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CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND LEARNING OBJECTIVES (CDLO)

Class: XII (All Streams)

Subject: English Core (301)

Academic Session: 2025-26

Month	Name of the Book and the Chapter	Learning Objectives	Activities	Periods	Portion for PT or Term End Assessment
	FLAMINGO The Last Lesson (Prose)	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the themes of patriotism, linguistic identity, and the impact of war on culture. Develop a sense of respect for one's language and culture, as reflected in M. Hamel's final lesson. Identify and summarize the main events, characters (Franz, M. Hamel, villagers), and their emotions. 	 The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	
April	FLAMINGO	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the symbolism of youth and old age in the poem. 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) 		
Арти	My Mother at Sixty-six (Poetry)	 Develop inferential and interpretative skills through discussion. Identify the literary devices used (imagery, contrast, symbolism, repetition). 	 Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	R ³	
	VISTAS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Identify and analyse the central theme of 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	The Third Level (Prose)	 escapism and the blending of reality with fantasy in the story. Examine the protagonist, Charley, and his psychological state, exploring his desire to escape from modern-day stress. Relate the theme of escapism to contemporary issues like stress, anxiety, and the human 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	

tendency to seek comfort in the past.		

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	FLAMINGO Lost Spring (Prose)	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Identify and analyse the central themes of poverty, child labour, and the loss of childhood. Examine the socio-economic conditions of marginalized children and the cycle of poverty that deprives them of education and a better future. Cultivate sensitivity toward underprivileged children and recognize the role of society in shaping their lives. 	 The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	7	
Мау	ADVANCED WRITING SKILLS Notice Writing	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Understand the purpose and importance of notices in school and public domains. Identify and apply the correct format of a notice (heading, date, issuing authority, body, etc.). 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the topics: Activity: Divide the class into groups. Each group picks a situation (e.g., lost and found, inter-house competition, blood donation camp) and drafts a notice.	3	

	Passage Reading	The objective is to enable the students to: Comprehend factual and discursive passages skilfully.	Worksheets (based on factual, literary and discursive passages) will be provided to students and they will be asked to solve them within the time limit.	3	
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	VISTAS The Tiger King (Prose)	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of irony, fate, arrogance of power, and environmental conservation. Examine how Kalki uses satire to criticize the absurdity of power, blind superstition, and the reckless hunting of animals. Relate the themes of power and ecological responsibility to contemporary issues such as deforestation, poaching, and environmental policies. 	 The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6 R	
June	ADVANCED WRITING SKILLS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Recognize the purpose of writing a letter to the 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the topics:	4	

Letter to Editor	 editor - expressing opinions on social/public issues. Understand the structure and components of a formal letter to the editor. 	Activity: Ask students to share things they often complain about (e.g., bad roads, garbage, noise). Guide them to channel this complaint into a formal letter.	

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	FLAMINGO Deep Water (Prose)	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central theme of overcoming fear through courage, determination, and perseverance. Understand the impact of childhood trauma and how fear can be conquered with effort and resilience. Relate the lesson's message to personal experiences and real-world examples of individuals overcoming fears and hardships. 	 The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	R ⁶	PERIODIC TEST - 01 FLAMINGO: 1. The Last Lesson (Prose) 2. Lost Spring (Prose) 3. My Mother at Sixty-six (Poetry)
	FLAMINGO	The objectives are to enable the students to:	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		<u>VISTAS</u> :

July	Keeping Quiet (Poetry)	 Analyse the central themes of peace, introspection, and the need for unity among humans. Understand Neruda's advocacy for silence and self-reflection as a means to achieve harmony and tranquillity. Relate the poem's message to contemporary issues like environmental conservation, war, and excessive human activity. 	• Debate or Speech (10 minutes)	4	 The Third Level The Tiger King <u>ADVANCED WRITING</u>: Notice Letter to Editor
	VISTAS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of climate change, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	Journey to the End of the Earth	 environmental awareness, and the significance of Antarctica in understanding Earth's past, present, and future. Explore Tishani Doshi's journey to Antarctica and her reflections on its pristine environment, 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	
	(Prose)	 extreme conditions, and scientific importance. Relate the lesson to global concerns such as climate change, conservation efforts, and the role of scientific research in understanding the planet's future. 			
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	FLAMINGO	• Analyse the central themes of kindness,	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	The Rattrap	 compassion, human dignity, and the metaphor of the world as a rattrap. Understand how the rattrap symbolizes 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) 	6	
	(Prose)	 human greed, temptation, and the idea that the world entraps people with materialistic desires. Relate the story's message to real-world issues such as second chances, the impact of kindness, and the importance of moral values in society. 	• Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes)		

August	FLAMINGO A Thing of Beauty (Poetry)	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central theme of beauty as a source of eternal joy and its power to uplift the human spirit. Appreciate Keats' belief in the permanence of beauty and its role in providing comfort amidst life's struggles. Relate the poem's message to personal experiences and contemporary issues where beauty in nature, art, or kindness brings happiness. 	 Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	4	
	VISTAS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of war, humanity, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	The Enemy (Prose)	 ethics, and the conflict between duty and compassion. Examine the transformation of Dr. Sadao from a loyal Japanese citizen to a compassionate human being who prioritizes morality over nationalism. Relate the lesson's message to contemporary issues such as war ethics, refugee crises, and the role of medical professionals in conflict zones. 	 Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) 	10	

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	ADVANCED WRITING SKILLS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Write clear and well-structured invitations for various occasions (e.g., wedding, annual day, 	 The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the topics: Activity: Assign students different events (e.g., 		HALF YEARLY EXAM
	SKILLS	party).	wedding, school annual day, birthday, and		<u>FLAMINGO</u> :

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September	Invitation Job Application Article Writing	 Use concise and courteous expressions suitable for invitations and replies. Understand the purpose and components of a job application (cover letter + résumé/biodata). Write an effective and persuasive cover letter tailored to a specific job advertisement. Identify the features and structure of a wellwritten article (introduction, body, conclusion). Express their views on current topics/issues logically and effectively. 	 farewell). Ask them to create both formal and informal invitations for the same event. Activity: Set up a mock job board with different job ads. Students pick one and write a job application for it. Activity: Have a jar with slips of paper containing topics (e.g., "Pollution," "Online Education," "Social Media Impact"). Students pick one and write an article on it. 	6	 The Last Lesson (Prose) Lost Spring (Prose) Deep Water (Prose) The Rattrap (Prose) My Mother at Sixty-six (Poetry) Keeping Quiet (Poetry) A Thing of Beauty (Poetry)
	FLAMINGO	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of self-reliance, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		<u>VISTAS</u> :
	Indigo (Prose)	 Analyse the central themes of sen rehate, leadership, justice, and the power of non-violent resistance. Understand Mahatma Gandhi's role in the Champaran movement and how his philosophy of Satyagraha led to social and political change. Relate the lesson's message to modern movements for social change, farmers' rights, and the impact of leadership in solving societal problems. 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	 The Third Level The Tiger King Journey to the End of the Earth <u>ADVANCED WRITING</u>: Notice Invitation Letter to Editor Article

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	FLAMINGO	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of kindness, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	Poets and Pancakes (Prose)	 compassion, human dignity, and the metaphor of the world as a rattrap. Understand how the rattrap symbolizes human greed, temptation, and the idea that the world entraps people with materialistic desires. Relate the story's message to real-world issues such as second chances, the impact of kindness, and the importance of moral values in society. 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	
	FLAMINGO	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of rural poverty, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
October	A Roadside Stand (Poetry)	 Analyse the central themes of thraf poverty, social injustice, and the contrast between the rich and the poor. Understand Frost's critique of urban apathy toward rural struggles and the false promises given to marginalized communities. Relate the poem's message to present-day socio-economic issues such as rural development, displacement, and economic exploitation. 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	5	
	VISTAS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of disability, loneliness, self-acceptance, and human 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter: Reading (10 minutes) 		
	On the Face of It	 connections. Study the transformation of Derry, a young boy with a facial burn, and Mr. Lamb, an elderly man with a disability, and how their interaction abarges their strengthered and life. 	 Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	10	
	(Play)	 changes their perspectives on life. Relate the play's message to real-world issues such as social exclusion, the stigma around disabilities, and the importance of self-confidence. 			

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	FLAMINGO	 Analyse the central themes of media influence, the ethics of journalism, and the varying perceptions of interviews. Compare the views of famous personalities like Classroom p Reading Discussi Debate of the second secon	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		PERIODIC TEST - 02
	The Interview (Prose)		 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	 <u>FLAMINGO</u>: 1. Indigo (Prose) 2. Poets and Pancakes (Prose) 3. A Roadside Stand (Poetry)
	FLAMINGO	The objectives are to enable the students to:Analyse the central themes of gender	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		<u>VISTAS</u> :
November	Aunt Jennifer's Tigers	 Understand how Aunt Jennifer's tigers symbolize fearlessness, strength, and the desire for liberation, contrasting with her own Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (1) 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	4	 The Enemy (Prose) On the Face of It (Play) <u>ADVANCED WRITING</u>:
	(Poetry)	 suppressed life. Relate the poem's message to women's rights, gender roles, and societal expectations in different cultures and historical contexts. 	PSO		 Notice Invitation Job Application Report
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	FLAMINGO	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyse the central themes of adolescence, 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		PRE-BOARD EXAMINATION
	Going Places	 unrealistic dreams, fantasy vs. reality, and social class differences. Explore the personality of Sophie, a teenage 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) 	6	Note : This examination will cover the entire syllabus of the course as prescribed by
December	(Prose)	 girl with high aspirations, and contrast it with her practical and realistic brother, Geoff. Relate the story's message to youth aspirations, peer influence, and the challenges of growing up with unfulfilled dreams. 	 Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 		the CBSE, Delhi.
	VISTAS	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Analyze the central themes of childhood memories, cultural identity, colonization, and 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the chapter:		
	Memories of Childhood	 Explore the personal childhood experiences shared by Zitkala-Sa and Sarojini Naidu, focusing on their individual struggles with identity, culture, and belonging. 	 Reading (10 minutes) Discussion or Role Play (5 minutes) Debate or Speech (10 minutes) Advanced Creative Writing (10 minutes) 	6	
		• Relate the chapter's message to the struggles of indigenous populations, the impact of cultural assimilation, and the importance of preserving one's heritage.	P SCOM	R	
	ADVANCED WRITING	 The objectives are to enable the students to: Understand the Purpose of Reports- Identify why reports are written (e.g., to inform, record) 	The following activities will be conducted in the classroom post the completion of the topic:		
	SKILLS Report Writing	 events, or share findings). Recognize the Format of a Report– Use correct elements such as heading/title, byline, introduction, body, and conclusion. Distinguish between newspaper reports, school 	• Activity: Assign students the role of a school reporter. They write a report on a recent or imaginary school event (e.g., sports day, science exhibition, and farewell).	3	
		 reports, and event reports. Write a Structured and Coherent Report presenting facts, data, and observations logically using appropriate sequence and paragraphing. 	• Activity: Set up a scenario (e.g., a traffic accident, fire outbreak, or local protest). Assign roles to students: eyewitnesses, reporters, victims.		

