

Espalier Heritage School
Annual Planner 2025-2026

Grade : IX

Subject : **Geography**

Lesson Name	Learning Objectives	Learning Outcome	Subtopics	Pedagogical Strategies	Teaching Aids	Teaching Place	Reference Textbook	No. of Periods	Classroom Activities	Suggested Evaluation / Assessment
India – Size and Location	To understand India's size, location and its significance	Students will be able to locate India on world map and explain advantages of its location	Latitudinal & longitudinal extent, Indian Standard Time, India's neighbours	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Globe, world map, PPT	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.1	6	Map locating, pair discussion, worksheet	Oral questioning, map test, short answers
Physical Features of India	To identify major physical divisions of India	Students will classify and describe physical features of India	Himalayas, Northern Plains, Peninsular Plateau, Coastal Plains, Islands	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Relief map, charts, PPT	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.2	9	Labeling maps, model making, group presentation	Worksheet, Periodic Test, map work
Drainage	To understand river systems and drainage patterns	Students will differentiate between Himalayan and Peninsular rivers	Drainage patterns, Himalayan rivers, Peninsular rivers, Lakes	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	River maps, videos, charts	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.3	9	River tracing on map, comparison chart	Class test, worksheet, map-based questions

Climate	To explain factors affecting India's climate	Students will describe monsoon mechanism and seasons of India	Factors affecting climate, monsoon, seasons, climate change	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Climate maps, graphs, PPT	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.4	10	Rainfall graph analysis, role play	Periodic Test, competency-based questions
Natural Vegetation and Wildlife	To understand vegetation types and wildlife conservation	Students will classify vegetation and explain conservation measures	Vegetation types, wildlife, biosphere reserves	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Charts, images, PPT	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.5	8	Poster making, chart preparation	Project work, worksheet
Population	To analyze population distribution and growth	Students will interpret population data and population pyramid	Population size, distribution, growth, density	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Census data, graphs, PPT	Classroom	NCERT Geography Ch.6	8	Population pyramid, debate	Data-based questions, class test

Map Work & Revision	To strengthen map skills	Students will accurately locate geographical features	Rivers, mountains, soil, vegetation	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Outline maps, atlas	Classroom	NCERT Geography	6	Map practice, quiz	Map test
Final Revision	To revise complete syllabus	Students will consolidate concepts for exam	Full syllabus	Interactive explanation using globe and world map Map-based inquiry and guided observation Think-Pair-Share on advantages of India's location Question-answer method for latitude and longitude concepts Integration of real-life examples (time zones, IST)	Sample papers	Classroom	NCERT Geography	5	Sample paper discussion	Pre-board assessment