

Design of Question Paper for Phase I – II Class VIII Examination 2025

ENGLISH

PHASE-I

Weightage to different forms of questions

Unit	Details of Topics/Sections	Types of questions	Marks for each question	No. of questions	No. of Question/Marks	Total Marks
1	Prose	MCQ	1	3	3x1=3	3
		SA-I	2	3	3x2=6	6
		SA-II	3	1	1x3=3	3
		SA-III	4	2	2x4=8	8
		LA-I	5	1	1x5=5	5
2	Poetry	MCQ	1	2	2x1=2	2
		SA-I	2	2	2x2=4	4
		SA-III	4	1	1x4=4	4
		LA-I	5	1	1x5=5	5
Total				16		40

PHASE-II

Weightage to different forms of questions

Unit	Details of Topics/Sections	Types of questions	Marks for each question	No. of questions	No. of Question/ Marks	Total Marks
1	Prose	MCQ	1	3	3x1=3	3
		SA-I	2	3	3x2=6	6
		SA-II	3	1	1x3=3	3
		SA-III	4	2	2x4=8	8
		LA-I	5	1	1x5=5	5
2	Poetry	MCQ	1	2	2x1=2	2
		SA-I	2	2	2x2=4	4
		SA-III	4	1	1x4=4	4
		LA-I	5	1	1x5=5	5
Total				16		40

Weightage level of questions:

Sl. No.	Difficulty Level	Percentage (%)	Marks
1.	Easy	30	12
2.	Average	55	22
3.	Difficult	15	6
	Total	100	40

GRAMMAR

PHASE-I & II

Weightage to different forms of questions

Unit	Details of Topics/Sections	Types of questions	Marks for each question	No. of questions	Marks	Total Marks
1	Grammar and Composition	MCQ	1	5	5x1 =5	5
		VSA	1	5	5x1 =5	5
		SA-I	2	5	5x2 =10	10
		LA-I	5	2	2x5 =10	10
		LA-II	10	1	1x10=10	10
	Total			18		40

Weightage level of questions:

Sl. No.	Difficulty Level	Percentage (%)	Marks
1.	Easy	30	12
2.	Average	55	22
3.	Difficult	15	6
	Total	100	40

HINDI

Weightage to different forms of questions:

Phase I

Sl. No.	Topics	types of Qs	Marks for each question	No. of Qs	Marks	Total marks
1	Prose	MCQ	1	4	4x1=4	18
		VSA	1	4	4x1=4	
		SA I	2	2	2x2=4	
		SA II	3	2	2x3=6	
2	Poetry	MCQ	1	1	1x1=1	11
		VSA	1	2	2x1=2	
		SA I	2	4	4x2=8	
3	Grammar Translation	MCQ/VSA	1	7	7x1=7	11
		MCQ/VSA	1	4	4x1=4	
Total				30		40

Phase II

Sl. No.	Topics	Types of Qs	Marks for each question	No. of Qs	Marks	Total marks
1	Prose	MCQ	1	4	4x1=4	17
		VSA	1	3	3x1=3	
		SA I	2	2	2x2=4	

		SA II	3	2	2x3=6	
2	Poetry	MCQ	1	1	1x1=1	4
		VSA	1	1	1x1=1	
		SA I	2	1	1x2=2	
3	Grammar Translation Letter Writing	MCQ/VSA	1	11	11x1=11	19
		MCQ/VSA	1	2	2x1=2	
		LA I		1	1x6=6	

Sl.no.	Forms of Questions	Marks for each question	No. of Questions	Total marks
1.	Multiple Choice Question (MCQ)	1	28	28
2.	Very Short Answer (VSA)	1	16	16
3.	Short Answer (SA I)	2	9	18
4.	Short Answer (SA II)	3	4	12
5.	Long Answer (LA I)	6	1	6
Total			58	80

2. Weightage level of questions

Sl.no	Level	Percentage	Marks
1.	Easy	35	28
2.	Average	35	28
3.	Difficult	30	24

Scheme of options:

There will be no overall choice. However, internal choice shall be provided in 1 (one) question of 6 marks.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

PHASE-I & II

Weightage to different forms of questions:

Sl. no.	Forms of questions	Marks for each question	No. of questions	Total marks
1.	MCQ	1	7	7
2.	VSA	1	6	6
3.	SA-I	2	5	10
4.	SA-II	3	3	9
5.	LA	4	2	8
Total			23	40

Weightage level of questions:

Sl. No.	Difficulty Level	Percentage (%)	Marks
1.	Easy	30	12
2.	Average	50	20
3.	Difficult	20	8
	Total	100	40

Scheme of options:

There will be a general choice in 3 and 4 marks questions.

SCIENCE**PHASE-I & II****1. Weightage to different forms of questions:**

Sl. No.	Forms of questions	Marks for each question	No. of questions	Total marks
1.	MCQ	1	5	5
2.	Fill in the Blanks/True or false	1	4	4
3.	VSA	1	4	4
4.	SA-I	2	5	10
5.	SA-II	3	3	9
6.	LA	4	2	8
	Total		23	40

2. Weightage level of questions:

Sl. No.	Difficulty Level	Percentage (%)	Marks
1.	Easy	30	12
2.	Average	55	22
3.	Difficult	15	6
	Total	100	40

Scheme of options:

There will be no overall choice. However, internal choice shall be provided in

- i. 2 (two) questions of 3 marks. ii. 1 (one) question of 4 marks

MATHEMATICS

Weightage to different forms of questions for both Phase I and Phase II :

Sl. No	Forms of Q's	Marks per Q	No. of Q's	Total mark
1.	MCQ	1	5	5
2.	SA I	2	4	8
3.	SA II	3	5	15
4.	LA	4	3	12
Total :			17	40

Scheme of options:

1. Internal choice shall be provided in *any* 2 (two) questions of 3 marks in Section C, and *any* 2 (two) questions of 4 marks in Section D.
2. The options for the internal choice are to be set from the same unit with the same difficulty level.
3. Minimum 10% of the questions will be unfamiliar, either in the way they are framed and/or their context, which tests the core capacities/competencies.

Level-wise allocation of questions:

Sl. No.	Estimated difficulty level	Percentage	Marks
1.	Easy	35%	14
2.	Average	50%	20
3.	Difficult	15%	6

Phase I

Marks: 40

Chapter No.	Name of Chapter	Marks
1.	Rational Numbers	2
2.	Linear Equations in One Variable	6
3.	Understanding Quadrilaterals	8
5.	Squares and Square Roots	9
7.	Comparing Quantities	8
8.	Algebraic Expressions and Identities	7
Total:		40

Phase II

Marks: 40

Chapter No.	Name of Chapter	Marks
4.	Data Handling	8
6.	Cubes and Cube Roots	4
9.	Mensuration	9
10.	Exponents and Powers	4
11.	Direct and Inverse Proportions	4
12.	Factorisation	6
13.	Introduction to Graphs	5
Total:		40