

MYP SUBJECT GROUP OVERVIEW (SGO) ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LITERATURE



			MYP YE	AR 1 ENGLISH	H LANGUAGE AN	ND LITERATURE	
Unit title	Key concept	Related concept(s)	Global context	Statement of inquiry	MYP subject group objective(s)	ATL skills / Learner Profile	Content (topics, knowledge, skills)
Be Kind 80 sessions @ 40 min.	Perspective	Character Setting Theme Style	Identities and relationship- Exploration- Human relationships including family and friends, communities and cultures.	Students will explore the use of style, theme and character that create an identity in August's life as the protagonist of 'Wonder'.	A: Analysing (strands i-iv) B: Organizing strands i-iii): C: Producing text (strands i-iii): D: Using language (i-v)	Thinking skills- Critical and creative Social skills: Collaboration Communication skills Backward Planning Performance of Understanding/ to build on the past to shape the future Complement Global with Local and connect with RLS. Reflect transfer of skills, knowledge and understanding. Mentor, stimulate, provoke, engage to nurture creativity in self expression/ exposition. [Ib resources] LP-Open- minded Communication skills- Through interaction and language Social Skills- Collaboration skills LP- Communicator	Content – Prose Novel- Wonder by Racquel J Palacio 1. Understanding both explicit and implicit meaning. 2. Commenting on character and situations 3. Understandin the use of language to create the desired effect.4. Exploring language and structure. 5. Writing to describe, inform, and comment. 6. Words that imply different shades of meaning, strong nouns and verbs, concrete and sensory details, figurative language – simple metaphors or personification. 7. Analyzing comparison and contrast (movie compared to text, different characters view) Structure & Usage: The students will employ organizational structures that serve the context and intention. Descriptive writing - adjectives, sensory details. Persuasive writing, Transitions, Punctuation usage Service As Action- Anti-Bullying Campaign 'How can we be kind?', Research and presentation of 'Treacher Collins Disease' in assembly Connections- Short stories- Content -1. The Umbrella Man-Roald Dahl;2.Malgudi Days -Swami by RK Narayan3.'Amigo brothers ' by Piri

							Thomas" Structure & Usage 1-Explore the background of the writer. 2. Gauge explicit and implicit meaning. 3Evaluate the use of language and structure for effect. 4. Write to evaluate, describe, inform and entertain. 3 Precise and descriptive language for clarity, richness and/or its effect on the reader (words with multiple meanings) 5. Words that imply different shades of meaning, strong nouns and verbs, concrete and sensory details, figurative language — simple metaphors or personification.6 Write versatile stories and letters with plots. Service As Action-Exploring and sharing Gandhian Values Connections — Writing a short story
Drama -Our Past Defines Us 50 sessions @ 40 min.	Communication	Structure Context Character	Fairness and Development Exploration Students will explore rights and responsibilities imagining a hopeful future	In the structure of drama, the context communicates the difficulties of Victorian England and the disparities. Students' grapple with what is fair and how one can develop	A: Analysing (strands i-iv) B: Organizing strands i-iii): C: Producing text (strands i-iii): D: Using language (i-v)	Thinking skills: Critical and creative;Social skills- Collaboration: Communication skills: Through interaction and language. LP- Risktaker	Drama- A Christmas Carol by Charles Dickens. Content- Vocabulary, plot, theme, character analysis; how the writer transitions from one key idea to the next. Structure and usage-Writing skill (articles, figurative language, informal letter/diary writing) Service As Action Assembly - Don't be a Scrooge (How to be CARING - use your words wisely), Role Plays and Characterization Presentation

				oneself			
Poems- 'Rhyme and Reason' 30 sessions @ 40 min.	Creativity	Self- expression Style, Purpose	Personal and cultural expression. Exploration Appreciation of the aesthetic and enjoyment of the creativity	The style and creativity of free verse and poetry display the personal expressions of the poet and thereby connect to the reader.	A: Analysing (strands i-iv) B: Organizing strands i-iii): C: Producing text (strands i-iii): D: Using language (i-v)	Social Skills- Collabration skills Communication skills through Interaction and language. LP- Communicator	Content: -For assessing(AL) and consolidated learning (CL) 1. 'Brook' by Alfred Tennyson (lyrical AL); 2, 'Where the mind is without fear' (Free Verse) by Tagore (AL); 3, 4. The Mosquito' by D.H. Lawrence(AL) with Jabberwocky by Lewis Carroll (CL) 5. 'Hope is the Thing with Feathers' (by Emily Dickinson(AL) 6. 'The Road Not Taken' by Robert Frost (AL) with 'On.on,onwards' by; 7 'Frog and the Nightingale' by Vikram Seth (narrative-CL) with We Are Seven (AL)By William Wordsworth Structure and usage- 1. Imagery, Personification, repetition, hyperbole, and other literary devices and their effects. 2. Students will explore the range of poetry and relate to this context and produce creative responses. Connections - Recitation of poems; elocution

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Unit title	Key concept	Related concept(s)	Global context	Statement of inquiry	MYP subject group objective(s)	ATL skills / Learner Profile	Content (topics, knowledge, skills)
Unit Title - A New World of Adventures: Prose - The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe 80 sessions @ 40 min.	Connections	Point of view, Theme, Character, genre	Globalization and Sustainability Exploration—Students will explore the interconnectedness of human-made systems and communities.	C.S. Lewis' connections between nature and humanity create an effect that demands change in our sustainability choices	A: Analysing (strands i-iv) B: Organizing strands i-iii): C: Producing text (strands i-iii): D: Using language (i-v)	Thinking skills: Research skills- information literacy skill Social Skills- Collaboration Communication skills- Through Interaction and language Backward Planning Performance of Understanding/ to build on the past to shape the future. Complement Global with Local and connect with RLS. Reflect transfer of skills, knowledge and understanding. Mentor, stimulate, provoke, engage to nurture creativity in self expression/ exposition. [Ib resources] LP-,Risk taker	Novel- The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis Content- 1. Interpretation, analysis and evaluation of text through explicit and inferential; 2- Tracking development of literary techniques. Structure and Usage- Consolidation of language structures through literature to refine communication. Service As Action- Persuasive speech about animal testing Connections- How does society over time see nature and animals? Humane treatment of animal's (discussion). Persuasive Essay - is it humane to test animals for cosmetics, medicine, etc.?

Short stories- 40 sessions @ 40 min.	Communi-	Context, Point of View, Style, Setting	Identities and relationships Exploration - Students will explore identity; beliefs and values; cultures. Scientific and Technical Innovation (All summer in a day) Expoloration - Virtual Environment & Information age	Short stories help us to explore the human relationships, different moods and the roles people play in different environment.	A-Analysing B - Organizing C- Producing text D- Using language	Communicati on skills Social skills- LP- Reflective	Stories:1 'A Model Millionaire' by Oscar Wilde; 2.'Idgah' by Munshi Premchand (translated by Kushwant Singh);3.'The Foghorn' by Ray Bradbury 4. ' How I Taught My Grandmother To Read' by Sudha Murthy Students will focus on how the elements of literature come together in the short story format by analyzing the stories they read. Students will also examine the ways authors use language to suit their own purposes. They will consider the differences between what we can read from images and words. Structure and Usage: Words that imply different shades of meaning, strong nouns and verbs, concrete and sensory details, figurative language. Write versatile stories and letters with plots. Being adaptable to the varying moods of the world literature component. Service as Action- Short Story writing Learning outcome- Become more aware of their own strengths and areas of growth
- Love and Magic- Drama - "A	cation	context, character	Cultural expressions. Exploration- The ways in which we	effective, purposeful communication in varying genres,	- Organizing C- Producing text D- Using language.	Creative and Transfer- Social skills- Collaboration,	Shakespeare Content- 'Students will look at the issues raised in the play and connect them to modern issues (discrimination, the role of women

Midsummer	express	encourages		Communication	in society, marriage, friendship)
Night's	feelings,	humankind to	LP -	skills	1. Interpretation, analysis and
Dream'by	nature,	successfully	Communicator	through interaction	evaluation of text through explicit and
William	culture; t	he determine the		and	inferential; 2- Tracking development of
Shakespe are	ways in v	which interconnecte		language.	literary techniques.
	we exten	d d ness of			Structure and Usage- Consolidation of
	and enjoy	civilizations			language structures through literature to
50 sessions	our creati	vity and			refine communication.
@		cultures.			Students will focus on the
40 min.					components of academic essay
					writing
					IDU with Drama -Presenting an Extract
					/Scene of the
					Play while relating it to the today's
					world.

			MYP YE	CAR 3 ENGLISH	I LANGUAGE AN	D LITERATURE	
Unit title	Key concept	Related concept(s)	Global context	Statement of inquiry	MYP subject group objective(s)	ATL skills / Learner Profile	Content (topics, knowledge, skills)
Power and Justice (Drama) 80 sessions @ 40 min.	Connections	Character, Structure Theme	Orientation in space and time Exploration- Students will explore turning points in the relationships between individuals from personal, local and global perspectives.	Individual connections, relationships, and choices (as demonstrated through a play) have far- reaching impacts and influence upon others.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	IThinking skills: Creative and Transfer, Research skills, Social Skills: collaboration, Communication skills: (Interaction and language) Backward Planning Performance of Understanding/ to build on the past to shape the future. Complement Global with Local and connect with RLS. Reflect transfer of skills, knowledge and understanding. Mentor, stimulate, provoke, engage to nurture creativity in self expression/ exposition. [Ib resources] LP- Communicator Reflective	Drama-The Merchant of Venice by William Shakespeare. Content-Through an analysis of Shakespearean society and the play, students will explore the historical and social context of Shakespeare's works, the genre of tragicomedy and the concepts of power, conflict and justice. The student will also develop their understanding of literary devices through a study of various poetic forms and techniques. Structure and Usage-Students will focus on the components of components of academic essay writing write a creative narrative from a character's point of view; Write about one incident from multiple points of view: analysis, provide evidence to support opinions, creatively express understanding of text. Connections: Shakespearean Newspaper

Poetry Inspires and Enriches 30 sessions @ 40 min.	Creativity	Audience Imperatives Purpose Intertextuality	Personal and cultural expressions Exploration- Ways in which we express ideas, beliefs and values; the ways in which we reflect on creativity.	Poetic verses and rhythmic writing evoke an empathic response from the readers.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	Thinking skills: Creative, Transfer Social skills- Collaborative Communication (Interaction and Language) LP- Communicator	Poetry- For assessing(AL) and consolidated learning (CL) 1-'Roadside stand by Robert Frost' 2. Still I rise by Maya Angelou 3. Lake Isle of Innisfree by W.B.Yeats 3-A Dog has died' by Pablo Neruda (AL-poetry in translation) (CL 8. Song lyrics (Connections) Content-persuasive ,interpretative/analytic writing Structure and Usage: Identification of poetic devices and the effect they create on the understanding of the poem on the reader. Annotate text; comparative exploration of texts Connections: Recitation
Short Stories- Embracing Heritage from across the world 40 sessions @ 40 min.	Perspective	Context, Point of View, Setting	Identities and relationships Exploration- Students will explore identity; beliefs and values; human relationships	Experiences of life, mood and atmosphere, influence our perception	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	Social skills- Collaborative Communicatio n- (Interaction and Language) .LP- Thinker, open minded	Short Stories Stories 1.'Eleven' by Sandra Cisneros 2-'The Paper Menagerie' by Ken Lui 3'Lamb to Slaughter' by Roald Dahl 4-Kabuliwala by Rabindranath Tagore (story in translation) 5- Philomel Cottage by Agatha Christie 6-'The Test ' by Theodore Thomas Content- What affect does conflict have on the plot of a literary text? How does understanding an author's craft, including tone, flashback, and foreshadowing, help me interpret the meaning of a narrative text? Analyze an author's development of characters, setting, and conflict in a given literary text; Interpret the effect of an author's craft (including tone and the use of flashback and foreshadowing) on the

							meaning of literary texts.6- 1.6 Compare/contrast main ideas within and across literary texts Structure and Usage- Transformation and synthesis of sentences; Directed writing skills Connections: Short story Writing Task.
Trials and Tribulations Prose- Graphic novel Pashmina by Nidhi Chanani	Perspective	Audience imperatives, Style, Theme	Identities and relationships - Exploration Happiness and the good life, Moral reasoning and ethical judgment, Selfesteem, Roles and role models	Relationships help define one's identity and beliefs as well as frame one's perspective about life.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language	Social skills-Collaborative Communicatio n- (Interaction and Language) Thinking skills:	Novel -Graphic novel -Pashmina by Nidhi Chanani & Novel -in Verse - 'Brown Girl Dreaming' by Jacqueline Woodson Content-1. Interpretation, analysis and evaluation of text through explicit and inferential; 2- Tracking development of literary techniques. 3. How to discuss a novel and its theme using the novel 4 Demonstration of personal interpretation of the themes and messages of the novel by completing writing exercises and class discussions.
Novel -in Verse - 'Brown Girl Dreaming' by Jacqueline Woodson For both – (together) 50 sessions @40 min.	Communica -tion	genre, inter- textuality, point of view, style.	Fairness and development- Exploration- Students will explore access to equal opportunities	Conflict promotes growth and change.	All strands	Creative, Transfer Research skill LP- Inquirer, communicator	5 Investigation into different types of societies, cultures and systems of economics and government, develop opinions?' 6-Structure of exposition and exploration of complex concepts of women's rights, social issues, racism and prejudices using in-class debates Structure and Usage- Consolidation of language structures through literature to refine communication.

	MYP YEAR 4 ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE										
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Novel- The Purple Hibiscus by C. Adichii Literature-70 sessions @ 40 min Language (Structure and Usage) - 160 sessions @ 40 min. (scaffoldin g for reading writing and communic ation skills through Literature.)	Communication to kestablish Connections Across Time, Place & Cultures to explore the relationships between Readers, Writers and Texts.	Representation of Literary conflict through Authorial choices of Setting, Context, Characterisation, Theme.	in space and time	The defining power of the perception of the diversity of cultures and the consequent challenges of assimilation via exploration of Jhumpa Lahiri's novel, "The Namesake".	A- Analyzing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language	Communication Skills. Research Skills, Critical Thinking Skills, LP- Thinker, Communicator	Novel-"The Purple Hibiscus' by Chimamanda Adichi CONTENT- 1. Explore the importance of cultural and contextual elements to the novel's exposition and impact. 2. Appraise authorial choices for structure, organisation and development of content. [Reading objectives of Language to provide requisite scaffolding] 3. Maintain a sustained focus on interpretation, analysis, synthesis and evaluation supported with appropriate text reference. 4. Write effectively to inform, narrate, argue, persuade, to present their chosen perspective. 5. Consciously use task and audience appropriate register. 6. Illustration of the Global Context through the author's work to augment intercultural tolerance. Structure and Usage: The students will learn appreciation of the effect writer's create through language and genre- specific conventions.; additional scaffolding via language usage and appraisal exercises.				

							LEARNING OUTCOME: Comprehend Literary content; analyse using Higher Order Thinking Skills in conjunction with Visual Thinking Routines. Adapt to and use subject specific terminology; Use complex language structures to communicate with a measure of finesse
Play - 'Twelfth Night' by William Shakespe are. 70 sessions @ 40 min.	Connections Connections- Establish links, bonds and relationships among people, across time, texts and cultures.	Audience imperatives, Setting, Character, Context.	Identities and relationships Exploration- socio- cultural and socio- psychological implications.	Emotions affect judgment and impact attitudes.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	Thinking and Research skills LP- Open minded, Inquirer Reflective	Drama -

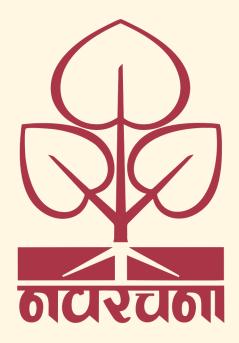
							A contemporary take on disguise and romance
Short poems-60 sessions @ 40 min.	Perspectives	Self-expression, style, structure	Personal and cultural expression Exploration-Ideas, feelings, nature, beliefs and values; our analysis and appreciation of aesthetics	Critical readers understand that context and authors' perspectives affect readers' interpretations of literary texts.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	Thinking skills, Research and Communicatio n skills LP- Reflective, Open- minded, Inquirer	Margaret Atwood, 'The City Planners' Boey Kim Cheng, 'The Planners' Thom Gunn, 'The Man with Night Sweats' Robert Lowell, 'Night Sweat' Edward Thomas, 'Rain' Anne Stevenson, 'The Spirit is too Blunt an Instrument' Tony Harrison, 'From Long Distance' W H Auden, 'Funeral Blues' Thomas Hardy, 'He Never Expected Much' Fleur Adcock, 'The Telephone Call' Peter Porter, 'A Consumer's Report' Judith Wright, 'Request To A Year' Charles Tennyson Turner, 'On Finding a Small Fly Crushed in a Book' Percy Bysshe Shelley, 'Ozymandias' Stevie Smith, 'Away, Melancholy' CONTENT: 1. Appreciation of literary devices; 2. Exploration of the central idea and thematic concerns 3. Appreciation of genre specific conventions 4. Evaluation, Analysis and Synthesis of ideas 5.Appraise the poets' thoughts and feelings and appreciate the nuances, structure, style and technique of poetry.

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	Identity,	Self-	Identities and	Insightful	A- Analyzing B-	Thinking skills	Novel- 'Namesake' by Jhumpa Lahiri
Novel- 'Life	perspectives,	expression,	relationships	perspectives	Organizing-	and	
of Pi 'by	relationships	structure,	•	help establish	C- Producing	Communication	CONTENT-
Yann Martel	•	style, genre	Exploration-	meaningful	text	skills	1. Explore and appraise writer's choices
			Ideas,	relationships	D- Using language		for creating effect.
			feelings,	•		LP- Thinker,	2. Understand the importance
Literature-			nature,			Reflective	of using audience
70 sessions			beliefs and				appropriate tone and register
@			values; our				3. Write to inform, evaluate, narrate,
40 min			analysis and				argue, persuade, and
			appreciation of				present their perspective. 4. The
Language			aesthetics				themes of spirituality and religion,
(Structure							self-perception, the definition of
and Usage)							family, and the nature of animals.
- 160							Also, discussion on morality, faith
sessions @							and the ambivalence of what
40 min.							constitutes truth.
(the reading							Structure and Usage:
writing and							The students will be taught to
communicat							appreciate the effect writer's create
ion skill							through their choices of language and
would be							the use of genre- specific
reinforced							conventions.; additional scaffolding
in							via language usage and appraisal
all the units							exercises.
of							Reading Skills: 1- demonstrate a
literature							precise understanding of
through							extended texts. 2- Synthesize,
language)							develop, analyse and evaluate facts,
2 2 .							ideas and opinions. 3- Effectively
							summarise, paraphrase and re-
							express. 4-demonstrate

Play -	Connections	genre,	orientation in	Individual		Thinking and	understanding of how writers achieve their effects. 5- recognise and respond to sophisticated. 6- linguistic devices. 7- Extract appropriate information for specific purposes. Writing Skills: 1- express effectively what is thought, felt and imagined. 2- Order and convey facts, ideas and opinions effectively. 3- Demonstrate a sophisticated use of imaginative and varied vocabulary. 4- Demonstrate a clear sense of audience and context. 5- Demonstrate accuracy in spelling, punctuation and grammar. 6- Use effectively a variety of sentence structures. Communicating Skills: 1- describe and reflect on experience, and express effectively what is thought, felt and imagined. 2- Understand and convey complex information in a sophisticated way. 3- Order and present facts, ideas and opinions effectively. 4- Discuss statements of opinion and attitude, discerning underlying assumptions and points of view. 5- Communicate with clarity, focus and purpose. 6- communicate appropriately depending on the audience and context 7- Evaluate and reflect on what is heard.
'Twelfth	2 3 111 2 11 3 11 5	Intertextuality,	space and	connections,	A- Analysing B-	Research skills	'Twelfth Night' by William Shakespeare.
Night '		style	time	relationships	Organizing-		CONTENT-
by William				and choices	C- Producing text		

Shakespeare. 70 sessions @ 40 min.	Exploration- socio- cultural and socio- psychological implications. have far- reaching impacts and influence on others	D- Using language Reflective All strands	'Twelfth Night'— Act and scene wise detailed study Explicit • Understanding of text in the dramatist's chosen context • Topic tracking-tracing the development of theme, plot, character Inferential • A critical appreciation of dramatic conventions utilized and the effect the playwright creates. • Draw inferences, recognize implications and make deductions to evaluate the play • Analyze content against the context chosen. • Appraise plot development, the ascending action towards the climax and the denouement Evaluatory • Exposition the relative significance of the use of dramatic conventions to its larger cultural, contextual and literary purpose. Service As Action- Class to prepare a video on thematic exploration, characterization, significant dialogues and exploration of the unit plan. Also a reflection on the central message of the play. The video to be then shared with other grades.
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Short poems-60 sessions @ 40 min.	Perspectives	Genres, self- expression, style, structure	Personal and cultural expression Exploration- Ideas, feelings, nature, beliefs and values; our analysis and appreciation of aesthetics	Critical readers understand that context and authors' perspectives affect readers' interpretations of literary texts.	A- Analysing B- Organizing- C- Producing text D- Using language All strands	Thinking skills, Research and Communication skills LP- Reflective, Open- minded, Inquirer	Poems Poems by Ted Hughes 1The Thought-Fox 2.The Harvest Moon 3. The Jaguar 4. Football at Slack 5. The Horses 6. Roe-Deer 7. Wind 8. A Memory 9. Relic 10.Telegraph Wires 11.Hawk Roosting 12.Anniversary 13.Cat and Mouse 14.The Other 15. Snowdrop



The Navrachana logo comprises three leaves of the Bodhi tree under which Lord Buddha attained enlightenment. The leaves signify the three vital facets of the child's physical, mental-emotional growth, and development. This translates as Navrachana, which is "New Creation".

The emblem thus symbolizes the aim of the school, which is to build, nurture, and groom these three qualities, to create well-balanced and multifaceted individuals who consistently strive to realize their true potential