## 10th Standard Third Language English-120 days (60 periods)

Note: 1. Number of teaching periods are taken as 60, as the portions will be completed by February (March and April months are not taken for calculation).

2. Since the working days are reduced to 120 days, 2 Prose(Life in Banjarumale, Simpleton! )2 poetry(The Tiger and the Deer, Plant Tree) and 3 supplementary (The Future is yours, Heroes for Today, The Peon Novelist) units are dropped. Supplementary reading is an extended learning activity which inculcates reading habit in students. Hence supplementary reading topics are suggested for home assignment.

- 3. Since the number of working days is reduced for this academic year, the teaching periods for each unit are also reduced accordingly. Teachers should design/plan their classroom transaction/learning activities in such a manner that they should cover all the activities/exercises given in the Unit in order to achieve the desired/expected learning outcome.
- 4. The teaching periods allotted for each unit may vary according to the need of the class.
- 5. Dropped Units/Activities/Exercises should not be considered for Formative and Summative assessments.

Unit	Name of the unit	Prescribed No of periods	No of periods Minimised	Available No of periods	Contents/Learning points minimised	Justification for minimising
	Bridge Course	8	2	6		
1.	Chanukah and Rakshasa	9	3		II Vocabulary work A.B.C IV Passage	Can be taken up as Home assignments Learnt in previous classes
	Faithful Friends	3	1	2	This topic is retained as it is	-
2	At the Zoo	8	2	1 6	II Vocabulary work A,B III Language activities	Previous knowledge Leant in previous classes
	The Tiger and the Deer	3	-	-	This poem is deleted	This concept is already taught in lesson. At the Zoo
3	Kashmir, The Garden of India	8	2	6	IV Communication II Vocabulary work C	Repeated Learnt in 8th std
	Autumn Song	3	-	3	Retained as it is	
4	The Two Great	11	4	7	II Vocabulary work A.B.C	Learnt in previous class that

	Musicians					in in 8th standard
	The Noble Nature	3	1	2	Retained with 2 periods	Can be completed in 2 periods
5	Life in Banjarumale	10	10	-	This lesson is deleted	Time constraint
	Plant Tree	6	6	-	This poem is deleted	Time consuming and already concept is in other poem
6	Simpleton!	8	8	-	This lesson is deleted	other already leant in 9th std as the "Queen Bee"
	Prayer for Dumb Creatures	3	-	3	Retained as it is	
7	Sohrab and Rustum	10	3	7	II Vocabulary B,C	Repeated
	A Nurse's Song	2	-	2	Retained as it is	
8	A Scene From Shakuntala	10	3	7	II Vocabulary C, D	Repeated and taken up Home assignments
1	It Never Comes Again	3	3	-	Retained as it is	-

2	The Future is yours	3	3	-	This topic is deleted	The lessons are deleted as we
3	Heroes for Today	3	3	-	This topic is deleted	will be running out of time. These will be shortage of
	Honest Driver	3	3	3	Retained as it is	number of periods
4	The Peon Novelist	3	3	-	This topic is deleted	
		120	60	60		