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1. **PREAMBLE**
	1. **Introduction**

The Social Science Infant Syllabus covers 14 topics. The syllabus lays the foundation for understanding, appreciation and application of social skills, cultural awareness and community involvement. The learning area seeks to equip learners with essential life skills covering activities that enhance the learner to become a patriotic and responsible citizen. The syllabus covers the social history, heritage, cultural being, guidance and counselling, life-skills, religious practices and inclusivity. It promotes the development of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu through the nurturing of important virtues of life such as respect, tolerance, sharing, caring, love, volunteerism, hard work, honesty, communication and teamwork.

* 1. **Rationale**

The Infant Social Science syllabus promotes pride in local cultures, customs and traditions. It promotes cultural values, respect and understanding of diverse perspectives through the exploration of cultural sites, artifacts, celebrations and story-telling. Social Science fosters personal hygiene, self-care and responsibility. It instills values of citizenship, community participation, tolerance, discipline and environmental stewardship. The syllabus develops essential life skills in learners to enable them to adjust and suit well in the changing social and physical environments such as home, school and community. It creates synergies between schools, communities and enterprise (industry). Learners are given opportunities to relate theory to practice and practice to theory, thus bridging the gap between classroom knowledge and practical life. The learning area is significant in inculcating Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu attributes, patriotism and volunteerism. It gives a sense of positive self-image and cherishes diversity among learners.

The Social Science syllabus is aligned to the Heritage Based Curriculum. The syllabus enables learners to develop basic skills, knowledge, values and dispositions such as:

* Assertiveness
* Problem solving
* Decision making
* Critical thinking
* Leadership
* Communication
* Self-management
* Managing diversity
* Learning and Innovation
* Capability to access and analyse information
* Conflict resolution
* Agility and adaptability
* Collaboration
* Enterprise
* Technology
* Accessibility
	1. **Summary of content**

The Infant Social Science syllabus’ main thrust is upholding and sustaining:

* + Unhu/Ubuntu/Vumunhu (Societal norms and values)
	+ Self, cultural and national identity, family relationships and preservation of our heritage
	+ Collaboration with others
	+ Patriotism and national consciousness
	+ Healthy living and well-being
	+ Constitutional awareness (child rights and responsibilities)
	+ Religious tolerance and spirituality
	+ Socio- emotional and financial intelligence
	1. **Assumptions**

It is assumed that learners:

* have an identity
* interact, manipulate and play with different things
* can name different natural things found in the environment
* have basic needs and entitlements
* have basic survival skills
* have learnt basic personal hygiene practices
* can make a simple budget with small amounts of money
* belong to different religions
	1. **Cross-cutting themes**

The following cross - cutting themes or emerging issues help the learner to acquire competencies for life-long learning.

* Health
* Disaster Risk Management
* Climate change
* ICT
* Business enterprise skills
* Career guidance
* Inclusivity
1. **PRESENTATION OF THE SYLLABUS**
	1. The Infant Social Science Syllabus is presented as a single document covering ECD A – Grade Two.
	2. The syllabus has the same topics for ECD A – Grade Two that are developed in spiral nature.
2. **AIMS**

The syllabus aims to enable pupils to:

* 1. appreciate and love Zimbabwe and its tangible and intangible heritage
	2. develop an understanding of Zimbabwean values, beliefs and cultural practices
	3. appreciate the value and dignity of work, recreation and the need to participate in national development
	4. understand child rights and responsibilities
	5. develop an appreciation of religions of the world
	6. appreciate the need for equal opportunities for all and sensitivity to the needs of the disadvantaged and vulnerable groups
1. **SYLLABUS OBJECTIVES**

 By the end of the Infant level, learners should be able to:

* 1. demonstrate an understanding of the conceptUbuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu and relate appropriately with family, peers and community through respect, tolerance, sharing, love, teamwork and confidence
	2. identify with national symbols such as the National Flag, National School Pledge, National Anthem, Monuments and Heritage sites
	3. distinguish between indigenous and modern means of transport and Communication
	4. justify the importance of work and leisure
	5. identify appropriate shelter for humans and animals
	6. compare the practices of their own religion with that of others
	7. explain the need of equal opportunities for all citizens of Zimbabwe
	8. identify the global environmental issues that affect livelihoods

4.9 show an awareness of child rights and responsibilities

 4.10 practise good personal and environmental hygiene

1. **METHODOLOGY AND TIME ALLOCATION**

**5.1 Methodology**

The Infant Social Sciencesyllabus adopts the spiral approach, beginning with the learner’s immediate environment, broadening to an exploration of his/her wider community and finally extending to the wider world. Learners need to develop appropriate knowledge, skills, values and dispositions. The teaching and learning process focuses on the development of cognitive, socio-emotional and physical domains through participating in planned activities. The Social Science learning area depends upon the use of play-based methods whereby the teacher initiates the learning as a facilitator, while pupils engage in play. These include some of the following:

* + 1. drama, role-play and simulation
		2. songs/rhymes and dance
		3. educational tours
		4. discussion
		5. case studies
		6. puppetry
		7. gallery walk
		8. research
		9. experimentation
		10. discovery
		11. e-learning
		12. story-telling
		13. collaborative learning
		14. gamification
		15. creative arts and design
		16. games
	1. **Time allocation**

 For adequate coverage of the syllabus, the following time allocation is advised.

 ECD A – Grade 2 : 4 periods of 30 minutes per week.

1. **SYLLABUS TOPICS**
	1. Identity
	2. National History, Sovereignty and Governance
	3. Heritage
	4. Work and Leisure
	5. Transport and Communication
	6. Shelter
	7. Global Issues
	8. Managing and Coping with Changes
	9. Social Etiquette
	10. Entitlements/Rights and Responsibilities
	11. Health Education
	12. Career Guidance and Financial literacy
	13. Religion
	14. Social Services and Volunteerism
2. **SCOPE AND SEQUENCE**

| **TOPIC** | **ECD A** | **ECD B** | **GRADE 1** | **GRADE 2** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **IDENTITY** | * Myself
* Myself and my family
* Myself and my friends
* Myself and my school
 | * Myself
* Myself and my family
* Myself and my friends
* Myself and my school
 | * Myself and my family
* Myself and my friends
* Myself and my school
* Roles of family members
* Family norms and values
 | * Relatives, family norms and values
* Relationships

between the family and the community |
| **NATIONAL HISTORY, SOVEREIGNTY AND GOVERNANCE** | * + My country
	+ National Anthem
	+ National Flag
	+ National School Pledge
 | * My country
* National Anthem
* National Flag
* National colours
* National School Pledge
 | * My country and different ethnic groups
* National Anthem
* National Flag
* National School Pledge
 | * Ethnic groups and languages
* National Anthem
* National symbols
* National School Pledge
* National events and celebrations
 |
| **HERITAGE** | * Tangible heritage
* Intangible heritage
 | * Tangible heritage
* Intangible heritage
 | * Tangible heritage
* Intangible heritage
* Unhu/Ubuntu/Vumunhu
 | * Tangible and Intangible heritage
* Unhu/Ubuntu/Vumunhu
* Preserving our tangible and intangible heritage
 |
| **WORK AND LEISURE** | * Work at home and school
* Work produces goods and services
* Indigenous and modern games
 | * Work at home and school
* Work produces goods and services
* Indigenous and modern games
 | * Work at home and school
* Work at home and school produces goods and services
* Use of leisure time at home and school
* Indigenous and modern games
 | * Work in the community
* Production of goods and services in the community
* Leisure activities in the community
* Indigenous and modern games
 |
| **TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION** | * Means of transport
* Road safety rules
* Means of communication
 | * Means of transport
* Road safety rules
* Means of communication
 | * Means of transport
* Road safety rules and signs
* Means of communication
 | * Means and modes of transport
* Traffic rules
* Indigenous and modern means of communication
 |
| **SHELTER** | * Human shelter
* Animal shelter
 | * Human shelter
* Animal shelter
* Need for shelter
 | * Human shelter
* Animal shelter
* Basic need for shelter
 | * Importance of human and animal shelter
* Different types of shelter at school
* Different types of shelter in the neighbourhood
 |
| **GLOBAL ISSUES** | * Natural and human induced disasters
* Safety at home and school
 | * Natural and human induced disasters
* Safety at home and school
 | * Veld fires
* Water related disasters
* Safety at home and at school
 | * Floods
* Deforestation
* Safety at home, school and community
 |
| **MANAGING AND COPING WITH CHANGES**  | * Changes at home and school
* Conflict management
 | * Changes at home and school
* Conflict management
 | * Coping with the changes in the family
* Managing and coping with changes from ECD to Grade 1
* Conflict management
 | * Coping with changes in the family
* Managing and coping with changes from Grade 1to Grade 2
* Conflict management
 |
| **SOCIAL ETIQUETTE** | * Acceptable behaviour
 | * Acceptable behaviour
 | * Acceptable behavior at home and school
 | * Acceptable behaviour at home and school
 |
| **ENTITLEMENTS / RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES** | * Child rights
* Child responsibilities
* Dealing with violation of child rights
 | * Child rights
* Child responsibilities
* Dealing with violation of Child rights
 | * Child rights and

responsibilities* Child protection at home, school and community
 | * Child rights and responsibilities
* Child protection at home, school and community
 |
| **HEALTH EDUCATION** | * Personal hygiene and cleanliness
* Healthy lifestyles
* Common diseases
* Environmental health
* First Aid
 | * Personal hygiene and cleanliness
* Healthy lifestyles
* Common diseases
* Environmental health
* First Aid
 | * Personal hygiene and cleanliness
* Healthy lifestyles
* Common diseases
* Environmental health
* First Aid
 | * Personal hygiene and cleanliness
* Healthy lifestyles
* Common diseases
* Environmental health
* First Aid
 |
| **CAREER GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL LITERACY** | * Career ambitions and guidance
* Financial literacy
 | * Career ambitions and guidance
* Financial literacy
 | * Career ambitions and guidance
* Educational guidance
* Financial literacy
 | * Career ambitions and guidance
* Educational guidance
* Financial literacy
 |
| **RELIGION** | * Attributes of the Supreme Being
 | * Attributes of the Supreme Being
 | * Different Religions
 | * Different Religions
* Moral teachings in different religions
 |
| **SOCIAL SERVICES AND VOLUNTEERISM** | * Vulnerable members in the family
* Sharing and helping in the family
 | * Vulnerable members in the school and community
* Sharing and helping in the school and community
 | * Vulnerable members of the community
* Voluntary participation in the community
* Sharing and helping in the community
 | * Voluntary participation in the community
* The role of the government in providing social services
 |

1. **COMPETENCY MATRIX**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT A**

**8.1 TOPIC 1: IDENTITY**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED LEARNING RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Myself** | * name/sign self
* describe self
 | * Names
* Age
* Sex
* Totems
* Origin
 | * Saying/signing own name
* Reciting rhymes on self
* Describing own place of origin
* Drawing/modelling self
* Colouring pictures of self
 | * Pictures of totems
* ICT tools
* Colouring books
* Crayons
* Dough
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Myself and my family** | * identify family members
 | * Family members
* Self
* Mother
* Father
* Siblings
* guardians
 | * Naming family members
* Colouring pictures of family members
* Singing rhymes on family members
 | * Crayons
* Pictures of family members
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Myself and my friends** | * name/sign own friends
* state activities done with friends
 | * Friends
* names
* likes
* Activities
* Playing
 | * Identifying friends
* Playing games
* Colouring pictures of self and friends
* Reciting friendship rhymes
 | * Crayons
* Pictures of different people
* Toys
* Puppets
* Playing materials
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Myself and my school** | * name own school
* Identify own teacher
 | * My School
* name of the school
* name of the teacher
* name of the class
 | * Stating name of the school and teacher
* Constructing model buildings
* Colouring picture of school
* Touring the school
* Singing songs about the school
 | * ICT tools
* Blocks
* School buildings
* Play centre
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |

**8.2 TOPIC 2 NATIONAL HISTORY, SOVEREINGTY AND GOVERNANCE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES AND NOTES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **My country** | * state the name of own country
* describe the origin of the name, Zimbabwe
 | * Country name

-Zimbabwe* Origin

-Dzimba dzemabwe (Izindlu zamatshe) | * Story telling
* Tracing dots for the map of Zimbabwe
* Singing and dancing to traditional songs about Zimbabwe
* Making a sand collage of Great Zimbabwe
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Sand
* Glue
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Pencils
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **National anthem** | * sing/sign the National Anthem
* distinguish the national anthem from other songs
 | * National Anthem
 | * Demonstrating proper posture when singing the National Anthem
* Singing the National Anthem in different languages
* Listening/watching audio visuals of the National Anthem
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* National Flag
* Audio/video of the national anthem
* Recordings of other songs
* Specialised materials
 |
| **National flag** | * identify the National Flag
* name colours on the National Flag
* describe the National Flag
 | * National Flag
* National colours

-red-green-black-yellow-white | * Observing the hoisting of the National flag
* Naming colours of the national flag
* Singing the rhymes on the national flag
* Colouring the national flag
* Tracing the national flag
* Making a collage of the National Flag
 | * ICT tools
* National Flag
* Colour chart
* Glue
* Crayons
* Paint
* Scissors
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **National school pledge** | * recite the National School Pledge
* demonstrate the correct posture when reciting the Pledge
 | * National School Pledge
 | * Reciting the National School Pledge
* Demonstrating proper posture when reciting the National Pledge
 | * Audio/video of the National School Pledge
* ICT tools
* Multi-media files
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |

**8.3 TOPIC 3 HERITAGE**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES AND NOTES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Tangible heritage** | * identify tangible heritage
 | * Natural tangible heritage
* land
* animals
* Artefacts

-clay pots-baskets | * Exploring the environment
* Naming natural tangible heritage
* Manipulating artifacts
* Cutting and pasting pictures
* Colouring pictures of any tangible heritage

  | * ICT tools
* Resource persons
* Pictures of different artefacts, sites and monuments
* Samples of different attire
* Different cultural foods
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Intangible heritage** | * name intangible heritage
* demonstrate indigenous ways of greeting elders
 | * Intangible heritage
* Language
* Folklore
* Indigenous ways of greeting

-kneeling  | * Discussing on intangible heritage
* Singing and dancing different songs
* Story telling
* Role playing greetings
* Recording videos and audios
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Percussion musical instruments
* Videos
* Different props
* Cultural costumes
* Videos of different cultural dances
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |

**8.4 TOPIC 4 WORK AND LEISURE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Work at home and at school** | * identify different duties done at home and at school
 | * Duties at home

-sweeping-washing-feeding chickens* Duties at school

-watering flowers-picking up litter | * Naming different duties done at home and at school
* Performing simple tasks
* Singing work songs
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures of people at work
* Resource person
* Cleaning tools
* Simple machines
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Work produces goods and services** | * identify different types of goods produced after working
* create different cultural artefacts
 | * Goods
* Food
* Toys
* Services

-cleaning-helping * Cultural creative industries

-necklace making-making ropes | * Growing vegetables
* Weaving of ropes
* Making necklaces
* Showcasing the crafted artefacts
* Demonstrating use of different artefacts
 | * Materials from the environment
* Reeds
* Grass
* clay soil
* bottle top rings
* Seedlings
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Indigenous and modern games** | * identify indigenous and modern games
* play indigenous and modern games
 | * Indigenous games such as *(zai rakaora/iqanda libolile*)

-**use local games*** Modern games such as jig-saw puzzles, computer games
 | * Naming indigenous games and

modern games* Playing different types of games
 | * ICT tools
* School environment
* Games equipment
* School grounds
* Board games
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |

**8.5 TOPIC 5 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Means of transport** | * list means of transport
 | * Means of transport such as:

- animal drawn carts- cars- bicycles | * Naming means of transport
* Singing songs on means of transport
* Cutting and pasting pictures of means of transport
* Tracing pictures of means of transport
* Constructing models of means of transport
 | * ICT tools
* Crayons
* Pictures
* Models of different indigenous transport
* Blocks
* Corn cobs
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Road safety rules** | * identify road signs, signals and markings
 | * Road signs such as;

-pedestrian crossing* Road Signals such as;

-traffic lights* Road Markings such as

-zebra crossing | * Observing road signs, signals and markings
* Colouring road signs and markings
* Singing songs on road signs, signals and markings
* Discussing road safety taboos
* Demonstrating crossing the road
 | * Model traffic signs
* Pictures
* ICT tools
* Charts
* Road
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Means of communication** | * identify means of communication
* construct models of communication
 | * Means of communication

- cellphone- radio | * Listing ways of communication
* Demonstrating use of different ways of communication
* Constructing models of communication
* Pasting communication pictures
* Recording videos
 | * Pictures
* Resource person
* Models
* Videos
* Specialised materials
* Camera
 |

8.6 **TOPIC 6 SHELTER**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Human shelter** | * identify human shelter
* construct models of human shelter
 | * Human shelter

-hut-house  | * Listening/watching audio visuals of human shelter
* Reciting rhymes on human shelter
* Modelling human shelter
* Colouring pictures on human shelter
* Projecting cartoons on human shelter
 | * Pictures of indigenous human shelter
* Crayons
* Dough
* Models of human shelter
* ICT tools
* Interlocking blocks
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Animal shelter** | * identify animal shelter
 | * Animal shelter:

-kraal -fowl run-nest | * Naming animal shelter
* Reciting rhymes on animal shelter
* Colouring animal shelter
* Listening/watching audio-visual on animal shelter
* Modelling animal shelter
 | * Pictures of animal shelter
* Newspapers
* Glue
* Interlocking blocks
* Toys
* Clay soil
* Play dough
* Cardboard boxes
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |

**8.7 TOPIC 7 GLOBAL ISSUES**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Natural and human induced disasters** | * name different natural disasters
* identify human induced disasters
* explain natural disasters
 | Natural disasters* Floods
* Human induced disasters
* fire
* drowning
 | * Naming disasters
* Reciting rhymes on disasters
* Discussing disasters
* Cutting and pasting pictures on disasters
 | * Paint
* Crayons
* Pictures on disasters
* Magazines
* Scissors
* Videos on disasters
* Fire extinguisher
* Sand buckets
 |
| **Safety at home and school**  | * list ways of ensuring safety from disasters
* demonstrate the proper techniques to escape disasters
 | * Safety precautions
* drills
* awareness campaigns
* disaster risk preparedness
 | * Discussing safety precautions
* Participating in disaster safety drills
* Reciting poems on safety precautions
* Role playing disaster risk preparedness
 | * Models
* Pictures
* Videos
* Fire extinguisher
* Sand buckets
 |

**8.8 TOPIC 8 MANAGING AND COPING WITH CHANGES**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Changes at home and school** | * identify changes experienced at home and school
 | * Changes at home and school

-waking up early-birth of a new baby* Changes at school

-rules-routines-new environment | * Reciting rhymes
* Describing changes that take place at home and school
* Touring the school
* Visiting places of interest
* Discussing new experiences at school
* Playing enjoyable activities
 | * Pictures
* Videos
* Crayons
* Indoor and outdoor learning materials
* Charts
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Conflict management**  | * identify common causes of conflicts
* suggest ways of managing conflict
 | * Common causes of conflicts

- shortage of resources- separation anxiety- limited communication skills* Ways of managing conflict

-sharing-collaborating-accommodating | * Discussing causes of common conflicts
* Suggesting ways of resolving different conflict
* Watching and listening to audio visual aids on conflict resolution
* Role playing ways of resolving conflicts
 | * Pictures
* Videos
* Audio visual aids
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.9 TOPIC 9 SOCIAL ETIQUETTE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Acceptable behaviour** | * initiate proper greetings
* use appropriate language in making requests
 | * Proper greetings
* Appropriate language

-thank you-may I -please | * Role playing greetings
* Playing traditional games
* Folk telling on good behaviour
* Questioning and answering on good behaviour
 | * ICT tools
* Video pictures
* Resource person
* Outdoor play
* Balls
* Skipping ropes
* Drums
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.10 TOPIC 10 ENTITLEMENTS/RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Child rights** | * state/sign child rights
 | * Child rights
* right to food
* right to shelter
* right to health
 | * Discussing child rights
* Stating/signing child rights
* Story telling on child rights
* Reciting rhymes on child rights

  | * Videos
* Costumes
* Colouring pictures
* Crayons
* Pencils
* Glue
* Scissors
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Child Responsibilities** | * list child responsibilities at home and school
 | * Child responsibilities
* serve food
* report sickness
* tidying
 | * Role playing
* Miming responsibilities
* Watching /listening audio/visual videos on responsibilities
* Story telling on responsibilities
 | * Resource persons
* Audio/visual clips
* ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Dealing with violation of child rights** | * identify forms of child abuse
* suggest ways of dealing with violation of child rights
 | * Forms of child abuse

-physical-emotional-neglect* Ways of dealing with violation of child rights

-Report to :* teacher/facilitator
* trusted person
* parents/guardian
* friends
 | * Reciting poems
* Singing songs on rights
* Story telling
* Role playing reporting
* Drawing
* Free playing with toys
* Watching /listening to audio/visuals
 | * Videos
* Indoor play centres
* Art centre
* Clay/dough
* Resource person
 |

**8.11 TOPIC 11 HEALTH EDUCATION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Personal hygiene** | * state/sign good habits of personal hygiene
* demonstrate ways of maintaining good personal hygiene
 | * Good habits of personal hygiene
* bathing
* washing hands
* taking care of hair
* brushing teeth
 | * Watching videos
* Miming taking care of their body
* Singing rhymes on caring for the body
* Playing treasure hunting game on items used for personal hygiene
* Showing proper ways of maintaining personal hygiene
 | * Pictures
* Videos
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Healthy life style** | * Identify healthy habits
* demonstrate healthy habits
 | * Healthy life styles

-eating healthy food-exercising -drinking water-washing hands-rest and sleep | * Discussing healthy life styles
* Role-playing healthy life styles
* Watching/listening to audio visuals on healthy life styles
* Creating a nutrition garden
 | * Health resource person
* Posters
* Charts
* Drawings
* ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Common diseases** | * identify common diseases in their areas
* describe simple signs and symptoms of common diseases
 | * Common diseases
* influenza
* mumps

Signs* fever
* running nose
* skin infection
* swollen glands
* watery stool (running stomach)
 | * Naming common diseases
* Discussing causes of common diseases
* Dramatizing on signs of common diseases
* Watching/listening to audio-visuals on common diseases
* Story telling
 | * Health resource person
* Posters
* Charts
* Drawings
* ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Environmental health** | * identify different types of litter
* dispose litter correctly
 | * Litter picking
* Litter disposal
 | * Discussing different types of litter
* Picking litter in their classroom and disposing it
* Singing rhymes and poems on litter disposal
* Sweeping their classroom
 | * Brooms
* Bins
* Rubbish pits
* Gloves
* Pictures
* Videos
* Specialised materials
 |
| **First Aid** | * identify situations that require First Aid
* report emergencies
 | * Situations that require First Aid such as;

-choking -drowning-nose bleeding-falling* reporting emergencies to:

- parents/guardians- teachers | * Discussing situations that require First Aid
* Telling taboos/stories that save life
* Listening/watching audio-visuals
* Role playing reporting emergencies
 | * Videos
* ICT tools
* Audio for taboos
* Resource person
* Radio
* First Aid Kit
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 12 CAREER GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL LITERACY**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Career ambitions and guidance** | * tell/sign career ambitions
* state/sign different occupations
 | * Ambitions
* Different occupations such as;
* soccer
* music
* teaching
* engineering
 | * Naming own ambitions
* Discussing occupations
* Role playing occupations
* Questioning and answering on occupations
 | * Pictures
* Charts
* Resource persons
* Posters
 |
| **Financial literacy** | * identify coins and notes
* discuss acceptable ways of earning money
 | * Coins and notes
* Acceptable ways of making money

--income generating projects -buying and selling | * Manipulating coins and notes
* Coin rubbing
* Role playing buying and selling
* Questioning and answering on acceptable ways of earning money
* Creating income generating projects
* Crafting items for the shop area
 | * ICT tools
* Resource persons
* Charts
* Shop area
* Money
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 13 RELIGION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **ATTRIBUTES OF THE SUPREME BEING** | * state the attributes of the Supreme Being
 | * Attributes of the Supreme Being

- loving-caring-just-forgiving | * Discussing attributes of the Supreme Being
* Singing songs on attributes of the Supreme Being
* Telling stories
* Colouring pictures from the stories
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 14 SOCIAL SERVICES AND VOLUNTEERISM**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Vulnerable members in the family** | * identify vulnerable members in the family
* describe vulnerable members in the family
 | * Vulnerable members
* the elderly
* orphans
* children
* underpriviledg
* people with disability
 | * Listing vulnerable members in the family
* Watching and listening to audio visual on vulnerable people
* Colouring pictures of vulnerable people
 | * ICT tools
* Resource persons
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Audios rhymes
* Puppets
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Sharing and helping in the family** | * share items with others
* help the needy members in the family
 | * Items that we share with others:

-blankets-toys-tools* Helping

-caring for the sick-helping the elderly-baby sitting | * Discussing ways of sharing in the family
* Collecting items for sharing in the family
* Planning sharing activities
 | * ICT tools
* Scissors
* Glue
* Pictures
* Play areas
* Crayons
* Specialised materials
 |

**EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT B**

**TOPIC 1 : IDENTITY**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**(Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED LEARNING RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Myself** | * name/sign themselves
* describe themselves
 | * Myself

-names-age-sex-totems-origin | * Saying out their names
* Stating own sex
* Stating own age
* Stating own place or origin
* Drawing/modelling self
* Colouring own totems
 | * Pictures of totems
* ICT tools
* Colouring books
* Crayons
* Dough
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Myself and my family** | * identify family members
* describe family members
 | * Family members

-self-mother-father-siblings-relatives-guardians | * Naming family members
* Colouring pictures of family members
* Singing rhymes on family members
* Pasting pictures of family members
 | * Crayons
* Pictures of family members
* Sign language materials
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Myself and my friends** | * name/sign their friends
* state activities they do with their friends
 | * My friends
* names
* Activities
* games
* homework
* chores
* eating together
 | * Identifying their friends
* Playing games
* Colouring pictures of themselves and their friends
* Playing games
* Drawing their friends
* Reciting friendship rhymes
 | * Crayons
* Pictures of different people
* Toys
* Puppets
* Playing materials
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Myself and my school** | * name their school
* describe their school
 | * My School
* name of the teacher
* name of the school
* name of the class
 | * Stating the name of their school and teacher
* Constructing model buildings
* Touring the school
* Singing songs about the school
 | * ICT tools
* Blocks
* School buildings
* Play centre
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.2 TOPIC 2 NATIONAL HISTORY, SOVEREINGTY AND GOVERNANCE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes, and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **My country** | * state the name of their country
* describe the origin of the name Zimbabwe
 | * Country’s name
* Origin of the name Zimbabwe
 | * Tellingstories
* Tracing dots for the map of Zimbabwe
* Singing and dancing to traditional songs about Zimbabwe
* Describing the picture of Great Zimbabwe
* Making a collage for Great Zimbabwe
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Sand
* Glue
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Pencils
* Specialised materials
 |
| **National anthem** | * sing/sign the National Anthem
* describe the proper posture and protocol observed when singing the National Anthem
 | * National Anthem
* Protocol

-standing at attention-taking off hats-stopping when the National Anthem is being sung | * Demonstrating proper posture and protocol when singing the National Anthem
* Singing the National Anthem in different languages
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* National Flag
* Audio/video of the national anthem
* Recordings of other songs
* Specialised materials
 |
| **National flag** | * recognise the National Flag
* name the colours of the National Flag
 | * National Flag
* National colours

-black-red-green-white-yellow | * Observing the hoisting of the National flag
* Naming colours of the national flag
* Singing the rhymes on the national flag
* Colouring the national flag
* Tracing the national flag
 | * ICT tools
* National Flag
* Colour chart
* Glue
* Crayons
* Paint
* Scissors
* Specialised materials
 |
| **National colours** | * Naming colours of the National Flag
* explain the meaning of colours of the National Flag
 | * Meaning of colours on the National Flag;
* black majority
* blood shed
* vegetation
* mineral
* peace
 | * Naming colours of the National Flag
* Discussing meanings of colours
* Reciting rhymes on meanings
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Paper
* Sticks
* Glue
* Crayons
* Paint
* Specialised materials
 |
| **National school pledge** | * recite the National School Pledge
 | * National School Pledge
 | * Reciting the National School Pledge
* Demonstrating proper postures
* Discussing the National School Pledge
 | * Audio/video of the National School Pledge
* ICT tools
* Multi media files
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.3 TOPIC 3 HERITAGE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Tangible heritage** | * identify tangible heritage
 | * Natural tangible heritage
* plants
* animals
* land
* Cultural tangible heritage

-cultural dress-food-monuments-mortar and pestle | * Exploring the environment, naming natural tangible heritage
* Cutting and pasting pictures
* Manipulating food from different cultures
* Drawing any tangible heritage
* Comparing food from different cultures
 | * ICT tools
* Resource persons
* Pictures of different artefacts, sites and monuments
* Samples of different attire
* Cultural food
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Intangible heritage** | * name intangible heritage
* demonstrate any form of intangible heritage
 | * Intangible heritage
* language
* dance
* music
* folklore
 | * Naming intangible heritage
* Singing and dancing different songs
* Story telling
* Role playing greetings
* Recording videos and audios

  | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Percussion musical instruments
* Videos
* Different props
* Cultural costumes
* Videos of different cultural dances
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.4 TOPIC 4 WORK AND LEISURE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Work at home and school** | * list work done at home and school
* Demonstrate duties done at home and school
 | * Duties at home

-sweeping-washing-herding animals* Duties at school:

-watering the garden-picking up litter-tidying up | * Naming different duties done at home and at school
* Performing simple tasks
* Role playing home and school duties
* Miming duties
* Singing work songs
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures of people at work
* Resource person
* Cleaning tools
* Simple machines
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Work to produce goods and services** | * identify different types of goods
* list examples of cultural creative industries
* make different cultural artefacts
 | * Goods
* clothes
* furniture
* tools
* Services

-babysitting-caring for the sick* Cultural creative industries

-bead making-weaving mats and ropes  | * Weaving mats and ropes
* Making doll clothes
* Role playing babysitting and caring for the sick
* Making beads
* Showcasing the crafted artefacts
* Demonstrating use of different artefacts
 | * Materials from the environment
* Reeds
* Grassl
* bottle top rings
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Indigenous and modern games** | * identify indigenous and modern games
* play indigenous and modern games
 | * Indigenous games such as nhodo/ igwini, pada
* Modern games such as jig-saw puzzles, chess
 | * Naming indigenous games and

modern games* Playing different types of games
 | * ICT tools
* School environment
* Games equipment
* School grounds
* Board games
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.5 TOPIC 5 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES AND NOTES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Means of transport** | * state indigenous means of transport
* list modern means of transport
 | * Indigenous means of transport
* use of animals
* canoes
* Modern means of transport such as;
* Train
* aeroplane
 | * Naming means of transport
* Singing songs about transport
* Cutting and pasting pictures of means of transport
* Tracing pictures of means of transport
* Listening/Watching audio-visuals on transport
* Constructing models of means of transport
 | * ICT tools
* Crayons
* Pictures
* Models of different ancient transport
* Blocks
* Corn combs
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Road safety rules** | * identify road safety rules
* demonstrate proper ways of walking along the road
 | * Road safety rules:

-walking on the right side of the road-crossing at a safe place | * Discussing road safety rules
* Role playing proper ways of walking along the road
* Discussing road safety taboos
* Singing songs on road safety rules
 | * Model traffic signs
* Pictures
* ICT tools
* Charts
* Road
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Means of communication** | * list ways of communication
* demonstrate ways of communication
* construct models of communication
 | Ways of communication* Indigenous ways such as;
* Use of drum
* Word of mouth
* Modern ways such as;

- letter- emails- cellphone | * Naming ways of communication
* Practising on ways of communication
* Modelling communication models
* Colouring pictures
* Recording videos
 | * Pictures
* Resource person
* Models
* Videos
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Passenger safety** | * demonstrate passenger safety when using various means of transport
 | * Passenger safety when using:
* bicycles
* cars
* animal carts
 | * Dramatising passenger safety when using various means of transport
* Singing songs on passenger safety
* Role playing passenger safety
* Reciting rhymes on passenger safety
 | * Resource persons
* Pictures
* ICT tools
* Charts
* ECD traffic centre
* Audio-visual materials
* Specialised materials
 |

8.6 **TOPIC 6 SHELTER**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Human shelter** | * identify indigenous and modern forms of shelter
* design models of indigenous and modern shelter
 | * Indigenous human shelter

-hut -cave* Modern human shelter

-house-classroom-tent | * Naming forms of human shelter
* Reciting rhymes on human shelter
* Play house on human shelter
* Modelling human shelter
* Colouring pictures on human shelter
* Watching/listening audio visuals
* Constructing models on human shelter
 | * Pictures of indigenous human shelter
* Crayons
* Dough
* Models of human shelter
* ICT tools
* Interlocking tools
 |
| **Animal shelter** | * list different forms of animal shelter
* design animal shelter
 | * Animal shelter

-kraal -fowl run-nest-kennel-beehive | * Naming animal shelter
* Reciting rhymes on animal shelter
* Colouring animal shelter
* Story-telling on human shelter
* Audio and videos of animal shelter
* Constructing animal shelter
* Modelling animal shelter
 | * Pictures of animal shelter
* Newspapers
* Glue
* Interlocking blocks
* Toys
* Clay soil
* Play dough
* Specialised materials
* Cardboard boxes
* ICT tools such as smartphone, laptop
 |
| **Need for shelter** | * explain the need for shelter
 | * Need for shelter

-protection-security | * Discussing the need for shelter
* Dramatising protection from bad weather
* Role playing security from danger
* Watching videos on need for shelter
* Constructing models of shelter
 | * Pictures of animal shelter
* Newspapers
* Glue
* Interlocking blocks
* Toys
* Clay soil
* Play dough
* Specialised materials
* Cardboard boxes

ICT tools such as smartphone, laptop |

**8.7 TOPIC 7 GLOBAL ISSUES**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES AND NOTES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Natural and human induced disasters** | * name different natural disasters
* identify human induced disasters
 | Natural disasters* floods
* drought
* Human induced disasters

-fire-drowning | * Discussing disasters
* Reciting rhymes on disasters
* Pasting pictures of disasters
* Painting pictures on disasters
 | * Paint
* Crayons
* Pictures on disasters
* Scissors
* Videos on disasters
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Safety at home and at school** | * list ways of ensuring safety from disasters
* demonstrate the proper techniques to escape disasters
 | * Safety precautions

-drills-awareness campaign* Disaster risk preparedness

-fire extinguisher-sand buckets-safety signs and symbols | * Discussing ways of ensuring safety from disasters
* Practising safe ways of escaping disasters
* Role playing awareness campaigns on disasters
* Reciting rhymes and poems
 | * Paint
* Crayons
* Pictures on disasters
* Scissors
* Videos on disasters
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.8 TOPIC 8 MANAGING AND COPING WITH CHANGES**

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Changes at home and school** | * list changes experienced at home and at school
* manage changes at home and school
 | * Changes at home

-birth of a new baby-death of a parent-relocation of parents* Changes at school

-school rules-routines-new classroom-new teacher | * Reciting rhymes
* Describing changes that take place at home and school
* Story telling
* Touring the school
* Visiting places of interests
* Discussing new experiences at school
* Role playing enjoyable activities
 | * Pictures
* Videos
* Crayons
* Indoor and outdoor play centres
* Charts
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Conflict management** | * identify causes of conflicts
* resolve conflicts peacefully
 | * Causes of conflicts

-limited resources-selfshness-failure to control emotions* Ways of resolving conflict

-counselling-apologising and forgiving | * Discussing possible causes of conflicts
* Playing games with simple rules
* Role playing conflicts resolution
* Practicing sharing and taking turns
* Practicing healthy ways to resolve conflict
 | * Papers
* Pencils
* Crayons
* ICT tools
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
* Interlocking blocks
 |

**8.9 TOPIC 9 SOCIAL ETIQUETTE**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Acceptable behaviour** | * demonstrate acceptable behaviour
* make polite requests

  | * Acceptable behaviour

-respect-proper greeting* Polite request

-excuse me-may I ….-please …. | * Role playing making polite requests
* Playing turn-taking games
* Telling folktales on good behaviour
* Questioning and answering on good behaviour
 | * ICT tools
* Video pictures
* Resource person
* Outdoor play
* Balls
* Specialised materials
* Pictures
 |

**8.10 TOPIC 10 ENTITLEMENTS/RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Child rights** | * state/sign child rights
* explain child rights
 | * Child rights such as;

- right to education-right to belong to a family-right to protection  | * Stating/signing child rights
* Discussing child rights
* Telling stories
 | * Videos
* Colouring pictures
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Pencils
* Glue
* Scissors
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Responsibilities** | * state responsibilities related to their rights
 | * Child responsibilities

-attend lessons-take care of their rooms-obedience-stay away from harmful situation* Managing personal belongings

- books-hats-uniform-bag | * Role playing duties related to their rights
* Miming responsibilities
* Watching/listening to audio visuals
* Caring for personal belongings
 | * Resource persons
* Videos/audio/visual clips
* ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Violation of child rights** | * identify forms of child abuse
* report violation of their rights
 | * Forms of child abuse

-physical -emotional-sexual-neglect* Report to:

-teacher/facilitator-trusted person-parents-friends | * Discussing forms of abuse
* Drawing
* Playing with toys
* Reciting poems
* Singing songs on rights
* Story telling
* Listening/watching to audio visuals
* Role playing on reporting
 | * Videos
* Indoor play centres
* Art centre
* Clay/dough
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
 |

**8.11 TOPIC 11 HEALTH EDUCATION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES**  | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Personal hygiene and cleanliness** | * state/sign good habits of personal hygiene
* show ways of maintaining good personal hygiene
 | * Personal hygiene practices

-Bathing-washing hands-taking care of hair-brushing teeth | * Watching videos
* Miming taking care of their body
* Singing action rhymes on caring for the body
* Demonstrating personal hygiene practices
 | * Videos
* Health personnel
* Audio/visual materials
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Healthy lifestyle** | * identify healthy habits
* demonstrate healthy habits
 | * Healthy habits

-eating healthy food-exercising -drinking water-washing hands-rest | * Discussing healthy habits
* Watching and listening to audio visuals
* Creating a nutritional garden
* Singing songs and rhymes on healthy habits
 | * Videos
* Health personnel
* Audio/visual materials
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Common diseases** | * name common diseases in their areas
* identify simple signs and symptoms of common diseases
 | * Common diseases

-malaria-influenza-mumps-diarrhoea Signs-running nose- fever-vomiting-skin infection-swollen glands-watery stool (running stomach) | * Listing common diseases
* Discussing causes of common diseases
* Listening/watching to audio/visuals
* Story telling
 | * Health personnel
* Posters
* Charts
* Drawings
* ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Environmental health** | * dispose litter correctly
* classify types of litter
 | * Litter picking
* Litter disposal

-sort litter | * Watching videos on litter picking
* Picking litter in their classroom and disposing it in the bin
* Singing rhymes and poems on litter disposal
* Sorting litter
* Sweeping the classroom
 | * Brooms
* Labelled bins
* Gloves
* Pictures
* Videos
* Specialised materials
 |
| **First Aid** | * identify situations that require First Aid
* report emergency situations
* state the importance of getting First Help in case of emergencies
 | * Situations that require First Aid:

-burns and cuts-falling-drowning- choking * Importance of getting first help

-saves life-managing injuries | * Discussing situations that require First Aid
* Story telling
* Watching/listening to audio visuals
* Questioning and answering
* Role playing reporting
* Discussing taboos which save life
 | * Videos
* ICT tools
* Audio visuals
* Resource person
* Radio
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 12 CAREER GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL LITERACY**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Career ambitions and guidance** | * state/sign career ambitions
* list/sign different occupations
 | * Ambitions

-individual career aspirations* Occupations

-law enforcement officer-doctor-teacher-musician-athlete | * Questioning and answering on career ambitions
* Discussing different occupations
* Role playing occupations
* Exhibiting different careers
 | * Pictures
* Charts
* Resource persons
* Posters
* Costumes for different occupations
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Financial literacy** | * identify coins and notes
* describe acceptable ways of earning money
* State ways of saving money
 | * Coins and notes
* Acceptable ways of earning money

-buying and selling-keeping poultry-keeping rabbits* Saving money

-bank-piggy bank | * Coin rubbing
* Role playing buying and selling
* Crafting items for the shop corner
* Discussing acceptable ways of earning money
* Dramatising ways of saving money
* Creating an income generating project
 | * ICT tools
* Shop area
* Money
* Resource person
* Chart of people at work
* Pictures
* Money
* Piggy bank
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 13 RELIGION**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT**Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Attributes of the Supreme Being** | * state the attributes of the Supreme Being
 | * Attributes of the Supreme Being such as:

- loving-caring-just-forgiving | * Stating the attributes of the Supreme Being
* Singing songs on attributes of the Supreme Being
* Story telling
* Retelling the story
* Drawing pictures
* Colouring pictures from the stories
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Crayons
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
 |

**TOPIC 14 :SOCIAL SERVICES AND VOLUNTEERISM**

| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: |  **UNIT CONTENT** Skills, Attitudes and Knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
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| **Vulnerable members in the community and school**  | * identify vulnerable members in the community
* describe vulnerable members in the community and school
 | * Vulnerable members:

-the elderly-orphans-children-the under privileged-people with disability | * Discussing vulnerable members in the community and school
* Telling stories about vulnerable people
* Watching or listening to audio visuals of the vulnerable people
* Colouring pictures
* Reciting rhymes
 | * ICT tools
* Resource persons
* Pictures
* Videos
* Crayons
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Sharing and helping in the school and community and school** | * share learning materials
* help vulnerable members in the community and school
 | * Items that can be shared:

-pencils-books-crayons**NB. There are items that should not be shared*** Helping the vulnerable

-fetching water and firewood-cleaning | * Dramatise sharing items with others
* Role playing helping the vulnerable in the community and school
* Watching and listening to audio visuals
* Colouring pictures
* Pasting pictures
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
* Toys
* Stationery
* Locally available materials
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**GRADE 1**

**TOPIC 1: IDENTITY**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Myself and my family** | * state their names and surnames
* describe their physical address
* identify members of the extended family
 | Myself-names -surnames -gender -age-totems -physical address/place of residence* My family

-parents-siblings-grandparents-uncle-aunt  | * Rhymes and songs on myself and family
* Saying/signing family and own names
* Discussing family relations
* Drawing self and family members
* Colouring own totems
* Role playing family members
* Cutting and pasting pictures of family members
* Drawing self and family members
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Crayons
* Magazine
* Textbooks
* Specialised materials
* Glue
* Tree juice
* Scissors
* Photographs
* Locally available materials
 |
| Myself and my friends | * name their friends
* describe their own friends
* demonstrate activities they do with friends
 | * My friends

-names-sex-age * Activities

-playing games-chores | * Saying/signing names of friends
* Drawing friends
* Discussing activities done with friends
* Naming/signing and playing games
 | * Balls
* Pencils
* ICT tools
* Braille materials
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
* Charts
* Bond paper
* Local environment
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Myself and my school** | * name / sign their school, teacher and school head
* describe their school, teacher and head teacher
 | Myself and school-school-head-teacher  | * Naming / signing their school, teacher and school head
* Draw their school, teacher and headteacher
* Touring the school
* Singing songs and rhymes about the school

  | * ICT Tools
* School environment
* Crayons
* Pencils
* Pictures
* News prints
* Charts
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Roles of family members** | * list the roles of each family member
* explain roles of family members
 | * duties of different family members

(immediate family)  | * Stating / signing the different roles of each family member
* Role playing the duties of each member
* Discussing roles of family members
 | * I C T tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Family norms and values** | * explain family norms and values
 | * Family norms

-family rules* Values

-respect-honesty-hardworking   | * Discussing family norms and values such as discipline and hard work
* Demonstrating respect for elders
 | * ICT tools
* Picture
* Charts
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 2: NATIONAL HISTORY, SOVEREIGNITY AND GOVERNANCE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT**(Skills, attitudes, and knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| My country and different ethnic groups | * state the name of the country
* state the different ethnic groups in Zimbabwe
 | * Country name
* Different ethnic groups such as:

 -Ndau- Tonga-Chewa | * Naming/ signing their country
* Listing/ signing at least five ethnic groups
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Charts
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| National flag | * identify the colours of the national flag
* explain the meaning of colours on the flag
 | * Colours of the national flag
* Meaning of colours

-Red-Yellow-Black-Green-white | * Identifying colours of the national flag
* Drawing the national flag
* Colouring the national flag
* Discussing the meaning of the colours on the national flag
 | * ICT tools
* Samples of the national flag
* Charts
* Crayons
* Specialised materials
* Locally available
 |
| National School Pledge | * recite the National School Pledge
 | * National School Pledge
 | * Reciting/signing the National School Pledge
* Demonstrating proper posture
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Related literature
* Slate and stylus
* Locally available materials
 |
| National Anthem | * sing the National Anthem
* Observe protocol and proper posture when singing the National Anthem
 | * National Anthem
* Protocol
 | * Singing/signing the National Anthem
* Demonstrating proper posture and protocol
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Resource person
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
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**TOPIC 3 HERITAGE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT**(Skills, attitudes, and knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Tangible heritage** | * Define heritage
* Name/ sign tangible heritage
* List examples of tangible heritage
* Identify tangible heritage
 | * Tangible heritage

-plants-animals-land-artefacts-heritage sites-monuments | * Exploring the environments
* Manipulating and playing with artifacts
* Touring heritage sites in their locality
* Drawing examples of heritage
* Watching videos
* Modelling heritage site/ colouring heritage pictures
* Quiz on heritage
 | * Pictures of heritage
* ICT tools
* Artifacts like drums, baskets, clay pots etc
* Resource persons
* Heritage sites
* Cultural hut
* Locally available materials
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| I**ntangible heritage** | * Identify intangible heritage
* list intangible heritage
* explain use of heritage
* appreciate all languages
 | * Intangible heritage

- folktales -songs and dances -indigenous games-indigenous languages  | * Naming intangible heritage
* Singing and dancing
* Story telling
* Watching videos
* Speaking their own languages
 | * ICT tools
* Cultural attire
* Pictures
* Resource person
* Talking books/braille
* Locally available materials
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| **Ubuntu/ Unhu/ Vumunhu** | * state the attributes of ubuntu/unhu/Vumunhu
* demostrate attributes of ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
 | * Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu

-Norms and values such as humility, honesty, respect, hardwork  | * Discussing the attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
* Demonstrating appropriate norms and values
* Role-playing some elements of ubuntu/unhu/Vumunhu
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
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**TOPIC 4 WORK AND LEISURE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| * Work at home and school
 | * identify the different types of work done at home and at school
* explain importance of work at home and school
 | * Different types of work

- at home (washing, cooking, gardening, herding cattle)- school ( watering the garden , sweeping, picking litter)* Importance of work at home and school

- to share responsibilities- encourage self reliance- prepare for future career | * Listing the different types of work at home and at school
* Discussing the importance of work at home and school
* Role playing different types of work
* Picking litter around the school
 | ICT toolsPictures* Slate and stylus materials
* Specialised materials
 |
| * Work at home and school produces goods and services
 | * Identify goods and services produced at home and school
* Describe services provided at home and school
 | * Work at home and school such as:

-gardening-poultry keeping* Goods produced at home and school such as:

-vegetables-meat* Services such as:

-baby sitting -running errands-herding cattle-washing plates | * Listing goods produced at home and school
* Discussing services provided at home and at school
* Role playing giving services
* Creating a nutritious garden
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
* Garden tools
* Charts
 |
| * Use of leisure time at home and school
 | * identify leisure activities at home and school
* explain the importance of leisure time at home
 | * Use of leisure time at home and at school

- playing games-story telling - watching/listening to audio-visuals- reading* Importance of leisure

- improves mental health- socialisation | * Listing activities done during free time at home and school
* Discussing the importance of leisure activities
* Watching/listening to audio-visuals
* Playing games
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
* Resource person
 |
| Indigenous and modern games. | * identify indigenous and modern games
* demonstrate indigenous and modern games
 | * Indigenous games such as :

- nhodo/ igwini, pada, hide and seek, chitsveru/ ingqobe* Modern games such as:

- computer games, jigsaw puzzles, board games | * Listing indigenous and modern games
* Playing indigenous and modern games
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Specialised material
* Resource person
* Puzzles
* Computers
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**TOPIC 5 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| Means of transport | * identify different means of transport
* explain the importance of transport
 | * Means of transport

-bicycle-car-scorch cart-wheelbarrow-ship-train-aeroplane-boat | * Identifying means of transport
* Labelling different means of

Transport* Discussing the importance of transport
* Watching/listening to audio-visuals
* Constructing transport models
 | * ICT Tools
* Pictures
* Real objects
* Models
* News prints
* Specialised material
 |
| Road safety rules and signs  | * identify basic road signs
* state basic road safety rules
* explain the importance of road safety rules
* exhibit the keeping of road safety rules
 | * Basic road signs

-stop sign-traffic lines-zebra crossing-informative signs* Basic road rules

-walk on the right side of the road-check right, left then right and cross the road-cross on the zebra crossing -always cross on straight roads* Importance of following

safety rules- avoid accidents | * Observing basic road signs
* Saying the meaning of basic road signs
* Listing road safety rules
* Discussing the importance of

road safety rules* Demonstrating basic rules of

the road | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Models
* Road signs
* Environment
* Resource person
* Specialised material
 |
| Means of communication  | * identify means of

Communication* Compare past and present means of communication
 | * Means of communication:

- past and present-smoke-drum-horn-cell phone-television-tablet-letter-word of mouth-bell / siren  | * Listing different ways of

communication* Dramatising ways of

communicating* Drawing pictures of various

means of communication* Labelling communication means
* Constructing models of communication
* Discussing differences between past and present means of communication

  | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Horns
* Drums
* Specialised material
* Modern communication gadgets
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**TOPIC 6 SHELTER**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Human shelter** | * identify different types of human shelter
* explain the importance of shelter
 | * Human shelter

- huts-house-cave-classroom-hospitals-halls* Importance of shelter

- protection - security- storage | * Naming shelter
* Drawing and labelling
* Viewing different types of shelter
* Listening/watching audio visuals
* Making models
* Discussing the need for shelter
 | * Shelter
* Models of shelter
* Charts
* ICT tools
* Crayons
* Play dough
* Pictures
* Specialised material
* Locally available materials
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| **Animal shelter** | * identify different types of animal shelter
 | * Animal shelter

-nest-kraal-den-kennel-river-beehive-hole-caves | * Listing of animal shelter
* Drawing animals shelter
* Matching animal with their shelter
* Visiting and collecting animal shelter
* Discussing animal shelter
* Making models of animal shelter
 | * Pictures
* ICT tool
* Local environment
* Clay
* Grass
* Fibre
* Prepared animal models
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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 **TOPIC 7 GLOBAL ISSUES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Veld fires** | * identify causes and effects of veld fires
* describe how veld fires are prevented
 | Veld fires-causes - effects-prevention | * Listing causes of veld fires
* Discussing effects of veld fires
* Role-playing ways of preventing veld fires
* Making fire guards
* Conducting fire drills
 | * ICT tools
* Drill equipment
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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| **Water related disaster** | * explain water related disasters
* identify safety precautions against water related disasters
 | * Water disasters

-drowning - floods-water pollution* Safety precautions:

- stay away from water bodies- move to a safe place- draw water from safe sources | * Listing water related disasters
* Suggesting safety precautions
* Identifying potential drowning places
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Wells
* Swimming pools
* River
* Construction sites
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 8 MANAGING AND COPING WITH CHANGES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| * Managing and coping with changes from ECD to Grade 1
 | * state transitional changes from ECD to Grade 1
* Compare grade 1 and ECD activities
 | * Transitional changes in the school
* level/grade
* classroom
* teacher
* routines
* activities
* Managing transitional changes in the school

- taking instructions- following rules | * Listing transitional changes from ECD to Grade 1
* Discussing changes from ECD to grade one
* Suggesting ways of coping with changes
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus materials
* Specialised materials
* Local environment
* Resource person
* Locally available materials
 |
| Coping with changes in the family | * list possible changes that affect children in the family
* state coping strategies on changes in the family
 | * Possible changes that affect children in the family

- death-relocation- job loss* Coping strategies on family changes

- seek counseling  | * Listing possible changes that affect children in the family
* Discussing coping strategies
* Exercising
* Playing games
* Singing songs and dancing
* Story telling/ story reading
* Debating possible solutions
 | * Pictures
* Charts
* ICT tools
* Toys
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| Conflict resolution | * identify potential causes of conflict
* outline ways of resolving conflict
 | * Potential causes of conflict

- communication breakdown- resources competition- differences in beliefs- background* Ways of resolving conflict

-negotiating-compromise-report | * Listing causes of conflict
* Discussing ways of resolving conflict
* Dialoguing
* Dramatising resolving conflicts
* Telling stories on conflict resolution
 | * ICT tools
* Counselling room
* Pictures
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 9 SOCIAL ETIQUETTE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| * Acceptable behavior at home and school
 | * list examples of acceptable behavior at home and school
* demonstrate acceptable behaviour at home and school
 | * Acceptable behavior at home

-good eating habits such as: chewing food with mouth closed, eating while seated-greetings-following rules-respecting one another | * Listing examples of good behavior
* Demonstrating good behavior
* Role playing good behavior
* Describing good behavior
* Reciting poems on good behavior

  | * ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Pictures
* Charts
* Resource person
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**TOPIC 10 ENTITLEMENTS/ RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT**(Skills, attitudes, and knowledge) | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| Child rights and responsibilities | * name/sign child rights and responsibilities
 | * Child rights such as the Right to:
* shelter
* education
* health
* Responsibilities such as:

- cleaning - homework- reporting sickness | * Stating child rights and responsibilities
* Discussing child rights and responsibilities
* Reciting poems on child rights and responsibilities
* Matching child rights and responsibilities
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Real objects
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Textbooks/audio books
* Locally available materials
 |
| Child protection at home, school and community | * name forms of abuse
* identify people who can protect children at home, school and community

discuss ways of reporting child abuse | * Situations that require protection:

- Abuse; sexual, physical, emotional, neglect* People who protect children

- prefects and teachers, parents/guardians, siblings, police* trusted elders
* Ways of reporting child abuse;
* -telling trusted elders,
 | * Listing different forms of abuse
* Naming people who can protect children at home, school and community
* Dramatising reporting abuse
* Watching videos on ways of reporting child abuse

  | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Real objects
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Suggestion boxes
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 11 HEALTH EDUCATION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Personal hygiene** | * identify items used for personal hygiene.
* list local indigenous items used for personal hygiene
* demonstrate personal hygiene practices
 | * Items for personal hygiene
* towel
* soap
* toothbrush
* Indigenous items for personal hygiene
* stick toothbrush
* charcoal
* ashes
* ruredzo
 | * Naming items used for personal hygiene in the locality
* Drawing and labelling items used for personal hygiene
* Collecting items used for personal hygiene
* Practising personal hygiene
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Textbooks
* Audio-visual aids
* Resource person
* Crayons
* Stick toothbrush
* Charcoal
* Ashes
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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| **Healthy lifestyles** | * Identify healthy habits
* practise healthy habits
 | Healthy lifestyles* Healthy habits
* Eating healthy food such as:
* fruits
* vegetables
* nutritious drinks
* Exercising
* playing games
* running, jogging
* Rest and enough sleep
 | * Listing healthy foods including indigenous
* Drawing healthy and unhealthy foods
* Classifying healthy and unhealthy foods
* Researching on healthy and unhealthy foods
* Playing games
* Exercising
* Discussing other healthy lifestyles
* Watching videos on exercises
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Textbooks
* Audio books
* Resource person
* Crayons
* Food samples (healthy and unhealthy foods)
* Playground
* Locally available materials
 |
| Common diseases | * list common diseases
* State natural remedies for common diseases
 | * Common diseases
* common colds
* influenza
* diarrhoea
* bilharzia
* malaria
* Mumps
* Natural remedies

-malaria - burning cow dung-flue - steaming-mumps - tying corn cob around the neck | * Naming common diseases in their locality
* Discussing common diseases
* Researching on natural remedies for common diseases in their locality
* Reciting poems on common diseases
* Dramatising on any common diseases
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Textbooks
* Audio-visuals aids
* Resource person
* Corn cobs
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 12 CAREER GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL LITERACY**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Educational guidance** | * state ways of studying
* explain ways of studying
 | * Effective study ways

-regular lesson attendance-homework-take regular breaks-ask questions-time-tabling-revision | * Listing ways of studying
* Discussing ways of studying
* Designing a study time-table
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Resource persons
* Newspapers
* Audio-visual aids
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Career ambitions and guidance**  | * state career ambitions
* list different occupations
* identify a desired career
 | * Career ambitions
* Different occupations
* Desired careers
* Different careers in local community
 | * Saying own career ambitions
* Discussing different occupations
* Drawing and pasting pictures
* Matching pictures and occupations
* Labelling pictures of different occupations
* Identifying desired careers
* Stating different careers in the local community
* Role playing different careers
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Pictures
* Pencils
* Crayons
* Glue
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Financial Literacy** | * identify honest ways of making money
* Demonstrate responsible use of money
 | * Honest ways of making money

-formal work-informal work* Income generating projects

-keeping broilers-rabbit- keeping-baking-sewing* Responsible use of money

-budget-saving | * Listing income generating projects at home
* Role playing honest ways of making money
* Creating income generating projects
* Practising buying and selling
 | * ICT tools
* Shop corner
* Pictures
* Chart
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 13 RELIGION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Different Religions** | * name own religion
* state different religions in Zimbabwe
* identify religious symbols
 | * Religions in Zimbabwe

-Indigenous religion-Christianity-Judaism-Islam* Religious symbols
 | * Stating own religion
* Listing different religions in Zimbabwe
* Discussing religious symbols
* Drawing own religious symbol
* Colouring their own religious symbols
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Videos
* Crayons
* Specialised materials
 |
| **Tolerance in religion** | * state the importance of religious tolerance
 | Importance of religious tolerance | * Stating the importance of religious tolerance
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Moral teachings in different religions (love compassion, forgiveness)** | * state moral teachings of the identified religions
 | Moral teachings in different religions-respect-love-forgiveness-compassion | * Stating moral teachings of the identified religions
* Reciting rhymes on moral teachings
* Story telling
* Role playing scenarios of respect
* love
* forgiveness
* compassion
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Audio-visual materials
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**TOPIC 14 : SOCIAL SERVICES AND VOLUNTEERISM**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Vulnerable members of the community** | * identify vulnerable members in the community
* explain how the community can help its vulnerable members
* appreciate diversity in the community
 | * Vulnerable members in the community

-orphans-the elderly-sick people-people with disabilities-under privileged  | * Listing vulnerable members in the community
* Discussing ways of helping the vulnerable members
* Celebrating diversity in the community
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Songs
* Rhymes
* Newspapers
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Voluntary participation in the community** | * identify community voluntary activities
* participate in community voluntary activities
 | * Voluntary community activities such as:

-picking litter-helping the under-privileged in the community | * Picking litter in the

Community* Collecting resources for helping the under privileged in the community
* Dramatising community activities or program
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Songs
* Rhymes
* Newspapers
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Sharing and helping in the community** | * share items with others in the community
* help to vulnerable members in the community and
 | * Shared resources in the community

-community hall-bore hole-dip tank-dam-play grounds-park | * Listing shared resources in the community
* Discussing ways of sharing community resources
* Dramatising collective work in the community
* Questioning and answering on helping the needy in the community

  | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Songs
* Rhymes
* Newspapers
* Specialised materials
* Play area
* Locally available materials
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**GRADE 2**

**TOPIC 1 IDENTITY**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Relatives, family norms and values** | * explain the relationship between family members
* describe family norms and values
* demonstrate family norms and values
 | * Relationships within the family members such as:-

-aunt-grandparents -uncle-nephew-niece-cousin* Family norms and values:-

-respect-tolerance-discipline-hard work-greetings-love -forgiveness  | * Discussing relationships between family members
* Drawing and labelling relatives
* Singing songs and rhymes on relatives
* Describing their relatives
* Dramatising roles of their relatives
* Stating family norms and values
 | * ICT tools (digital cameras)
* Charts
* Pencils
* Dough
* Magazines
* Textbooks
* Specialised material
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Relationships between the family and the community** | * explain the relationship between the family and community
 | * Family and community relationships

-community events such as:-funerals-weddings-meetings | * Stating situations where family and the community work together
* Discussing ways members participate in community events
* Dramatising events done in the community
 | * ICT tools (digital cameras)
* Charts
* Magazine
* Textbooks
* Specialised materials
* Crayons
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 2 : NATIONAL HISTORY, SOVEREGNITY AND GOVERNANCE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **National Anthem** | * explain/signing the importance of the National Anthem
* state/sign the events where the national anthem is sung
 | * Importance of the National Anthem

-identity- heritage-patriotism* events where National Anthem is sung

-at assemblies-national events and international events | * Stating/signing the importance of the National Anthem
* Discussing occasions where the national anthem is sung
* Demonstrating the correct posture when the national anthem is sung.
* Singing/ signing the national anthem
 | * ICT tools
* Samples of the National flag
* Related literature
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **National symbols** | * identify the national symbols
* explain the significance of the national symbols
 | * National symbols

- the Zimbabwe bird- the National flag* Significance of the national symbols

-identity | * Naming/signing the national symbols
* Collecting pictures of the national symbols for display
* Discussing/signing the significance of the national symbols
* Drawing and colouring national symbols
 | * ICT tools
* National flag
* Pencils
* Crayons
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **National School Pledge**  | * Recite the National School Pledge
 | National School Pledge | * Observing the correct posture when reciting the national school pledge
* Reciting/signing the national school pledge
 | * ICT tools
* Chart
* Braille
* Related literature
* Locally available materials
 |
| **National events and celebrations** | * name/ sign the National events and celebrations
* explain the role played by heroes/heroines
* name/sign local heroes and heroines
 | * National events and celebrations such as:

-Independence day -Heroes day* Heroes/heroines

-Local/ national heroes and heroines  | * Discussing national events
* Listing/signing national events and celebrations
* Giving dates of National events and celebrations
* Defining hero/heroine
* Conducting educational tours to places such as Heroes Acre, National Archives and National Museums
 | * ICT tools
* Calendar
* Pictures
* Resources person
* Heroes Acre
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Ethnic groups and languages** | * identify ethnic groups
* state/ sign different languages spoken in their community
 | * Ethnic groups
* Languages spoken in the local community
 | * Naming/signing ethnic groups in their community
* Greeting each other using different languages
 | * ICT tools
* Signing
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 3 : HERITAGE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Tangible and intangible heritage** | * define tangible and intangible heritage
* list tangible and intangible heritage
* Demonstrate ways of preserving tangible and intagible heritage
 | * Tangible heritage

-plants-animals-land-artifacts* Intangible heritage

- folktales -song and dance-indigenous gamesIndigenous Languages * Ways of preserving tangible and intangible heritage

-stories-poetry-singing-taboos-create culture centre-museum | * Exploring the environment
* Manipulating and playing with artifacts
* Touring tangible and intangible heritage sites
* Drawing examples of tangible heritage
* Watching/listening videos
* Modelling tangible heritage/ colouring
* Answering questions about heritage
* Singing and dancing
* Telling folktales
* Speaking own languages
* Creating a cultural village
 | * Resource person
* Environment
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Audio-visual aids
* Culture hut
* Heritage sites
 |
| **Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu** | * state the attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
* demonstrate attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
 | * Attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu

- respect-honesty-obedienthumility | * Naming attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
* Listening / observing to moral stories
* Role-playing attributes of Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **School as an agent of socialisation** | * identify key people in the school
* create school and class rules
* explain the importance of school rules
 | * Key people

-teachers-Prefects. -peers-Health personnel-G AND C committee- School rules Class rules- Games | * Stating key roles of the key people at school
* Discussing roles of the key people
* Formulating school/ class rules
* Observing school rules
* Playing games
 | * Pictures
* ICT tools
* Games
* Resource person
* Game tools
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 4 WORK AND LEISURE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Work in the community**. | * identify types of work done in the community
 | * Types of work in the community

-building-teaching- farming-pottery-weavingwelding | * Listing types of work done in the community
* Dramatizing/ role playing types of work done by community members
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus materials
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials

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| **Production of goods and services in the community** | * state the goods produced in the community
 | * Goods produced in the community

-farm produce-baskets-tools* Services provided in the community

--provision of health services-cleaning environment-security  | * Listing goods produced in the community
* Researching on services provided in the community
* Producing goods using available material
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Leisure activities in the community** | * State some leisure activities in the community
 | * Leisure activities in the community

-swimming-hunting-fishing-story telling-playing foot ball | * Listing some leisure activities in the community
* Researching on leisure activities in the community
* Visiting local recreational centres
* Participating in the leisure activities
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus materials
* Specialised materials
* Local environment
* Resource person
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Indigenous and modern games** | * state indigenous and modern games
* play indigenous and modern games
 | Indigenous gamesZai rakaora/ iqanda libolile, dunhu/ umatshayanaModern games-Video games-Snakes and ladders | * Stating indigenous and modern games
* Playing indigenous and modern games
 | ICT toolsPictures* Slate and stylus materials

Brailled materialsLocal environmentResource person |

**TOPIC 5 TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills, knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Modes and means of transport**  | * name the modes of

 transport* describe the means of

transport | * Modes of

transport:-land-water-air-railMeans oftransport:-vehicles-carts | * Identifying the modes of

 transport* Discussing the modes of

 transport* Classifying types of transport

 into various modes  of transport* Making models of the means

 of transport  | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Toys
* Diagrams
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Traffic rules**  | * identify road signs, signals and markings
* outline passenger safety when using various modes of transport
 | * Road signs, signals and markings:

-stop sign-traffic signs-zebra crossing-informative signs* Passenger safety

-seat belts-following road safety rules | * Observing road signs, signal and markings
* Demonstrating passenger safety rules
* Drawing road signs and markings
* Colouring road signs and markings
* Role playing
 | * Model of road signs and markings
* Resource persons
* Road
* Pictures
* Charts
* Highway code charts
* Highway code
* ICT tools
* materials
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Means of communication – indigenous and modern** | * identify indigenous and

modern means ofcommunication | * Indigenous means

of communicationsuch as: -fire,-smoke-drums -horn* Modern means of

communicationsuch as--cell phones-television-tablets | * Discussing indigenous and

modern means ofcommunication* Drawing and labelling some indigenous

and modern means ofcommunication | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Crayons and paint
* Toys
* Communication objects
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 6 : SHELTER**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Importance of human and animal shelter**  | * identify different types of shelter for people and animals
* Explain the importance of human and animal shelter
* classify human and animal shelter
 | * Types of shelter
* Importance of human and animal shelter

- protection-security-privacy-comfort and well being-storage-leisure and relaxation | * Listing types of shelter
* Discussing importance of human and animal shelter
* Classifying human and animal shelter
* Watching videos
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Pencils
* Paper
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Different types of shelter at school** | * Identify types of shelter at school
* state types of shelter and uses
 | * Shelter at school

-classroom blocks-teachers houses-admin blocks-toilets-tuck shop-fowl run-pigsty-fish pond | * Naming shelter at school and in the neighbourhood
* Listing types of shelter and their uses
* Matching shelter and use
* Modelling types of shelter
 | * ICT tools
* The school environment
* Pictures
* The neighbourhood
* Clay dough
* Specialised material
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Different types of shelter in the neighbourhood** | * identify different type of shelter in the neighbourhood
* explain uses of shelter in the neighbourhood
 | * Shelter in the neighbourhood

-Community hall-place of worship-shops-police camp-clinic | * Naming shelter in the neighbourhood
* Listing types of shelter and their uses
* Matching shelter and use
* Modelling types of shelter in the neighbourhood
 | * ICT tools
* The school environment
* Pictures
* The neighbourhood
* Clay dough
* Specialised material
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 7: GLOBAL ISSUES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Floods** | * define floods
* explain the effects of floods in the community
 | * Effects of floods

-distruction of property-loss of life-displacement* Safety precaution measures

-move to safe places | * Watching/listening to audio visuals on floods
* Discussing effects of floods in the community
* Stating safety precaution measures against floods
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Local environment
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Deforestation** | * define deforestation
* describe effect of deforestation on the environment
* State causes of deforestation
 | * Deforestation

- cutting down of trees* Causes of deforestration

-mining-agriculture-firewood-climate change* Effects of deforestation

-erosion-destruction of animal shelter-siltation-gullies | * Exploring environment
* Explaining causes of deforestation
* Discussing effects of deforestation
* Watching videos on deforestation
* Planting trees
 | ICT toolsResource personLocal environmentPicturesChartsSpecialised materialPlants/seedlings/offshoots |

**TOPIC 8 : MANAGING AND COPYING WITH CHANGES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Coping with changes in the family**. | * list changes that affect children in the family
* state coping strategies on changes in the family
 | * Possible changes that affect children in the family for example:

-migration-new school -death of a parent/ guardian * Coping strategies on family changes
 | * Discussing changes in the family that affect children
* Naming changes that occur in the family
* Questioning and answering on coping strategies
* Simulating situations on changes in the family
* Formulating class rules
 | * Pictures
* Charts
* ICT tools
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 9: SOCIAL ETIQUETTE**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Acceptable behavior at school**  | * State examples of acceptable behavior at school
 | * Acceptable behavior at school

-good eating habits-greetings-following rules-respecting one another**nb** we need to discourage bad behavior  | * Listing examples of good behavior at school
* Demonstrating good behavior at school
* Role playing acceptable behavior at school
* Describing good behavior at school
* Reciting poems on acceptable behavior
* Watching/listening audio visuals
 | * ICT tools
* Braille material
* Pictures
* Charts
* Resource person
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 10 : ENTITLEMENTS / RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| Child Rights and responsibilities | * list child rights and responsibilities
* compare rights and responsibilities
 | * Child rights and responsibilities

Right to:-education-life-health-shelter-clean water* Responsibilities
* attend lessons
* taking care of shelter
* report illness
* seek help
 | * Stating child rights and responsibilities
* Discussing child rights and responsibilities
* Distinguish rights from responsibilities
* Demonstrating responsibilities
* Reciting poems on child rights and responsibilities
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Resource persons
* Braille materials
* Textbooks
* Specialised material
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Child protection at home, school and community** | * name forms of abuse
* identify people who can protect children at home, school and community
* report child abuse
 | * Situations that require protection such as:

- Abuse* People who protect children;

-prefects, teachers, siblings, trusted elders and police* Ways of getting help;

- telling trusted people,- phoning child helpline- suggestion box- reporting to Child Care Workers (CCW) | * Listing different forms of abuse
* Naming people who can protect children at home, school and community
* Role playing getting help
* Discussing ways of reporting

  | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Real objects
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Suggestion boxes
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**TOPIC 11 : HEALTH EDUCATION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| Personal hygiene and cleanliness | * explain the importance of maintaining personal hygiene
 | * Importance of personal hygiene
* preventing illness
* boost self esteem
* better health
 | * Listing ways of maintaining personal hygiene
* Discussing the importance of maintaining personal hygiene
* Researching on indigenous ways of maintaining personal hygiene
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised material
* Textbooks
* audio books
* Resource person
* Hand washing bucket
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Healthy lifestyles** | * identify good eating habits
* practice healthy habits
 | * Good eating habits
* eating while seated
* not talking while eating
* washing hands
* Healthy habits

- exercising-rest and sleep | * Listing good eating habits including indigenous and contemporary
* Discussing good eating habits
* Demonstrating good eating habits including indigenous and contemporary
* Researching on healthy habits
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Textbooks
* audio books
* Resource person
* Hand washing bucket
* Plates
* Cutlery
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Common diseases** | * define communicable diseases
* list communicable diseases
* identify causes of communicable diseases
 | * Definition of communicable diseases
* Communicable diseases
* Diarrhea
* influenza
* Causes of communicable diseases
 | * Explaining the meaning of communicable diseases
* Naming examples of communicable diseases
* Discussing the causes of communicable diseases
* Researching on prevention communicable diseases
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised material
* Textbooks
* audio books
* Resource person
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 12 : CAREER GUIDANCE AND FINANCIAL LITERACY**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Career ambitions and guidance** | * state job ambitions
* identify different occupations
* relate ambitions to careers
 | * Job ambitions
* Different occupations

  | * Discussing different occupations
* Describing occupations
* Drawing and labelling pictures
* Matching ambitions and careers
* Exhibiting different careers
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Pictures
* Pencils
* Crayons
* Glue
* Resource persons
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Educational guidance** | * state ways of studying
* explain ways of studying
 | * Effective ways of studying

- regular lesson attendance - homework- corrections- revision- taking regular breaks | * Listing ways of studying
* Discussing ways of studying
* Creating a study time table
* Conducting research on topics covered
 | * ICT tools
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Resource persons
* Newspapers
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Financial Literacy** | * describe acceptable ways of earning money
* demonstrate wise use of money
 | * Acceptable ways of earning money

-formal work-informal work-Income-generating projects such as:-handcraft-gardening* Wise use of money

- budgeting- piggy bank  | * Discussing acceptable ways of earning money
* Drawing up a budget
* Researching on traditional ways of saving money
* Creating an income generating project
 | * ICT tools
* Shop area
* Pictures
* Charts
* Specialised materials
* Shop corner
* Newspapers
* Magazines
* Locally available materials
 |

**TOPIC 13 : RELIGION**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **CONTENT** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Different Religions** | * name own religion
* state supreme beings in different religions
 | * Religions in Zimbabwe

-Indigenous religion-Christianity -Judaism-Islam* Supreme Beings in different religions

-e.g. Nyadenga/UNkulunkulu- God-Allah-Yahweh | * Describing own religion
* Discussing different religions in Zimbabwe
* Questioning and answering on Supreme Being
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Videos
* Pencil
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
 |
| **Common moral teachings in different religions** | * State moral teachings of the identified religions
* draw morals from religious stories
 | * Moral teachings in different religions

-respect-forgiveness-kindness-honest | * Listing moral teachings of the identified religions
* Reciting poems on moral teachings
* Listening and watching audio-visuals on moral stories
* Role playing scenarios showing moral values
 | * ICT tools
* Resource person
* Pictures
* Slate and stylus
* Specialised materials
* Locally available materials
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**TOPIC 14: SOCIAL SERVICES AND VOLUNTEERISM**

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| **KEY CONCEPT** | **OBJECTIVES**Pupils should be able to: | **UNIT CONTENT***(skills ,knowledge ,attitude***)** | **SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES** | **SUGGESTED RESOURCES** |
| **Voluntary participation in the community** | * participate in community activities
 | * Community activities

-cleaning -maintaining community resources such as; boreholes, community halls-caring for the under privilleged | * Discussing community activities
* Participating in community activities
* Sing praise songs about the community
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Newspapers
* Sign language
* Specialised materials
* Posters
* Praise songs
* Magazines
* Charts
* Locally available materials
 |
| **The role of the government in providing social services** | * explain the role of the government in provision of social services
 | * Role of government in social services

- payment of school fees- provision of food aid-provision of seeds-caring for the vulnerable people  | * Describing the role of government in providing social services
* Dicussing the benefits from government social service programs
 | * ICT tools
* Pictures
* Magazines
* posters
* Newspapers
* Sign language
* Specialised materials
* Play area
* Charts
* Locally available materials
 |

**9.0 ASSESSMENT**

The Social Science learning area at Infant level shall be assessed through continuous and summative assessment. The syllabus scheme of assessment is grounded on the principle of inclusivity. Arrangements, accommodations and modifications must be visible to enable candidates with special needs to access assessments.

**9.1 Assessment Objectives**

Learners will be assessed on their ability to:

* state child rights and responsibilities
* identify changes that can take place within a family
* describe communicable and non-communicable diseases and ways of prevention
* demonstrate understanding of the concepts of patriotism, volunteerism, inclusivity, healthy habits, good care of their belongings and the environment, safe traffic and road usage
* discuss norms, values and appropriate behaviour (Ubuntu/Unhu/Vumunhu)
* explain their roles in the home, school and their community
* relate appropriately with family, friends, classmates, wider community and strangers

**9.2 ASSESSMENT MODEL**

The assessment will follow both Continuous and Summative assessment. Continuous Assessment will include recorded activities from the School Based Projects and other activities done by the learners for assessment while summative will include end of week, month, term, year and check points assessments. For ECD the model will mainly be continuous with profiling, School-Based Projects and any other assessable activities following the left side of figure below. At Grade 1 and 2 assessment will be both continuous and summative as indicated by figure .

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**9.3 Assessment tools**

The following are suggested assessment tools:

* Checklists
* Rating Scale
* Observation Guide
* Exercises
* Tests
* School based projects

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**9.4 Infant Level Assessment Matrix**

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| **LEVEL** | **FORM OF ASSESSMENT**  | **ASSESSMENTTASKS**  | **NATURE** | **FREQUENCY** |
| INFANTS | Continuous | Assessment tasks can be School Based Projects or pen and paper activities based on the following:* Singing
* Drawing
* Dancing
* Colouring
* Storytelling
* Speaking
* Listening
* Counting
* Playing children's games
* Chanting
* Reciting
* Seriating
* Matching
* Sorting
* Writing
 | Individual, or group activities | * Daily basis
* Weekly
* Fortnightly
* Monthly
* Termly
* Yearly
 |
| Summative | * End of week, month, term and year tests
* Check points assessment
* Classroom exercises
 | Individual activities | * Daily basis
* Weekly
* Fortnightly
* Monthly
* Termly
* Yearly
 |

**9.5 Scheme of Assessement**

Learners will be assessed through Continuous and Summative Assessment as shown by the table below:

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| **Level** | **Form of Assessment** | **Weighting** |
| ECD | Formative / Continuous Assessment | 100% |
| GRADE 1 AND GRADE 2 | Summative  |  |
| Formative/Continuous Assessment |  |

**9.6 Domains Weighting**

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The weighting of the domain to be assessed are as follows:

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| **Domain** | **Continuous %** |
| Cognitive | 40 |
| Physical | 25 |
| Social  | 20 |
| Emotional | 15 |
| **Total** | **100** |