

CLASS VIII

GEOGRAPHY SYLLABUS

PRESCRIBED BOOKS: LEARNWELL SOCIAL SCIENCE

| Months | Working Days | Unit/Chapter Name | Sub Topics | Exams/ Test Portion |
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| April | 24 | Chapter – 1. Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Resources - Types of Resources - Sustainable development and conservation of resources. | |
| May | 15 | Chapter – 2. Land and Soil Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Land Resources - Land degradation - Soil Resources - Soil degradation - Method of soil conservation | |
| June | 12 | Chapter – 3. Water Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Water and its composition - Problems of availability of water - Conservation of water resources | |
| July | 25 | Chapter – 4. Natural Vegetation and Wildlife | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vegetation - Distribution and types of natural vegetation - Causes of depletion of vegetation and wildlife - Conservation of Biodiversity - Convention | Revision for PT 1 Chapter 1,2 |
| August | 24 | Chapter - 5. Mineral and Power Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minerals - Extraction of Minerals - World Distribution of Minerals - Distribution of minerals in India - Conservation of Minerals - Power and Energy Resources - Conservation of Power and Energy | PT 1 Exam |

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| September | 13 | Chapter – 6. Agriculture | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Agriculture - Types of Farming - Major Crops - Agricultural Development - Problems of Indian Farmers - Agriculture In India - Agriculture in USA | Half Yearly Exam Chapter 1,2,3,4 |
| October | 18 | Chapter – 7. Industries | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Industry - Classification of Industries - Factors influencing location of Industries - Industrial regions of India - Major Industries - Industrial disasters that shook the world - Iron and Steel Industry - Cotton textile - Information Technology - Environmental Degradation | Revision for PT 2 Chapter 5,6 |
| November | 22 | Chapter – 8. Human Resources | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Humans, the ultimate resource - Factors affecting distribution of population - Population Change - Population composition - Population pyramid | PT 2 Exam |
| December | 18 | Chapter – 9. Disasters | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Disasters - Natural disasters - Human made disasters - Community and You - Preparedness and prevention | Revision for PT 3 Chapter 7,8,9 |
| January | 26 | Revision for Final Exams | - | PT 3 Exam |
| February | | | - | Final Exam Chapter 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9 |