

23. FRENCH - Code No. 018

CLASS IX

One paper	3 Hours	Marks : 100	Suggested Periods
Section A	Reading	20	50
Two unseen Passages (Prose or Poetry) with a variety of comprehension Questions including 08 Marks for word attack skills 2 × 10		20	
Section B	Writing		65
1.	One Informal letter of not more than 80 words	10	
2.	One short composition (message, note, invitation, Postcard) of not more than 30 words	05	
3.	One short composition of not more than 30 words based on a verbal stimulus	05	
4.	Composition of about 80 words based on a visual stimulus	10	
Section C	Grammar Writing	40	65
A variety of short question involving the use of Particular Structures within a context (not in isolated sentences). Test types used will include gap- filling, sentence completion, sentence reordering and construction of questions as well as statements based on clues Provided in a context. The grammar syllabus will be sampled each year with marks allotted for : verb forms, sentence structures and other areas			
Section D	Culture and Civilization	10	10
A variety of questions which include short question, sentence completion, matching etc. on culture and civilization from the prescribed text book.			
<i>Prescribed Books</i>			
"Entre Jeunes" - Main Course Book, CBSE, Delhi			
"Entre Jeunes" - Work Book, CBSE, Delhi			

- Construction of questions or answers
- Construction of negative sentences
- Error correction (not involving punctuation and spelling)

The grammar syllabus will be sampled each year with marks allotted for verb forms and sentence structures.

Section D	Culture & Civilization	15	15
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A variety of questions which include short answer questions, sentence completion, matching etc. on culture and civilization from the prescribed text book.

Books Prescribed

Entre Jeunes II	Main Course Book
Entre Jeunes II	Work Book