Required Materials for the Entrance Test

English Department

Grade 8

I- Literature:

1. ***Text Analysis:***

a- Plot
b- Conflict & Resolution
c- Writer's Point of View (1st & 3rd)
d- Setting
e- Mode
f- Tone
g- Author's Purpose
h- Imagery
i- Theme
j- Cultural Context
k- Organization of Ideas

2. ***Reading Strategy:***

a- Make Inferences
b- Predict
c- Infer Character's Motivations
d- Draw Conclusion
e- Genre
f- Paraphrase
g- Summarize
h- Compare & Contrast/ Cause & Effect
i- Set a Purpose for Reading
j- Understand Historical Context
k- Sequence of Events

II- Grammar:

a- Tenses (Past, Present, Future)
b- Sentences (Simple, Compound, Complex)
c- Subject-Verb Agreement
d- Parts of Speech (subject, verb, ……)
e- Parts of Speech: adjective & adverb [comparative, superlative]
f- Phrases
g- Clauses

III- Vocabulary/ Spelling

a- Synonym
b- Antonym
c- Words with Correct Spelling

IV- Punctuation

V- Writing

a- Features of Compare & Contrast Essay
b- Features of Cause & Effect Essay
c- The Elements of Writing
d- Form of Letter

Good Luck

الدروس المقررة

امتحـــان الدخـــول في اللغة العربية

الصف الثامن Gr. 8

- تحليل نص قصصي
- تحليل نص شعري
- الترادف والتضاد
- الأسلوب الخبري والإنشائي
- النعت
- المفعول به
- المفعول المطلق
- المفعول فيه
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- الحال
- العدد والمعدود
- الفعل الصحيح والمعتل
- التوكيد
- الفعل الماضي والمضارع والأمر
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GRADE 8 – MATHEMATICS ENTRANCE EXAM

DOMAIN	SKILLS ASSESSED
Rational Numbers	Performing integer operations; ordering rational numbers; operating with fractions.
Ratios & Proportions	Solving ratio problems; interpreting proportional relationships and graphs.
Percentages	Calculating discounts and sale prices.
Algebraic Expressions	Using the distributive property; combining like terms; factoring using the greatest common factor.
Equations & Inequalities	Solving linear equations and inequalities; representing solutions on number lines; solving word problems.
Geometry & Measurement	Finding areas of triangles and composite figures; circumference and area of circles; area of rectangles with surrounding paths.
Probability	Calculating simple probabilities and complementary events.
Statistics	Calculating measures of central tendency.
Coordinate Geometry	Working with points on the coordinate plane.