmative and	affirmative and
and negative	spoken and written	sentences in spoken	negative sentences in	negative sentences in
sentences in spoken	contexts	and written	spoken and written	spoken and written
and written	outstandingly.	contexts.	contexts.	contexts.
contexts.				
Ability to construct	Acutely constructs a	Constructs the	Constructs some	Constructs affirmative
affirmative and	range of affirmative	affirmative and	affirmative and	and negative sentences
negative sentences	and negative sentences	negative sentences	negative sentences	with support.
in varied contexts.	in varied contexts.	in varied contexts.	correctly in varied	
			contexts.	

Strand S	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
	(2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) identify the subject matter of a poem b) analyse ideas in the poem c) reiterate the role of poetry in passing information.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>recite poems for enjoyment and, in pairs, outline the subject matter,</li> <li>search online and offline for ways of determining ideas in a poem, such as studying the title, the persona, the events, and the choice of words,</li> <li>discuss how the use of repetition and other styles can help bring out the ideas in the poem,</li> <li>in groups, pick a poem and identify the ideas brought out and share their findings with peers through charts or graphic organisers for review,</li> <li>dramatise a poem displaying ideas generated from it using placards and record their performances.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Why would you use a poem instead of a story to pass information?</li> <li>What makes a poem interesting to read?</li> <li>What kind of ideas can one convey using a poem?</li> </ol>

## **Core Competencies to be developed:**

- Problem Solving: finding extra information as learners search online and offline for ways of determining ideas in a poem
- Critical thinking: following simple instructions as learners dramatise a poem displaying ideas generated from it using placards and record their performances

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

• Life Skills Education: decision making enhanced as learners evaluate which ideas a poem conveys.

#### Values:

• Peace: enhanced as learners share their findings and provide positive feedback.

# Link to other subjects:

• Kiswahili, Indigenous Languages, and Performing Arts - emphasise recitation and performance of poems.

## **Assessment Rubric**

Indicators	<b>Exceeds Expectations</b>	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	<b>Below Expectations</b>
Ability to	Identifies the subject	Identifies the	Identifies the subject	Struggles to identify
identify the	matter of a poem with	subject matter of a	matter of a poem with	the subject matter of a
subject matter of	clear and elaborate	poem with clear	few illustrations are	poem.
a poem.	illustrations.	illustrations.	not clear.	
Ability to	Analyses ideas in a	Analyses ideas in a	Analyses some ideas	Analyses ideas in a
analyse ideas in	poem critically and	poem.	in a poem.	poem with difficulty.
a poem.	thoughtfully.			



Strand	Sub Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Question(s)
15.5 Writing	15.5.1 Functional Writing: Notices and Posters (2 lessons)	By the end of the sub strand, the learner should be able to: a) outline the format of presenting notices and posters b) design notices and posters on current issues c) acknowledge the role of notices and posters in disseminating information.	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:</li> <li>collect posters and notices online or offline tourist attraction sites in Kenya and display them in class</li> <li>brainstorm on the format for presenting notices and posters, in groups</li> <li>study samples of notices and posters presented in class and label features of format</li> <li>differentiate between a poster and a notice in writing</li> <li>discuss and select issue(s) that can be addressed by notices and posters including matters relating to tourist attraction sites in Kenya</li> <li>design a notice and a poster on the selected issue using the model format and display for peer review</li> <li>keep the revised notice and poster in their portfolio.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>What kind of messages do posters convey?</li> <li>Why are notices important in the community</li> <li>How can one make a poster or a notice attractive?</li> </ol>

## **Core Competencies to be developed:**

- Learning to Learn: Organising own learning as learners design a notice and a poster on the selected issue using the model format
- Citizenship: Exploring cultural awareness and heritage as learners collect posters and notices on tourist attraction sites in Kenya

## **Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs)**

- Effective Communication is achieved as learners design different notices and posters on selected issues.
- Problem Solving is enhanced as learners identify community needs to be addressed by posters.
- Patriotism is enhanced as learners design different notices and posters on local tourist sites.

#### Values:

- Patriotism is enhanced as learners design posters on tourist attraction sites and community issues.
- Responsibility is enhanced as learners organise their learning in designing notices and posters.

## Link to other subjects:

- Performing Arts: designing notices and posters is a useful skill in performing arts.
- Social studies: the knowledge of tourist attraction sites in Kenya is relevant.

#### **Assessment Rubric** Meets **Exceeds Approaches Indicators Below Expectations Expectations Expectations Expectations** Impressively outlines Outlines the format Roughly outlines the Needs assistance in Ability to outline the format of the format of outlining the format of of presenting format of presenting notices and posters notices and posters presenting notices and presenting notices presenting notices and posters and posters posters Designs notices and Has difficulty Ability to design Eagerly and Designs notices and notices and posters innovatively designs posters on current issues designing notices and posters on current notices and posters on on current issues with some effort issues posters on current current issues issues

#### GUIDELINES ON COMMUNITY SERVICE LEARNING CLASS ACTIVITY

Community Service Learning (CSL) is an experiential learning strategy that integrates classroom learning and community service to enable learners to reflect, experience, and learn from the community. CSL is expected to benefit the learner, the school, and the local community. Knowledge and skills on how to carry out a CSL project have been covered in Life Skills Education (LSE).

All learners in Grade 7 will be expected to participate in only one CSL class activity. The activity will allow learners to practise the CSL project skills covered under LSE. This activity will be undertaken in groups for purposes of learning. Learners will be expected to apply knowledge and skills on the steps of the CSL project to carry out an activity of their choice as per the guidelines provided in the template. The learning approach will take the form of a whole school approach, where the entire school community will be engaged in the learning process. Teachers will guide learners to execute a simple school-based integrated CSL class activity. This activity can be done in 4 to 6 weeks outside the classroom time.

#### CSL Skills to be covered:

- i) **Research:** Learners will develop research skills as they investigate PCIs to address the activity, ways, and tools to collect the data. They will also learn to analyse information and present their findings.
- ii) Communication: Learners will develop effective communication skills as they engage with peers and school community members. These will include listening actively, asking questions, presentation skills using varied modes, etc.
- iii) Citizenship: Learners will explore opportunities for engagement as members of the school community and provide a service for the common good.
- iv) Leadership: Learners develop leadership skills as they take up various roles within the CSL activity.
- v) **Financial Literacy Skills:** Learners consider how they can undertake the project, as well as sourcing and utilising resources effectively and efficiently.



vi) Entrepreneurship: Learners consider ways of generating income through innovation for the CSL class activity.

Suggested PCIs	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Key Inquiry Questions
The learners will be guided to consider the various PCIs provided in the various subjects in Grade 7 and choose one suitable to their context and reality	By the end of the CSL class activity, the learner should be able to:  a) identify a problem in the school community through research,  b) plan to solve the identified problem in the community,  c) design solutions to the identified problem,  d) implement solutions to the identified problem,  e) share the findings with relevant actors,  f) reflect on own learning and relevance of the project,  g) appreciate the need to belong to a community	<ul> <li>The learner is guided to:         <ul> <li>brainstorm on issues/pertinent and contemporary issues in their school that need attention</li> <li>choose a PCI that needs immediate attention and explain why</li> <li>discuss possible solutions to the identified issue</li> <li>propose the most appropriate solution to the problem</li> <li>discuss ways and tools they can use to collect information on a problem (questionnaires, interviews, observation)</li> <li>develop tools for collecting the information/data</li> <li>identify resources they need for the activity</li> <li>collect the information/data using various means</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How does one determine community needs?</li> <li>Why is it necessary to be part of a community?</li> <li>What can one do to demonstrate a sense of belonging</li> </ol>

<ul> <li>develop various reporting documents on their findings</li> <li>use the developed tools to report</li> </ul>
on their findings  implement project  collect feedback from peers and the school community regarding
<ul> <li>the CSL activity</li> <li>share the report on activity through various media to peers and the school community</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>discuss the strengths and weaknesses of the implemented project and lessons learnt</li> <li>reflect on how the project</li> </ul>
enhanced own learning while at the same time facilitated service on an issue in the school community.

Assessment Rubric						
Indicator	<b>Exceeds Expectation</b>	<b>Meets Expectation</b>	Approaches Expectation	<b>Below Expectation</b>		
The ability to identify and analyse a pertinent issue in society to be addressed.	Learner critically defines and elaborately discusses a pertinent issue to be addressed.	Learner defines and discusses a pertinent issue to be addressed.	Learner defines and discusses a pertinent issue to be addressed with minimal support.	Learner requires support to critically examine and select the appropriate issue.		
The ability to plan to solve the identified problem	Learner correctly and systematically establishes resources needed, develops plans, assigns responsibilities, and generates data on the CSL project.	Learner correctly establishes resources needed, develops plans, assigns responsibilities, and generates data on the CSL project.	Learner sometimes establishes resources needed, develops plans, assigns responsibilities, and generates data on the CSL project.	Learner has difficulty establishing resources needed, developing plans, assigning responsibilities, and generating data on the CSL project.		
The ability to design solutions to the identified problem and implement them.	Learner constantly applies the knowledge and skills gained in subjects to address the identified issue.	Learner applies the knowledge and skills gained in subjects to address the identified issue.	Learner applies the knowledge and skills gained in subjects to address the identified issue with some support.	Learner requires a lot of probing to apply the knowledge and skills gained in subjects to address the identified issue.		

Ability to share findings with relevant actors.	Learner comprehensively and confidently shares findings of the issue addressed in the activity.	Learner confidently shares findings of the issue addressed in the activity.	Learner shares some of the findings of the issue addressed in the activity.	Learner briefly shares findings of the issue addressed in the activity, but lacks the necessary details.
The ability to reflect on own learning and relevance of the activity.	Learner distinctively and clearly outlines the benefits of the CSL activity on the target community and own learning.	Learner clearly outlines the benefits of the CSL activity on the target community and own learning.	Learner outlines the benefits of the CSL activity on the target community and own learning, a few unclear.	Learner struggles to outline the benefits of the CSL activity on the target community and own learning.

# **APPENDIX 1: SUGGESTED ASSESSMENT METHODS**

Listening and Speaking	Reading	Grammar in Use	Writing Skills
<ul> <li>Oral reading or dictation recitations</li> <li>Role play</li> <li>Debates</li> <li>Oral interviews</li> <li>Dialogues</li> <li>Oral discussions</li> <li>Oral presentations</li> <li>Public speaking</li> <li>Peer assessment</li> <li>Self-assessment and standardised listening assessments</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading aloud</li> <li>Dictation</li> <li>Oral interviews</li> <li>Question and answer</li> <li>Learner summaries of what they read</li> <li>Learner journals</li> <li>Learner portfolios</li> <li>Peer assessment</li> <li>Self-assessment and standardised reading assessments</li> <li>Keeping a record of books read</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tasks such as multiple choice</li> <li>Discrimination</li> <li>Gap-filling</li> <li>Short-answer</li> <li>Dialogue-completion, information gap</li> <li>Role play</li> <li>Simulation</li> <li>Matching tasks</li> <li>Substitution tables</li> <li>Word games</li> <li>Puzzles</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Learner journals</li> <li>Peer assessment</li> <li>Self-assessment</li> <li>Portfolio</li> <li>dictation</li> <li>Standardised writing assessment</li> </ul>

# APPENDIX 2 SUGGESTED LEARNING RESOURCES

Non-digital	Digital
<ul> <li>Dictionaries</li> <li>Posters</li> <li>Models</li> <li>Workbooks</li> <li>Manilla papers</li> <li>Word trees</li> <li>Storybooks</li> <li>Poetry books</li> <li>Pictures and photographs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Digital course books</li> <li>Games</li> <li>Songs</li> <li>Digital storybooks</li> <li>Pictures and photographs</li> <li>Journals</li> <li>Electronic and digital devices</li> <li>Electronic or online dictionaries</li> <li>Flashcards</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Newspapers</li> <li>Magazines</li> <li>Junior Encyclopaedia</li> <li>Journals</li> <li>Course books</li> <li>Diorama</li> <li>Flashcards</li> <li>Word wheels</li> <li>Word puzzles</li> <li>Code words</li> <li>Charts and realia</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Charts</li> <li>Video clips</li> <li>Audio-visual resources</li> <li>Other web resources</li> </ul>

APPENDIX 3: SUGGESTED NON-FORMAL ACTIVITIES

Listening and Speaking	Reading	Grammar in Use	Writing Skills
<ul> <li>Participation in poetry recitations during music and drama festivals</li> <li>Interclass or club debating contests</li> <li>Improve vocabulary, speech, and values through Christian union, Catholic Action, Muslim, and Hindu associations</li> <li>Come up with speeches and deliver them during prize-giving days, school assemblies, among others to enhance fluency.</li> <li>Participate in music festivals to hone communication and listening skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Reading news during assemblies and other school functions</li> <li>Virtual tours using Google maps and establishing the direction of various locations using Google maps</li> <li>Collecting different forms of oral literature from their community for a school magazine.</li> <li>Showcasing short plays, conversational poems, or choral verses within or without the school</li> <li>Participating in Journalism Club activities to improve reading</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Essay writing competitions on different topics</li> <li>Hot seating sessions to enhance their language competence</li> <li>Language symposiums to sharpen their language capacity</li> <li>Word-based sports or games, for example, crossword puzzles or scrabble</li> <li>Shadowing language users</li> <li>Language drills</li> <li>Announcement posters and advertising of school activities as a practise</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Essay writing competitions</li> <li>Writing clubs, journalism clubs, and compiling articles for the school magazine to nurture writing talent.</li> <li>Interclass or school Spelling contests</li> <li>Letter writing drills</li> <li>Mentorship in writing</li> <li>Report writing based on activities such as school sports and games</li> </ul>