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## Syllabus (Cycle-1)

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*'Great things happen to those who don't stop believing, trying, learning, and being grateful.'*

Dear Parents,

At RDPS, we believe that 'Learning' shall not stop under any circumstances, not even during the current unprecedented situation. Hence, the teaching faculty at RDPS has been successfully conducting the online classes since April 2020, so that our dear students shall not suffer any academic loss.

Moreover, kindly accept our gratitude for your constant contribution in cooperating for the smooth implementation of the 'Online classes'.

To apprise you with the necessary particulars regarding Syllabus and Evaluation of the students, kindly find the following details:

Subjects	Syllabus for the month of April'20	Syllabus for the month of May'20	Revision Schedule (1 <sup>st</sup> June to 10 <sup>th</sup> June, 2020)
<b>English</b>	<p><b>Reading Skills:</b> -Factual and Discursive Passage</p> <p><b>Writing Skills:</b> -Informal Letter Writing -Notice Writing -Story Writing -Formal Letter Writing</p> <p><b>Grammar:</b> Adjectives</p>	<p><b>Grammar:</b> -Prepositions</p> <p><b>Literature section:</b> Ch.1 New Beginnings</p> <p><b>Poem:</b> Entertainment</p>	<p>Revision of Cycle-1 Syllabus along with online tests.</p> <p><b>Subject Enrichment Activities:</b> <b>Activity 1:</b> Online Story Writing (Students will be given a creative theme and they will submit their stories in a Google form. It will be a timed test) <b>Activity 2:</b> Online Real Time Group Discussion (Students will be given a topic with both for and against sides. They will take part in a group discussion in groups of 6 and come to a conclusion with regard to the given topic.</p>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<p>Ch-1 Rational Numbers Ch-2 Linear Equations in one variable</p>	<p>Ch- 2 Linear Equations in One Variable Ch -6 Squares and square roots</p>	<p>Recapitulation of Ch-1, 2 &amp; 6 along with Online test.</p> <p><b>Subject Enrichment Activities:</b> <b>Activity 1:</b> To observe the number pattern and to generate the next step. <b>Activity 2:</b> To obtain square roots of natural numbers.</p>
<b>Science</b>	<p>Ch-1: Crop Production and Management</p> <p>Ch-2: Microorganisms: Friends and Foe(Explanation) (Online Test of Ch1)</p>	<p>Ch-2: Microorganisms: Friends and Foe(Question Answer)</p> <p>Ch-4: Materials: Metals and Non Metals. (Online tests of Ch 2 and 4)</p>	<p>Revision of Cycle-1 Syllabus.</p> <p><b>Subject Enrichment Activities:</b> <b>Activity 1:</b> Use any seed available at home ( e.g.: Rajma, Gram). Grow the seed in your garden or Pot and write the steps taken by you under the 7 steps mentioned for Agricultural Practices. <b>Activity 2:</b> Collect information about Food Preservation methods adopted at your home. List the names of preservatives used in at least 10 items available at home like Jam, Sauce, Squash, Pickles, Frooti, etc. in tabular form. Mention if using Preservative is beneficial or harmful for our body. Justify with appropriate evidence.</p>
<b>Social Science</b>	<p>Ch: 2 Trade to Territory (History)</p> <p>Ch:1 Resources (Geography)</p>	<p>Ch:1 Resources (Geography)</p> <p>Ch:1 The Indian Constitution (Civics)</p> <p>Ch :5 When People Rebel, 1857 and after (History)</p>	<p>Revision of Cycle-1 syllabus along with Online Test and Oral Revision.</p> <p><b>Subject Enrichment Activities:</b> <b>Activity 1:</b> Students were asked to record a video, wherein they showed various ways to make useful items using waste resources available at their home. For e.g.: Pen stand, Wall Hangings, Screen Enlargers and many more. (Done in April month) <b>Activity 2:</b> Record an inspirational story/ short video (3-4 min) using any one of the Fundamental Rights in the Indian Constitution as discussed in the classroom.</p>

<b>Hindi</b>	<b>Vasant :</b> 1 Dhvani ( kavita ) 2 Lakh ki chudian	<b>Vasant :</b> 3 Bus ki yatra <b>Grammer :</b> Bhasha vyaakaran ,lipi sahitya , vichar,sangya, sarvnaam,shudhikaran <b>Lekhan:</b> 1 Anuched, 2 samvad lekhan <b>Bharat ki khoj :</b> 1Ahmadnagar ka quila, 2 Talash, 3 Sindhu Ghati sabhyata	Revision of Cycle -1 syllabus along with online test. <b>Subject Enrichment Activities:</b> <b>Activity 1:</b> svarachit kavita <b>Activity 2:</b> chitr ke aadhaar pr ek samvad ka nirman kre.
<b>Sanskrit</b>	<b>Sanskrit gyanjyoti3</b> 1.eesh vandana 2. shikshaya mahatvam 3.shishtachar	4. mahatma Gandhi 5. buddhisya balam tasya <b>Vyakaran</b> Aatmanepadi dhaturuop	Revision of Cycle -1 syllabus along with online test.

We hope that together we succeed in enriching the skills of our children and nurture their aptitude considerably.

Regards

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Principal

**Please note:**

- (i) Evaluation guidelines for Cycle-1:
  - Under Internal-Assessment 1: Notebook Submission and Subject Enrichment Activities would be evaluated for 5 marks each.
  - Periodic Test-1 would be conducted through an 'Online Test' for 60 marks.
- (ii) Regular assignments and tasks, as provided and assigned, would be assessed for evaluation under Notebook Submission (5 marks).
- (iii) Subject Enrichment Activities (5 marks) would be assigned & evaluated during Revision Schedule.
- (iv) The content from the syllabus of Cycle-1 (April'20 - May'20) would be evaluated in the Periodic Test-1.
- (v) Online Tests will be conducted from 11<sup>th</sup> June to 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 and the date sheet will be shared soon.