

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL ALIGARH
HOLIDAY HOMEWORK (2025-26)
CLASS-VIII

ENGLISH

1. CREATIVE WRITING PROMPTS (ANY TWO)

- a. If you could visit any fictional world, where would you go and why? Write a **letter** to a friend describing your adventure.
- b. Imagine you found an old suitcase in your attic. What's inside? Write a **short story about what happens next**.
- c. Write a **diary entry from** the point of view of your pet or an animal you love.
- d. Describe a **day** in your life 50 years from now. What has changed?

2. ART INTEGRATED ACTIVITIES BASED ON CH.3 A REAL-LIFE MOWGLI

A. ILLUSTRATIONS OF MOWGLI'S LIFE- Create illustrations that depict Mowgli's life in the jungle, highlighting his relationships with the wolves and other animals.

(OR)

B. MOWGLI'S JOURNEY COLLAGE- Students will create a mixed media collage that represents Mowgli's journey from being a human child to growing up as a wolf boy.

HINDI

निर्देश : संपूर्ण गृहकार्य परियोजना फाइल (Project File) में ही हल कीजिए—

प्रश्न—1. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर चित्र सहित 20 पंक्तियों में कविता लिखिए—

1. मेरा देश, 2. मेरी भाषा, 3. भारतीय किसान, 4. पशु—पक्षी, 5. भारतीय वीर—वीरांगना।

प्रश्न—2. निम्नलिखित में से किसी एक विषय पर चित्र सहित लगभग 200 शब्दों में लेख लिखिए—

1. पेड़ की व्यथा, 2. मैं और राष्ट्र की सुरक्षा, 3. मेरे देश का सैनिक, 4. पुस्तक और विद्यार्थी, 5. वर्तमान शिक्षा एवं संस्कार, 6. आर्टीफिशियल इंटेलीजेंस (ए0 आई0) का मानव जीवन में उपयोग।

प्रश्न—3. किसी हिंदी दैनिक समाचार पत्र को प्रतिदिन पढ़िए और अपनी पसंद के किन्हीं दो खेल—समाचारों को काटकर चिपकाइए और उसका सुलेख कीजिए।

प्रश्न—4. आपकी पाठ्य पुस्तक वसंत में दिए गए 'सुदामा चरित' कविता को याद कीजिए और हाव—भाव एवं लयबद्ध तरीके से गाते हुए एक वीडियो बनाइए। ग्रीष्मावकाश के उपरांत सभी विद्यार्थियों से इससे संबंधित कक्षा में सामूहिक क्रियाकलाप कराया जाएगा।

प्रश्न—5. आपकी व्याकरण पुस्तक में दिए गए मुहावरों में से 1—20 तक में से किन्हीं पाँच मुहावरों को अर्थ सहित रंगीन चित्रों के माध्यम से प्रदर्शित करते हुए दीवार पर लटकाने हेतु (वॉल हैंगिंग के रूप में) तैयार कीजिए।

प्रश्न—6. सुप्रसिद्ध लेखक प्रेमचंद की किन्हीं 10 कहानियों को पढ़िए और प्रत्येक कहानी का शीर्षक एवं शिक्षा 50—60 शब्दों में लिखिए।

MATHS

1. IPL 2025: Collect the data of IPL matches 2025 of your favorite team. Make a table of runs scored by the winning team on each day and represent the information graphically through a bar graph by choosing an appropriate scale. Color the bars with the respective colors of teams.

2. Lippan art, also known as mud mirror work, is a traditional mural art form from the Kutch region of Gujarat, India. It involves decorating walls and floors with mud or clay, often incorporating mirrors to create a shimmering effect, particularly at night. The art form is known for its use of natural, vibrant colors and intricate patterns

Lippan art is not just decorative; it also serves a functional purpose by insulating the walls of huts and keeping them cool, especially during the summer months.

TASK: Create your own Lippan-inspired artwork using paper, pencils, rulers, and black markers or pens.

3. ARTISTIC INSPIRATION

Research, collect and compile artworks that prominently feature geometric shapes and patterns. This could include works by famous artists like Piet Mondrian, Wassily Kandinsky.

4. How to Get Your Brain to Focus | Chris Bailey | TEDxManchester

Go through the given link and write an article on 'How to get your Brain to focus?'

https://youtu.be/Hu4Yvq-g7_Y?si=wKZw0qd1HmUK216s

5. Master yourself with few questions

Check your Progress: Do the exercises of Chapter 1 and Chapter 2 of NCERT(From MTG)

➤ Do the above questions in Math Revision Notebook.

NOTE: All the above activities will be performed in A4 size sheets and attached in a file

SCIENCE

1. Green Innovation Challenge

- Invent a "green" product or machine to reduce pollution, plastic, or energy use.
- Draw diagrams, label the parts, and explain how it works.
- Create a brochure, flyer, poster or ad to promote your invention.

2. Science News Reporter

- Find 3 science-related news articles (space, inventions, medicine, etc.).
- Summarize the articles.
- Create a mini newsletter titled "Young Scientist Times."

3. Science Vlog or Infographic

- Choose a topic (Force, Respiration, Global Warming).
- Make a short video explainer or a digital infographic/poster (can use Canva or draw by hand).
- Make it simple, colourful, and fact-filled.

SOCIAL SCIENCE

History: Watch the movies 'Lagaan' and 'Nil Darpan' to know about the condition of peasants during British rule. Imagine yourself as a peasant who is being forced to grow Indigo. Make up an imaginary conversation that takes place between you (as a peasant) and a planter who is forcing you to grow indigo. (In a File)

OR

Civics: Draft a constitution for your class or school and list out the features (Rights and duties) you would like to incorporate. (In a File)

GEOGRAPHY- Find out the extent of usage of **any one** energy resource in India, its benefits and the places where these are set up. Then write a report on your research in your geography notebook. Paste a few pictures related to the topic. Report must not exceed 150 words.

You may choose any one of the following topic-

1. Wind Energy
2. Solar Energy
3. Geothermal Energy
4. Tidal Energy

Note- Do this work in your geography notebook.

COMPUTER

Prepare a short video on any one topic 1) AI 2) Robotics 3) Timeline of Google.

Details of the video are as follows:

1. It should not be more than 2 Minutes
2. Start it with a short introduction of yourself.
3. Any video creation app can be used along with video editing features

4. Background of the video should be attractive.

(Note: Submit the same on the Google form using the link given below:

<https://forms.gle/PEe8eRNx2qmwRn9t7>)

THIRD LANGUAGES

URDU

Prepare a Pictorial Report on your visit to various places during Summer Vacation. You may also paste **Three Different Pictures** of places which you have visited in any **SCRAP BOOK**. (Report should be of at least 50 words with each picture. Total one hundred and fifty words required in URDU only.)

OR

Art Integrated Project: Draw anything of your choice and find a quote / thought / few urdu poem lines / sher /any very short story from the internet which compliments the drawing of an ivory or A4 drawing sheet. Consult with your urdu teacher before finalizing your writing material.

SANSKRIT

नोट— संकेत 1, 2, 3 अपनी अभ्यास पुस्तिका में करना है तथा संकेत 4 निम्नलिखित मेल पर भेजना है।

1. हिन्दी समाचार पत्र या किसी घटना से सम्बन्धित कोई भी दो चित्र छाँटकर उस पर पाँच संस्कृत में लिखिए।
2. किन्ही दस पुल्लिंग, दस नपुंसकलिंग, व दस स्त्रीलिंग, शब्दों को चुनकर कर लिखिए और उस पर प्रश्ननिर्माण कीजिए।।
3. ग्रीष्मावकाश में जहाँ भी भ्रमण हेतु आप जाएँ उसका वर्णन करते हुए पाँच संस्कृत में लिखिए।
4. कोई भी कथा, कहानी, लेख, श्लोकार्थ या अर्थसहित सूक्तियाँ, इन में से किसी भी विषय पर संस्कृत भाषा में लिखिए। नीचे अपना नाम, कक्षा वर्ग व फोटो लगाकर sateeshjain56@gmail.com मेल पर भेज दीजिए।

GERMAN

Mein Urlaubstagebuch - My Holiday Diary

Aufgabe: Schreibe ein Tagebuch über deine Ferien. Jeden Tag ein kurzer Eintrag (3–5 Sätze) auf Deutsch, mit Datum, Wetter und Aktivitäten.

Task: Write a diary about your holidays. One short entry per day (3–5 sentences) in German, including the date, the weather, and what you did. (Minimum entries – 3)

FRENCH

Mon carnet de voyage imaginaire (My imaginary Travel Diary)

Crée un petit carnet de voyage (reel ou imaginaire) dans un pays francophone (Create a mini travel diary where you explore a French-speaking country)

What to include

Page 1- La couverture (The cover)

Design a colourful cover with:

- Title: Mon carnet de voyage
- Your name (Mon nom est....)
- A flag or map of the country

Dessine une couverture colorée avec

- Le titre
- Ton nom
- Le drapeau ou une carte du pays

Page 2 – Présentation du pays (Introducing the Country):

Écris 5-6 lines phrases simple en français . Write 5-6 simple sentences in French about the country.

Page 3 – Mon journal d'un jour (My One Day Journal Entry):

Écris une petite page de journal: Ce que tu as vu, mangé, visité

Ajoute des dessins ou des photos

Write a short diary entry in French: What you saw, ate, visited

Add drawings or photos

Page 4 – Carte postale (Postcard)

Write a short postcard in French to your friend or teacher. Mention the weather, a place you visited, and food you tried.

Écris une carte postale courte en français. Parle de la météo, un lieu visité, et un plat goûté.

ART

Holiday Homework – Mandala Painting

Dear Students,

As part of your holiday homework, you are required to make one Mandala painting on a 27cm x 35 cm sheet. Reference pictures are attached for your guidance, but you are encouraged to use your own imagination and creativity while designing your artwork.

Note: Strictly follow the given paper size.

Submit your completed work to the Art Department within one week after the summer break.






