



SALWAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Mayur Vihar, Delhi - 110096



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Subject : Holiday Homework, Class VIII, Session :2026-2027

Summer Vacation is a time to relax, discover, imagine and learn beyond the classroom. Through activities like reflective writing, surveys, blogs, creative tasks, observations and real-life explorations, students will strengthen their communication, research, presentation and thinking skills in an enjoyable way.

Make this break meaningful by reading, exploring nature, interacting with people around you and expressing ideas creatively. Complete all tasks neatly, independently and innovatively while enjoying the spirit of learning.

Summer Break will commence from Wednesday, 18 May 2026 and will continue till Tuesday, 30 June 2026. The school will reopen on Wednesday, 01 July 2026.

The detailed instructions and assignment guidelines are appended below:

Subject	Activity	Learning Outcomes	General Instructions	Rubrics
English	Topic: Social Awareness 1. Create a storyboard from a story by R. K. Narayan. 2. Design a newspaper page. 3. Write a character interview.	Develops inferential comprehension. Strengthens paraphrasing skills. Encourages aesthetic and creative expression.	Use an A4-size scrapbook/file. Integrate art forms: drawing, painting, collage, calligraphy, digital art. Ensure relevance to the text/theme studied.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Creativity & Originality• Presentation & Neatness• Language Accuracy• Completion & Reflection (5 Marks Each)
Hindi	कथा सम्राट 'प्रेमचंद जी' की किसी एक कहानी का चयन करें। ए-4 साइज़ शीट पर उसका एक	छात्र प्रेमचंद जी की कहानियों के विषय, संदेश और पात्रों को समझने तथा उन पर विचार करने के लिए प्रेरित होंगे।	कार्य A-4 साइज़ शीट पर साफ-सुथरे एवं रचनात्मक ढंग से करें। पुस्तक आवरण रंगीन, आकर्षक तथा	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• कला एकीकरण (डिजाइन/ले आउट)• मौलिकता व रचनात्मकता

	आकर्षक एवं सुंदर पुस्तक आवरण (Book Cover) तैयार करें। साथ ही भीतर के भाग में उस कृति की लगभग 80-100 शब्दों में संक्षिप्त एवं प्रभावशाली समीक्षा लिखें। इस कार्य को विद्यालय खुलने पर कक्षा में जमा कराएँ।	2. छात्रों में रचनात्मकता, कौशल और प्रस्तुतिकरण क्षमता का विकास होगा।	कहानी के विषय के अनुरूप होना चाहिए। समीक्षा 80-100 शब्दों में सरल, प्रभावशाली एवं शुद्ध हिंदी में लिखें। संदर्भ लिंक https://youtu.b3H7fE4oDYsk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> विषय वस्तु की प्रासंगिकता भाषा सौष्ठव प्रस्तुति व स्वच्छता (5 Marks Each)
Sanskrit	मम पञ्च सुविचाराः स्वपसन्दानुसारं पञ्च सुविचारान् सुलेखेन लिखत। प्रत्येकस्य सुविचारस्य सह एकं लघु-चित्रं अंकयत।	रचनात्मकतायाः विकासजः संस्कृत लेखन क्षमतायाः कलात्मकतायाः च विकासः	प्रस्तुति: A-3 पत्रे सृजनात्मक-रीत्या सज्जीकृत्य संदर्भ लिंक: https://adidasanskrit.com/prernaadayak-sanskrit-quotes/	प्रस्तुतिकरण विषयज्ञानं कलात्मकता भाषाज्ञानम् (5 Marks Each)
Mathematics	Design a colourful shopping catalogue, festive sale poster, or digital brochure showing	The objective of this project is to help students understand and apply the concept of percentages in real-life situations such as shopping, discounts, and	The project may be submitted: On A4 sheets Or digitally using Canva/Adobe Express	Creativity and Visual Appeal Correct Use of Percentage and Discount Concepts

	<p>exciting discount offers on different products. Students may create any of the following (colourful illustrations, labels, and creative layouts):</p> <p>A festive sale brochure.</p> <p>A supermarket advertisement</p> <p>A fashion sale catalogue</p> <p>An online shopping flyer</p> <p>A “Mega Discount Sale” poster</p> <p>The brochure/poster must include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Name and picture/drawing of at least 5 products -Marked Price (MP) of each product -Discount percentage offered -Amount of discount -Final price after discount -Students must clearly show all mathematical 	<p>budgeting. The activity aims to develop calculation skills, logical thinking, creativity, and financial awareness through artistic presentation and practical application of Mathematics.</p>	<p>Students may use drawings, magazine cut-outs, printed pictures, or digital art.</p> <p>References</p> <p>Reference Videos:</p> <p>How to make a poster: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NHXidIH-dBw</p> <p>Picture/Design References:</p> <p>Students may refer to shopping catalogues, newspaper advertisements, online sale posters, and supermarket flyers for design ideas.</p>	<p>Accuracy of Mathematical Calculations</p> <p>Presentation, Organization, and Neatness</p> <p>(5 Marks Each)</p>
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	calculations in a table or box.			
Science	<p>Case Study on a Water Conservation Success Story</p> <p>Task:</p> <p>Students will research and present a case study on any successful water conservation initiative from India or around the world.</p> <p>Suggested Topics</p> <p>Rainwater harvesting in Rajasthan</p> <p>Revival of lakes in Bengaluru</p> <p>Jal Shakti Abhiyan.</p> <p>Prepare a handwritten or digital report (2–3 pages).</p> <p>Include:</p> <p>Introduction of the place/ project.</p> <p>Problem faced</p> <p>Steps taken for water conservation</p> <p>Impact on people.</p>	<p>Develop awareness about responsible water usage and conservation practices.</p> <p>To encourage students become responsible water users through research, creativity, and community awareness.</p>	<p>Complete the activity neatly in a science file/scrapbook.</p> <p>Use tables, charts, drawings, pictures or slogans wherever required.</p> <p>Observe and record information carefully and honestly.</p> <p>Use eco-friendly materials and maintain creativity in presentation.</p>	<p>Content</p> <p>Creativity</p> <p>Organisation & Clarity</p> <p>Presentation</p> <p>(5 Marks Each)</p>

	Your learning/ reflection.			
Social Science	<p>Design Your Own Industry – Collage and a map- Creative Collage Activity.</p> <p>Ideal Factors for the Location of an Industry Create a colorful collage on an A3 sheet showing the important factors needed for setting up an industry. Create a colorful A3 collage showing the ideal factors required for setting up an industry, such as raw materials, transport, labour, water supply, electricity, market, communication, climate, government support, and skilled workers. Use drawings, pictures,</p>	<p>Understand factors affecting industrial location.</p> <p>Recognise the role of human resources.</p> <p>Develop creativity and research skills.</p> <p>Improve presentation and analytical abilities.</p> <p>Appreciate the importance of skill development in nation-building.</p>	<p>Reference chapter 7 first book. Homework should be neat, creative and well-labelled.</p> <p>Use eco-friendly decorative material wherever possible.</p> <p>Submit in a file/folder after the summer vacation.</p> <p>Mention your name, class and section clearly.</p>	<p>Content</p> <p>Creativity & Presentation</p> <p>Data collection</p> <p>Relevance (5 Marks Each)</p>

	<p>labels, slogans, and creative decorations to make the collage attractive and informative. Students will also research any one industry and understand how skill development helps industries grow, improves employment opportunities, and supports national development.</p>			
IT	<p>Students are required to prepare a creative digital project on Home Automation. The project should include the concept, features, components, and working of Home Automation systems along with suitable examples such as smart lights, smart fans, smart locks, security cameras, smart</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students will enhance creativity, research, digital presentation and organizational skills through innovative project designing. 	<p>Students are encouraged to present the information in an innovative and well-organized manner using suitable digital tools, images, charts, presentations, videos, and creative ideas. The completed digital project must be uploaded through the provided link on [EduNext Technologies](https://www.ed</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research skills • Creativity & Presentation • Originality • understanding of the topic. <p>(5 Marks Each)</p>

	speakers, and automated home appliances. Students should also explore the uses, benefits, and applications of Home Automation in security, energy saving, comfort, convenience, and smart living by explaining how automated systems help in controlling household devices through mobile applications, sensors, and voice assistants.		unexttechnologies.com/?utm_source=chatgpt.com) within the stipulated time.”	
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Important days to observe in June 2026

World Environment Day – Friday, 05 June 2026

World Environment Day reminds us about the importance of protecting nature and using resources responsibly for a sustainable future. Students and parents are encouraged to adopt environment-friendly practices and contribute towards making the planet cleaner and greener.

Activity: Students are encouraged to watch the special podcast **“Our Power, Our Planet”** on Friday, 05 June 2026 available on the school’s YouTube channel. The podcast features Ahana Salwan of Class XII C and Shivika Pratap Singh of Class XI E in an engaging conversation with Dr. Shyamli, Associate Professor Centre for Climate Change South Asian

University, and Dr. Rakesh Khatri, popularly known as the Nest Man of India. The discussion offered insightful perspectives on environmental responsibility, sustainable living, and the importance of individual efforts towards conservation. The session proved to be both informative and inspiring for the students.

Special thanks to our alumnus from batch 2013, Mr. Sarfaraz, Founder and CEO Startup Times, for his valuable support in creating and organising the podcast.

International Yoga Day, World Music Day & Father Day – Sunday, 22 June 2026

Activity: Father's Day Wellness & Reflection – Yoga, Conversations and Life Lessons

- Celebrate Father's Day and International Yoga Day by encouraging students to practice yoga with their fathers or father figures. The activity aims to promote fitness, mindfulness, gratitude, respect and strong family bonding through shared experiences and healthy lifestyle practices.
- Conduct a thoughtful interview with your father or father figure to explore his life journey, experiences, struggles, achievements and values.

Students are encouraged to present the interview creatively through a written article/ short video recording/ photograph with captions/ voice-over presentation or digital collage. They may also include reflections on what they learnt from the interaction.

Kindly upload the activity in google classroom. A submission link will be shared by the class teacher.

Important Guidelines During Summer Vacation:

1. Students to complete the worksheets and revise the syllabus done till date in all subjects.
2. Practice good civic sense by keeping your surroundings clean, respecting public property and behaving responsibly in public places. Small acts of discipline, kindness and consideration help in building a peaceful, healthy and harmonious society.
3. Students are encouraged to learn at least one skill during the summer break to become more independent and responsible. Skills may include cooking simple meals, basic financial management, stitching/button fixing, gardening, first aid, public speaking, digital designing or household management.
4. Students and parents are encouraged to adopt digital practices, use public transport and choose Made-in-India products to conserve national resources, promote self-reliance and strengthen national integrity.

5. Parents are encouraged to help children balance screen time with family interactions, reading habits, outdoor activities and meaningful learning experiences during the summer holidays.

Some Suggestive books to read:

Students are encouraged to read any one of the following suggested books or any novel of your choice, during the summer break and prepare a brief book review/presentation to share with the class after the school reopens:

1. The Room on the Roof – Ruskin Bond
2. Wonder – R. J. Palacio
3. The Hidden Hindu – Akshat Gupta
4. Treasure Island – Robert Louis Stevenson
5. The Canterville Ghost – Oscar Wilde
6. Around the World in Eighty Days – Jules Verne
7. Matilda – Roald Dahl
8. Gulliver’s Travels – Jonathan Swift
9. I Am Malala – Malala Yousafzai
10. The Famous Five – Enid Blyton

Students will present their reviews in class after the summer vacation. A Certificate of Appreciation will be awarded for the best presentation/book review.

May this vacation inspire curiosity, positivity and personal growth while giving students time to connect with family, hobbies and new experiences. We eagerly await their return with fresh ideas, joyful hearts and a renewed passion for learning.

Wishing you happy, refreshing and rejuvenating holidays filled with joy, creativity and memorable moments.

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Principal