

**ENGLISH**

DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS			
1.	Prose	-	25
2.	Poetry	-	15
3.	Rapid Reader	-	10
4.	Grammar & Composition	-	30
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	<b>Total</b>	-	<b>80 Marks</b>

**I. PROSE**

**Pieces to be read:**

- a. The Bond of Love
- b. Reach for the Top
- c. The Silver Lining
- d. The Open Window
- e. Megan
- f. Through the Iron Curtain
- g. Civil Rights for all
- h. Man and the Environment  
(Not for external evaluation)

Only for Classroom transaction and internal assessment

**II. POETRY**

**Pieces to be read:**

- a. Where the Mind is Without Fear
- b. Rain on the Roof
- c. The Lake Isle of Innisfree
- d. The West Wind
- e. No Men are Foreign

**i. RAPID READER**

-The Count of Monte Christo – by A. Dumas

Or

The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde – by R. L. Stevenson

**IV. GRAMMAR & COMPOSITION**

**Contents:**

**1. Reading/Writing**

- Comprehension (Prose Passages) Advertisements
- Public Notices
- Letter Writing – both formal & informal
- Precis

**2. Grammar**

Direct & Indirect Speech  
Participles  
Gerunds  
Active Voice and Passive Voice  
Preposition  
Idioms & Phrases

**V. ESSAY - Unseen****PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOKS:****1. Prose & Poetry**

- **Meghalaya English Reader 10**  
Oxford University Press, Pragjyotish Apartment (1<sup>st</sup> Floor),  
M. Tayabullah Road, Dighali Pukhuri (East), Guwahati - 781001.

**2. Rapid Reader**

- **The Count of Monte Christo – by Alexander Dumas**  
M/S Macmillan India Ltd., S. C. Goswami Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati -781001.

*Or*

**The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde – by R. L. Stevenson** M/S Macmillan India  
Ltd., S. C. Goswami Road, Pan Bazar, Guwahati – 781001.

**3. Grammar & Composition**

- **Senior School Grammar & Composition (Textbook and Booklet)**  
Published by Orient Blackswan Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad –  
500029, Telangana, India.

*Or*

**Scholar's Senior English Grammar & Composition**

Scholar Publishing House Pvt. Ltd., 85, Model Basti, New Delhi – 110005

**ADDITIONAL ENGLISH**

DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS			
1.	Prose	-	22 Marks
2.	Poetry	-	16 Marks
3.	Plays	-	15 Marks
4.	Composition	-	19 Marks
5.	Essay	-	8 Marks
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	<b>Total</b>	-	<b>80 Marks</b>

**I. PROSE**

Pieces to be read:			
a.	A High Drive	-	L. P. Hartley
b.	War	-	Luigi Pirandello
c.	Out of Business	-	R. K. Narayan
d.	The Postmaster	-	R. Tagore
e.	The Lady or the Tiger?		Frank R. Stockton

**II. POETRY**

Pieces to be read:			
a.	The Education of Nature	-	William Wordsworth
b.	Swimmers	-	Louis Untermeyer
c.	The Man with the Hoe	-	Edwin Markham
d.	If	-	Rudyard Kipling
e.	A River	-	A. K. Ramanujan

**III. PLAYS**

- *Othello* – by *William Shakespeare*

**ii. COMPOSITION****Contents:**

- a. One Word Substitution
- b. Amplification
- c. Substance Writing
- d. Paraphrasing from the Play
- e. Advertisement
- f. Picture Composition

**PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOKS:****1. Prose****- A Miscellany of Short Stories**

Published by Inter University Press Pvt. Ltd., Educational Publishers, 30/7, Shakti Nagar, New Delhi - 110007.

**2. Poetry****- Wings of Poesy**

M/S Evergreen Publications, 4779/23 Ansari Road, Darya Ganj, New Delhi - 110002.

**3. Plays****- Three Shakespeare Tragedies - (Macmillan)****4. Composition****- Senior School Grammar & Composition (Textbook and Booklet)**

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