Kothari international School, Noida Cambridge Lower Secondary Grade LS 2 (Grade 7) Annual Curriculum Overview for the Session 2024-2025

SUBJECT - ENGLISH

TOPIC/UNIT	CONTENT
UNIT 1: Nature and humans	 Writing: Audio Drama Imaginative Accounts Language Focus: Verbs Figures of Speech: Enjambment/End-stopping/ Caesura
Unit 2 : Grandmother's Song	 Writing: Analysing Structure and theme Dialogue writing Language Focus: Figurative Language Reporting Verbs
Unit 3: Strange Islands	 Writing: Dialogue writing Monologue Writing Language Focus: Punctuation for effect Strategies for spelling unfamiliar words
Unit 4: This is the modern world	 Writing: Article for an older audience Persuasive Speech Language Focus: Placement for sentence types Choice of synonyms
Unit 5 : Heroes	 Writing: Counter- argument writing Blog writing Film script Language Focus: Conjunctions Imperative And Modal Verbs

Unit 6 : Monsters	 Writing: Leaflet Designing Fable Writing Language Focus: Extended Metaphors
Unit 7: The Plantation	 Writing: Diary entry Character's personal account writing Report writing Language Focus: Adjectives Active and Passive Voice
Unit 8 : Choices and Decisions	 Writing: Drama Scene Writing Poem Writing Language Focus: Adverbs Prepositional Phrases Reported Speech

SUBJECT - LANGUAGE ACQUISITION: FRENCH

TOPIC/UNIT	CONTENT
Unit 8: Une journee scolaire	 Recap of ER verbs Introduction to IR verbs Negation Reflexive verbs Daily routine
Unit 9: C'est bon Ca!	 Manger verb recap Talk about foods and drinks Talk about meals Prendre & boire verb Partitive articles Talk about food preferences
Unit 10: Amuse-toi bien !	 Talk about leisure activities Household activities Faire verb

	Jouer verb (sports and musical intruments)
Revision	Revision of all topics
Unit 4: En Ville	 Indentify French shops and what they sell Faire des courses Talk about money and prices Verbs like Acheter, Preferer, vendre, Choisir
Unit 5: On fait des projets	 Countries and cities with preposition Transport Futur Proche Verbs like Venir, pouvoir Postcard Writing
Unit 6 : Au collège	My school

SUBJECT - GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

TOPIC/UNIT	SKILL DEVELOPMENT
UNIT-1 What makes us human?	 Research: Getting started and choosing a research question; Collaboration: Working as a team Analysis: Recognising arguments and checking the evidence Communication- Debating the answer
UNIT-2 Water Crisis	Research: Choosing your agenda, choosing your sources and summarising your findings

	 Collaboration: Working as a team Communication: Sharing your work powerfully
UNIT-3 Beliefs about food	 Research: finding numbers, asking why and thinking about whom to ask Analysis: Making connections Collaboration: Sharing Tasks
UNIT-4 Looking at the future	 Evaluation: what is the aim of an outcome Reflection: expansion of critical thinking Research Communication and synthesising
UNIT-5 Sustainability	 Collaboration Communication Research Evaluation
UNIT-6 Employment	 Collaboration: teamwork challenges Research: work and wages and forced labour Analysis: unpaid work Analysis and Evaluation: Your Personal goals

SUBJECT - MATHEMATICS

TOPIC/UNIT	<u>CONTENT</u>
UNIT-1	Operations on integers
INTEGERS	 Factors, multiples & primes Square roots & cube roots Indices

PLACE VALUE & ROUNDING	 Multiplying and dividing by 0.1 & 0.01 Rounding
DECIMALS	Ordering decimalsOperations on decimals
FRACTIONS	Ordering fractionsOperations on fractions
PERCENTAGES	Percentage increase & decreaseUsing multiplier
RATIO & PROPORTION	Simplifying ratiosSharing in a ratioDirect proportion
UNIT-2 EXPRESSIONS, FORMULAE & EQUATIONS	 Constructing Expressions Using expressions & formulae Expanding brackets Factorising Equations & inequalities
UNIT-3 ANGLES	 Parallel lines Exterior angle of a triangle construction
SHAPES & SYMMETRY	Quadrilaterals & polygonsCircumference of a circle3D shapes
SHAPES. AREA & VOLUME	 Converting between miles & KM The area of a parallelogram & trapezium Calculating the volume of triangular prisms

	Calculating the surface area of triangular prisms & pyramid
UNIT-4 PROBABILITY	 Calculating probabilities Experimental and theoretical probabilities
UNIT-5 SEQUENCES & FUNCTIONS	 Generating sequences Using the nth term Representing simple functions
GRAPHS	 Functions Plotting graphs Gradient & intercept Interpreting graphs
UNIT-6 POSITION & TRANSFORMATION	 Bearings Midpoint of a line segment Translating 2D shapes Reflecting shapes Rotating shapes Enlarging shapes
UNIT-7 COLLECTING DATA	Types of Data
INTERPRETING RESULTS	 Interpreting & drawing frequency diagrams Time series graphs Stem-and-leaf diagrams Pie charts Using statistics

SUBJECT - SCIENCE

TOPIC/UNIT CONTENT	TOPIC/UNIT	<u>CONTENT</u>
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1. Properties of matter	 Dissolving Solutions and solubility Planning a solubility Investigation Paper chromatography
2. Forces and Energy	 Forces and motion Speed Describe movement Turning forces Pressure between solids Pressure in liquids and gases Particles on the move
3. Respiration 4. Diet and Growth	 The human respiratory system Gas Exchange Breathing Respiration Blood Nutrients A balanced diet Growth, development and health Moving the body
5. Materials and Cycles	 The structure of the atom Purity Weather and climate Climate and ice gas Atmosphere and climate
6. Ecosystem 7. Magnetism	 The Sonoran Dessert Different ecosystems Intruders in an ecosystem Bioaccumulation Magnetic fields The Earth as a giant magnet Electromagnets Investigating electromagnets
8. Light	ReflectionRefractionMaking rainbows

	Colours of lightGalaxiesRocks in space
9. Chemical Reactions	 Exothermic Reactions Endothermic Reactions Reactions of metals with oxygen Reactions of metal with water Reactions of metals with dilute acids

SUBJECT - ICT

TOPIC/UNIT	<u>CONTENT</u>
MS Excel	Excel BasicsChartsVlookup, Hlookup
Types and components of a computer system	 Hardware and Software IPO cycle Design of a Computer System Memory Unit
Makecode Arcade	 Nested Conditional statement Sequencing with block coding Loops: For Loop, while loop, Nested loop Projects
The nature of technology: understanding networks	 Network Hardware How A Network Fits Together Sending Messages Over The Internet Connecting To A Network In The Cloud
HTML Forms	Radio buttons

	
	 Checkbox Submit button Input statements Text fields
Python	• Introduction to Python • Python basic codes
	 Keyword, identifier, Variables Data Types Print and input command Python Operators If statements
	• For loop, while loop • Break Statement
	Continue Statement • String functions
Computer Viruses	 Introduction Symptoms How viruses are spread • Types of Computer Virus Anti-virus Software • Ways to prevent spread of viruses
Computer Hardware Internal & External	 Introduction Computer Hardware • External Hardware Devices Internal Hardware Devices
Presentations	 Create a presentation • Use a master slide Edit a presentation • Output a presentation

Digital Literacy: Computers and learning	 Using computers for learning Using computers for discovery What is e-learning
	 Starting your e-learning project Create an e-learning slide Add a test
	question

SUBJECT - ART AND DESIGN

<u>TOPIC/UNIT</u>	<u>CONTENT</u>
Elements of Art Principal of Design	 Introducing the basic building blocks of visual art, including line, shape, form, color, texture, space, and value. Explaining fundamental principles that govern the organization of visual elements in art, such as balance, contrast, emphasis, movement, pattern, rhythm, and unity.
Drawing Fundamentals Understanding One point Prospective Two point Prospective Three point Prospective	 Teaching foundational drawing skills, including observation, contour drawing, gesture drawing and basic perspective. Explain that one-point perspective is a drawing technique used to create the illusion of depth and space on a two-dimensional surface. Introduce two-point perspective as a method for drawing objects that recede into the distance while maintaining their width and height.

Colour Theory	• Introducing concepts such as the colour wheel, primary, secondary, and tertiary colours, colour harmony, value, saturation, and temperature.
Understanding Compositions Basics Painting Techniques	 Understanding Composition: Explaining how to arrange elements within a picture plane to create visually pleasing compositions, including concepts like focal point, rule of thirds, and framing Basic Painting Techniques: Introducing students to various painting techniques using watercolours, acrylics, or tempera, including colour mixing, blending, layering, and brushwork.: Explaining how to arrange elements within a picture plane to create visually pleasing compositions, including concepts like focal point, rule of thirds, and framing.
Introduction to Sculpture	Introduction to Sculpture: Exploring three dimensional art forms through basic sculpting techniques using clay, paper mache, or found objects.
Art Materials and Tools	Art Materials and Tools: Familiarising students with a range of art materials and tools, including pencils, erasers, brushes, paints, clay, carving tools, and safety precautions when using them. Art History Overview: Providing a broad overview of art history,

	highlighting key movements, styles, and artists from different cultures and time periods
Art and Nature: Encouraging	Encouraging students to observe and draw inspiration from the natural world, including plants, animals, landscapes, and natural textures.

SUBJECT - WELL BEING

TOPIC/UNIT	<u>CONTENT</u>
Introduction to Wellbeing	IntroductionAspects of wellbeing
Understanding myself	 Identifying emotions Managing emotions
Understanding myself	Healthy habitsImportance of healthy hab
My relationships	 Introduction to Healthy relationships Traits of Healthy relationships
Navigating my world	 Introduction to Personal safety Significance of Netiquette
Navigating my world	 Coping with healthy vs. unhealthy changes in life Impact of healthy vs. unhealthy

 changes in life Making a difference by creating a sustainable environment Significance of protecting the environment

^{*}If any subject is not listed, we will provide the information for it by next week.