Subject: English Language
Form: 4
Compulsory Syllabus

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Skills

A. Paper 1 — Reading
- Identifying the main ideas in a text
- Skimming and scanning for information
- Tackling thematic and factual questions
- Inferring meaning of unfamiliar words
- Tackling vocabulary questions
- Inferring to understand facts, opinions, and attitudes
- Summarising key information
- Identifying and using synonyms
- Understanding the flow of ideas
- Identifying and tackling questions on figurative language

B. Paper 2 — Writing
- Picture aided writing
- Personal letters and emails
- Proofreading and writing
- Narrative writing
- Responding to invitation and requests
- Expository writing
- Writing personal profiles
- Narrative writing
- Persuasive writing
- Descriptive writing
- Responding to complaints
- Writing complaints
- Persuasive Writing

C. Paper 3 Integrated Skills (Writing Tasks)
- Writing informal letters
- Writing formal letters of request
- Writing letters / emails of advice
• Writing proposals
• Writing letters of complaint
• Understanding the style and structure of articles

D. Paper 4 — Speaking
• Stress and rhythm
• Presentations
• Discussion skills and functions

Electives

Language Arts Electives:
Learning English through Poetry and Songs
Learning English through Short Stories
Learning English through Drama
Learning English through Popular Culture

Non-Language Arts Electives:
Learning English through Social Issues
Learning English through Workplace Communications