ARMY PUBLIC SCHOOL, MUMBAI (2018-19)
STANDARD CURRICULUM
CLASS: VIII   SUBJECT: ENGLISH

Sr no.	MONTH	LESSON NAME	ACTIVITIES	SKILL/VALUES	CORE VALUE
1	APRIL	**HONEYDEW: UNIT-1** A. The best Christmas present in the world B. The ant and the cricket **READER: LESSON 1** How the Camel got his hump **GRAMMAR: LESSON 1** Sentences and phrases **HONEYDEW: UNIT-2** A. The Tsunami	Write a letter to a friend highlighting your anxiety, fear and feelings. Construct a story using an outline Textual activity Diary Entry admiring the grit and determination of Tsunami survivors.	Compassion Responsibility Confidence Commitment Planning Positive approach	Knowledge
2	MAY	**GRAMMAR: LESSON2** NOUN AND PRONOUN **READER: LESSON 2** CHILDREN AT WORK **HONEYDEW: UNIT 2** B. Geography lesson	Textual activities Group discussion Elaborate on a statement	Helpfulness Confidence Effective communication Brotherhood	Environmental awareness
3	JUNE	**GRAMMAR: LESSON3** Adjectives and degrees of comparison	Making comparison in different situations	Effective communication	Environmental awareness
4	JULY	**HONEYDEW: UNIT3** A. Glimpses of the past B. Macavity:The Mystery Cat **READER: LESSON 3** Selfish Giant	Role play Create a comic using a story Paragraph writing Group discussion	Stage confidence Creativity Enthusiasm Effective communication	Positive attitude

		HONEYDEW: UNIT4 Bepin Choudhury's Lapse of memory **GRAMMAR: LESSON 4,5,6** Articles and determiners Verb-gerund, participle, infinitives	Loud reading of the poem Letter writing Rearranging jumbled words Textual activity		
5	AUGUST	**HONEYDEW: UNIT 5** A. The Summit within B. The school boy **READER: L4** The Treasure within **GRAMMAR: L7,8,9** Modals Subject verb agreement **HONEYDEW: UNIT6** A. This is Jody's fawn **B.** The Duck and the Kangaroo	Composition writing Textual writing Take an interview of a famous personality Textual activity Group discussion Paragraph writing Read aloud(poem) Dialogue writing	Enthusiasm Courage Determination Communication skills Knowledge Compassion Responsibility	National pride Scientific temperament
6	SEPTEMBER	**GRAMMAR:L 10,11,12** All tenses	Textual activity	Enthusiasm	Time management
7	OCTOBER	**HONEYDEW** A. Visit to Cambridge **B.** When I set out for Lyonnesse **READER: L 5,6** Princess September The Fight **GRAMMAR** A. Active passive B. Adverb and degree of comparison C. Preposition	Prepare a questionnaire for an interview Notice writing Pronunciation Role play Story narration Textual activity	Effective communication Confidence Speaking skills Knowledge	Respecting differences

8	NOVEMBER	**HONEYDEW: UNIT8** A. A short monsoon diary B. On the grasshopper and cricket **GRAMMAR** Conjunctions Direct indirect speech **READER** Jalebis	Paragraph writing Penning down superstitious beliefs Discussing one's view point	Speaking skills Knowledge	Health and wellness
9	DECEMBER	**GRAMMAR** Clauses Phrasal verbs Conditionals **HONEYDEW** A. The great stone face- I	Textual activity Story writing	Effective communication	Camaraderie
10	JANUARY	**READER: L 9,10** The comet I The comet 2 **GRAMMAR** Synthesis, Similes, verbs and prepositions (hand in hand) **HONEYDEW** B. The great stone face II	Group discussion Textual activity Incidental writing	Knowledge Application	Self-direction
11	FEBRUARY	**GRAMMAR** Note making Precis writing Email writing Dialogue writing	Writing skills	Communication skills	Right conduct