German (14)

Std. XI

1. Prose:

About 80 pages (Recommended text Themen Aktuell- Lessons from 1 to 6).

2. Grammar

- (a) Conjugation of verbs or verb-groups of all type (i.e. weak, strong, simple, compound, auxiliary and modal auxiliary) in case of the following:
- (i) Indicative present tense.
- (ii) Imperative for all three forms of second person.
- (b) Articles and Pronominal Adjectives:

 Declension of
 - (a) The definite and indefinite articles
 - (b) demonstrative dieser, etc.
 - (c) interrogative: welcher, was fuer ein
 - (d) possessive adjectives: mein, dein, etc.
- (c) Cases: Accusative, dative
- (d) Numerals (i) cardinal numbers
 - (ii) ordinal numbers
- (e) Pronouns (i) the personal pronouns in all cases
 - (ii) impersonal pronouns
 - (iii) interrogative pronouns : wer, was
 - (iv) word- order or position of pronoun objects

- (f) Adverbs (a) of time, place, manner
 - (b) of affirmation or negation (ja, mein, doch)
- (g) Prepositions taking
 - (a) accusative (b) dative
 - (c) governing both
- (h) Conjunctions:

und, aber, oder, denn, etc.

Std. XII

1. Prose: about 100 pages

2. Composition

- (1) This includes translation of passages into English or Marathi
- (2) Comprehension, and
- (3) Letter writing or guided essay of about 10- 12 sentences.

3. Grammar

N.B.: The following new items are to be learnt in addition to those learnt in Std.XI

- (a) Adjectives: Declension
 - (i) after the definite article
 - (ii) after the indefinite article
 - (iii) when not preceded by any article
- (b) Conjunctions: weil, dass, wenn, ob, interrogative pronouns, obwohl
- (c) Tense: indicative perfect tense (i.e. present perfect tense), indicative past tense
- (d) Degrees of Comparison: positive, comparative and superlative



- (e) Word formation: changing word forms: nouns to verbs and adjectives and vice versa
- (f) Infinitive constructions and clauses
- (i) Nouns, adjectives and verbs taking a dependent infinitive with 'zu'
- (ii) Verbs taking a direct infinitive without 'zu'
- (g) Subjunctive Mood: Conjugation of verbs in subjunctive, of verbs commonly used in every day expressions like moechte, wuerde.
- (h) Phrases

Oral Skills

Listening activities : develop the sub-skills of listening, provide practice in ear-training.

Loud-reading: following the features of loud reading, provide practice in loud-reading.

Speaking: creating confidence in speaking. Using narration and description.

Conversation: ability to converse confidently and effectively, provide practice in conversation. Formal testing in oral skills will be administered.



