

FRENCH (CODE: 018)

CLASS – IX

(2024-2025)

Time : 3 hours

M. Marks: 80 + 20

A) Reading Section: 10 marks

One unseen prose passage (factual/descriptive) (150 words)
(with a picture/diagrammatically represented data)

B) Writing Section: 20 marks

One long composition (Informal letter) 80 words
Two short compositions -: (recipe/ message/ postcard/ description of a person
with visual input and clues) (30-35 words)

C) Grammar Section: 30 marks

Demonstrative adjectives, verbs (présent, futur proche, futur simple, pronominal
verbs, passé composé, impératif, imparfait), question formation (excluding
interrogative adjectives and pronouns), negatives, personal pronouns, simple
relative pronouns.

D) Culture and Civilisation: 20 marks

Question based on the textbook:

- a) Short answer questions 5 x 2 10 marks
b) MCQ (True or false/match the following/
fill in the blanks) (Any 2) 10 marks

1. L. 1 – La famille
2. L. 2 – Au lycée
3. L. 3 – Une journée de Pauline
4. L. 4 – Les saisons
5. L. 5 – Les voyages
6. L. 6 - Les loisirs et les sports
7. L. 7 – L'argent de poche
8. L. 8 – Faire des achats

E) Internal Assessment : 20 marks

As per CBSE guidelines for all subjects:

- i. Subject enrichment activity (ASL) 5
- ii. Portfolio 5
- iii. Periodic Tests 5
- iv. Multiple Assessments 5

(Please refer to the latest guidelines issued by the CBSE on their website from time to time)

It is recommended that listening and speaking skills be regularly practiced and art-integrated projects based on activities like role play, skit and dramatisation should be encouraged.

Prescribed textbook:

Entre Jeunes, Class IX (CBSE)

Textbook Lessons 1-8.

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The Question Paper will be divided into four sections:

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Section - A:	Reading Comprehension	- 10 marks
Section - B:	Writing	- 20 marks
Section - C:	Grammar	- 30 marks
Section - D:	Culture and Civilisation	- 20 marks

Section wise weightage:

Section	Details of Topics/Sections	Types of Questions	Marks
Section – A (Understanding)	1 Unseen prose passage (150 words) Picture / Data Based	True or false Short answer questions Vocabulary search: Noun and verb forms/opposites/ synonyms/adjectives	10
Section – B (Creating)	1 Long composition (informal letter – 80 words) Any 2 short compositions (30-35 words): Message/Describing a person/Recipe/Postcard	Creative long answers	10 (1/3)
		Creative short answers	10 (5 x 2)
Section – C (Application)	Grammar (5 out of 7 questions - for each grammar topic)	Adjectifs démonstratifs	05
		Trouvez la question	05
		Négatifs	05
		Pronoms (COD, COI)	05
		Verbes (Présent, futur simple, impératif, futur proche, passé composé, imparfait, impératif), verbes pronominaux	05
		Pronoms relatifs simples	05
Section – D (Remembering and analyzing)	Culture and Civilisation Lessons 1 – 8	Short answers 5 x 2 MCQ True or False 5 x 1 Match the following 5 x 1 Fill in the blanks 5 x 1 (The student will be tested on any two)	10 (5/7) 05 05 (5/7)
		Total marks	80