Physics Syllabus For Grade 11

Grade 11 physics objectives

After completing grade11 physics lessons students will be able to:

- Understand the basic concepts of measurement and practical work, vector quantities, kinematics, dynamics, the law of conservation of energy, and the way energy is transformed and transmitted, the concepts and units related to energy, work, and power and the laws of conservation of momentum for objects moving in one and two dimensions properties of bulk matter
- Develop manipulative skills in solving problems related to kinematical and dynamical problems related to translational and rotational motions ,the laws of conservation of momentum and energy
- Develop scientific-inquiry skills as they verify accepted laws and solve both assigned problems and those emerging from their investigations.
- Analyze the interrelationships between physics and technology, and consider the impact of technological applications of physics on society and the environment.
- solve the problems using a variety of problem-solving skills;

Unit 1: Measurement and practical work (8 periods)

Unit outcomes: Students will be able to:

- demonstrate knowledge and understandings in the science of measurement, errors in measurement
- Develop skills in experimenting and report writing
- Understand a systematic and random errors in the measurement of a physical quantity
- communicate the procedures and results of investigations and research for specific purposes using data tables, laboratory reports, and account for discrepancies between theoretical and experimental values with reference to experimental uncertainty
- express the result of any calculation involving experimental data to the appropriate number of decimal places or significant figures
- Identify and describe science- and technology-based careers related to the subject area under study
- select and use appropriate SI units (units of measurement of the International System of Units.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 <i>Competencies</i> <i>Students will be able to:</i> Explain the importance of measurement identify and use appropriate units for data that will be collected Distinguish between random error and systematic error State the uncertainty in a single measurement of a quantity Describe sources of 	Contents 1. Measurement & practical work Science of measurement (1 period) • Importance of measurement • Units of measurements Errors in measurement (2 periods) • Uncertainty in measurement • Sources of errors	 Suggested Activities The purposes of this unit are to introduce measurement, precision and accuracy as well as reporting experimental results. Initiate discussion on what measurement is and what it is not. Distinguish between different types of errors. Illustrate significant digits using actual measurements. Students should be taught to estimate the last digit rather than to ignore it. Calculators provide more digits than are significant, especially when performing multiplication and division. If students recognize this and report the correct number then the major objective of this unit is achieved. Let the students measure different quantities (length, mass, time, current etc.) and repeatedly or by many students, calculate the average. Appropriate calculations on errors Let the students say something on how error in measurement arises. After listening to their response, give an explanation on measurement and uncertainty. The point is that error is attributed to a process, not the individual. Measurements in science are conducted many times, sometimes hundreds, to get accurate values.
errorsIdentify types of errors	Sources of errorsTypes of errors	Activity: students will make a measurement of an object: say the volume of a box, or the volume of a soccer ball.
 identify the orders of magnitude that will be appropriate and the uncertainty that may be present in the measurement of data Distinguish between 	 Accepted and measured value Order of magnitude 	 Assist students in becoming familiar with metric units by identifying various units with parts of human body. Approximately 1 cm is width of small fingernail; 1m is "reach' from tip of chin to tip of outstretched hand. Substitution of units in equations in algebra will provide preliminary check on correctness of equation format. Show glass beakers of various sizes up to 1 liter. Use food coloring in water to improve visibility .Also show several common liquid measures and ask students to estimate volumes in SI units' Have students bring cardboard box from grocery sore for which they
random uncertainties and	• Calculating errors	have calculated volume in liters.

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 systematic errors distinguish between precision and accuracy state what is meant by the degree of precision of a measuring instrument Describe what is meant by the term significant digit and how it is related to precision Identify rules concerning the number of significant digits that a numeral 	 Precision and accuracy Scientific notation Operations with significant figures 	 Measure precisely 100 cc alcohol (ethanol) and pour into graduated cylinder. Add precisely 100 cc of water and observe final volume is not 200 cc! Discuss conservation of mass vs volume. Teachers need to make sure students use the correct units when solving physics problems. If a problem presents information about a quantity like time in different units, they need to convert that information to the same units. You convert units by: Knowing the conversion factor (say, 12 inches to a foot; 2.54 centimeters to an inch). Multiplying by the conversion factor (such as 3.28 feet/1.00 meter) so that you cancel units in both the numerator and denominator. For example, to convert meters to feet, you multiply by 3.28 ft/m so that the meter units cancel. In conversions, it is easy to make mistakes so it is good to check your work. To make sure you are applying conversions correctly, make sure the appropriate units cancel. To do this, you note the units associated with each value and each conversion factor.
 has Define the term scientific method State the steps of scientific methods Describe the procedures of report writing uses terminology and reporting styles appropriately and successfully to communicate information and understanding Present information in tabular, graphical, written and diagrammatic form. report concisely on 	Experiment and Report Writing (2 periods) • Scientific method of conducting an experiment • Report writing	

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Competencies Contents Suggested Activities		
 experimental procedures and results Use scientific calculators efficiently 		

The teacher should assess each students work continuously over the whole unit and compare it with the following description, based on the competencies, to determine whether the student has achieved the minimum required level.

Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms precision, uncertainity, error, magnitude of order; state the types of errors, distinguish between random and systematic error, use the appropriate units for the given measurements, convert from one units of measurements to another, describe the procedures of report writing of the experiment, state the uncertainty in a single measurement of a quantity Explain the importance of measurement in life., explain about sources of errors and their types, differentiate between accepted and experimental values, add and subtract scientific notation, keeping significant figures properly, Multiply scientific figures keeping significant figures properly., Define the term scientific method and State the steps of scientific methods, Explain the possible sources of errors.

Students above minimum requirement level

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 2: Vector quantities (18 periods)

- Familiarize themselves with basic principles of operations of vectors
- acquire knowledge and understandings in nature, and properties of vectors
- apply the knowledge of vectors in interpreting physical phenomena
- develop skills in using vector concepts in the solution of problems
- analyze experimental data, using vectors, graphs, trigonometry, and the resolution of vectors into perpendicular components, to determine the net force acting on an object and its resulting motion;
- Appreciate the use of vector algebra in treating physical concepts.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 Students will be able to: demonstrate an understanding of the difference between scalars and vectors and give common examples add vectors by graphical representation to determine a resultant explain what a position vector is use vector notation and arrow representation of a vector specify the unit vector in the direction of a given vector add/subtract two or more vectors by the vector addition rule determine the magnitude and direction of the resolution of two or more vectors using Pythagoras 	 2. Vector quantities Definition of vectors. Types of vectors (3 periods) Position vector unit vectors collinear and coplanar vectors Resolution of Vectors into rectangular components (2 periods) Vector addition and Subtraction (7 periods) graphical methods Analytic methods (Triangle and Parallelogram laws) Component method Multiplication of vectors (6 periods)	 There are many practical examples of vector addition, and several should be discussed in class. Some of these include the motion of a boat in water, an airplane in wind, and a sled in snow. Statics, the equilibrium condition of point objects, also has many common examples. The need for vector, rather than scalar, addition of forces is best displayed by means of a demonstration. Use arrows, drawn to scale, "heads to tail" to show triangle law (i.e. the resultant of two vectors completes the triangle formed by the two). Commutative law of vector addition can be demonstrated by producing same resultant when varying order of vector addition. Help students to show how three non-zero vectors can be added up to be zero. Draw an example Appropriate Calculations Experiments Find resultants using Newton balances or pulleys. Project Work(s) Investigation of the laws of equilibrium for a set of co-planar forces

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	Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
•	theorem and trigonometry use the geometric definition of the scalar product to calculate the scalar product of two given vectors	Multiplication of vector by a scalar 2.4.2. Scalar product 2.4.3. Vector product 2.4.4. Application of vectors	
•	use the scalar product to determine projection of a vector onto another vector test two given vectors for orthogonality		
•	use the vector product to test for collinear vectors		
•	Explain the use of knowledge of vector in understanding natural phenomenon		

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: give the definitions of the terms: position vector. Unit vectors. collinear, coplanar, non-coplanar vectors; add and subtract vectors by using graphical and analytical methods, use the triangle and parallelogram law of addition of vectors, define the scalar and vector product of vectors, apply the definitions of vector products to find the result of two or more vectors, resolve vectors into their rectangular components and along any given line, explain some of the applications of vectors. Distinguish between vector and scalar quantities, and give examples of each,- Determine the resolved part of a vector in any given direction, add vectors by graphical representation to determine a resultant, determine graphically a resultant of two vectors, add/subtract two or more vectors by the vector addition rule, solve problems related to scalar and vector products of two vectors in a plane, explain properties of vector operations.

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 3: Kinematics (20 periods)

- Gain an understanding of the fundamental principles of kinematics in one and two dimensions
- Develop skills in applying equations of motions to solve practical problems
- Recognize the effect of air resistance and force of gravity on motion of a body in a plane
- analyze the motion of objects in horizontal, vertical, and inclined planes, and predict parameters of the motion
- investigate motion in a plane, through experiments,
- analyze and solve Problems involving the forces acting on an object in linear, projectile, and circular motion, With the aid of vectors, graphs, and free-body diagrams;
- Describe technological advances related to motion; and identify the effects of societal influences on transportation and safety issues.

 Students will be able to: describe motion using vector analysis Define the term reference frame Explain the difference between average speed (velocities) and instantaneous speed (velocity) Solve numerical problem involving average velocity and instantaneous velocity Define instantaneous velocity Define instantaneous velocity Define instantaneous acceleration Solve problems involving average Solve problems involving average Mathematica in the study of physics. Encourage students to develop the habit of selecting the fundamental equation, solve for the unknown before substituting any numerical value and dimensional checks as necessary. The section on Motion in a plane extends the concepts of linear motion to curvilinear motion. Activities should help students recognize that the motion of projectiles is the result of an object the independence of the velocities, in the two directions, gives students considerable difficulty. One of the simplest and most effective means of demonstration the independence of velocities involves the use of a flexible ruler and two marbles or steel balls. Both balls, when flipped with the ruler, will leave the edge of the table at the same time. If students listen carefully, they will hear only one "click" as both balls strike the floor simultaneous should then be demonstrated by plotting distance versus time, and distance versus (time)². Galileo's thought experiment that compares the time of two balls falling separately or tied together can be used to support the idea that acceleration due to gravity is constant. "Monkey and Hunter" demonstration gives a more elaborate method of demonstrating the independence of velocities.
 and instantaneous acceleration Measurement of velocity and acceleration Measurement of g.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 Solve quantitative and qualitative kinematics problems related to average and instantaneous velocity and acceleration Derive equations of motion for uniformly accelerated motion Apply equations of uniformly accelerated motion in solving problems Draw graphs from the kinematics equations 	3.1.4. Motion with constant acceleration	calculation of g. hence
 Interpret s-t, v-t and a-t graphs solve numerical kinematics problems relate scientific concepts to issues in every day life 	3.1.5. Graphical representation of motion	
 explain the science of kinematics underlying familiar facts, observations, and related phenomena Describe the conditions at which 	3.1.6. Freely falling bodies	
falling bodies attain their terminal velocity	• Terminal velocity	

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 <i>Competencies</i> analyze and predict, in quantitative terms, and explain the motion of a projectile with respect to the horizontal and vertical components of its motion; Derive equations related to projectile motion Apply equations to solve problems related projectile motion Define centripetal force and centripetal acceleration identify circular motion requires the application of a constant force directed toward the center of the circle Distinguish between uniform and non-uniform circular motion 	Contents 3.2. Motion in a Plane (10 periods) 3.2.1. Projectile Motion 3.2.2. Uniform Circular Motion 3.2.3. Motion in a vertical Circle • Tangential and radial acceleration	 Suggested Activities Use ruler at edge of a table, with pencil as a pivot, to cause one coin to drop vertically while other coin is propelled horizontally. Both hit level floor simultaneously showing time of fall is independent of any horizontal motion. Test by changing height of fall and initial horizontal velocity Use knife to punch two holes on opposite sides of Styrofoam cup near bottom. Fill with water and drop from height of several meters. During free fall, in accelerated frame of cup, water exerts no weight on cup; hence no pressure and stream ceases. Let students act out motions represented on graphs .practice until they can do this without any pauses that are not shown on the graph. When they are able to execute the motions let them explain how they knew to move as they did Stress the fact that the object is speeding up if the velocity and acceleration have the same sign, whether positive or negative. If the velocity and acceleration have different signs, then the object is slowing down. Negative acceleration does not necessarily mean slowing down. Positive acceleration does not necessarily mean speeding up. Students often confuse a graph of motion with the trajectory of an object (e.g., a thrown ball) when viewing distance vs. time graphs. They are not the same thing. The path of an object moving through space can look completely different from a plot of the object's motion over time. For example, the trajectory of a coin tossed straight up in the air looks very different from a graph of its motion. A graph that plots variables such as money vs. time is not so confusing because there is no motion involved—there is only a variable changing over time. To break the habit of associating the path of the motion, it is helpful to ask students to compare distance vs. time graphs with similar graphs that represent entirely different situations.
 Analyze the motion of a satellite Identify satellites are projectiles that fall 	3.2.4. Motion of a Satellite	

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 around the earth analyze and predict, in quantitative terms, and explain uniform circular motion in the horizontal and vertical planes with reference to the forces 		
 Involved describe Newton's law of universal gravitation, apply it quantitatively, and use it to explain planetary and satellite motion 		
• Determine the relative velocities of bodies moving at an angle relative to each other	3.2.5. Relative Velocity	
• Use the relative velocity equation to convert from one measurement to the other in reference frames in relative motion	 Relative velocity in one dimension Relative velocity in two dimension 	

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms reference frame, average velocity, instantaneous velocity. average acceleration ,instantaneous acceleration, projectiles, relative velocity, uniform circular motion, radial force; derive kinematics equations and apply them to solve numerical problems, describe the motion of freely falling bodies, motion of satellites and motion of a body in horizontal and vertical circles, describe Newton's law of universal gravitation and use it to explain planetary and satellite motion, interpret graphs, draw graphs from the kinematical equations, derive equations for maximum height, range and total time of flight of a projectile, determine the relative velocities of bodies moving at an angle relative to each other, explain the difference between average speed(or velocity)and instantaneous speed(or velocity), solve numerical problems involving average velocity, instantaneous velocity and acceleration, explain uniform circular motion in the horizontal and vertical planes with reference to the forces involved, explain uniform circular motion in the horizontal and vertical planes with reference to the forces involved, identify circular motion requires the application of a constant force directed toward the center of the circle,- solve problems involving objects moving in two dimensions, describe the behavior of motion of a freely falling body.

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 4: Dynamics (20 periods)

- Realize that momentum is an inherent property of moving objects
- demonstrate an understanding of the relationship between net force and the acceleration of an object in linear motion
- Analyze the effect of a net force in quantitative terms, using graphs, free-body diagrams, and vector diagrams
- describe the contributions of Galileo and Newton to the understanding of dynamics
- Describe technological advances related to motion; and identify the effects of societal influences on transportation and safety issues.
- analyze ways in which an understanding of the dynamics of motion relates to the development and use of technological devices.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 Students will be able to: Define the term dynamics Identify the four basic forces in nature define and describe the concepts and units related to force, coefficients of friction, torque, and work; Use the laws of dynamics in solving problems Interpret Newton's laws and apply these to moving objects explain the conditions associated with the movement of objects at constant velocity State Newton's universal law of gravitation describe how Newton's laws of motion and his law of universal gravitation explain the phenomenon of gravity and necessary conditions 	 4. Dynamics 4.1. The force concept (1 period) 4.2. Basic laws of Dynamics (3 periods) Newton's laws of motion Frictional forces Newton's universal law of gravitation 	 The simplicity of Newton's laws makes them difficult for students to appreciate. Students must understand that Newton's laws govern all motion. Emphasize that the result of a net force is the acceleration of a body, and if no net force exists, the body will remain in equilibrium. Equilibrium includes moving with constant velocity. Momentum and energy conservation are concepts that are equivalent to Newton's laws, but are more powerful and at the same time, more abstract. Forces can be felt and acceleration can be measured; momentum and energy must be calculated. Citing collisions as sources of information in atomic and nuclear physics may be used to motivate students to take the content with increased interest. Most of the information known about the atomic nucleus is interpretation of collisions between subatomic particles since the famous Rutherford's alpha-scattering experiment. Experiments Determine static and kinetic friction by method of sliding block along an inclined surface Demonstration of the Newton's laws using air track or tickertape timer or powder track timer, etc. If air track is unavailable a steel ball rolling across a smooth table has low enough friction to be useful as well. If available an air track or dynamics cart can be used to demonstrate collisions. Else billiard balls serve very well to qualitatively observe collision between balls of equal or different masses.

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 of "weightlessness" define, and when appropriate give examples of, such concepts gravity, Newton's law of universal gravitation analyze, in qualitative and quantitative terms, the various forces acting on an object in a variety of situations, and describe the resulting motion of the object solve dynamics problems involving friction Describe the terms momentum and impulse State the law of conservation of linear momentum Discover the relationship between impulse and momentum, according to Newton's 2nd law 	4.3 Law of conservation of Linear Momentum and its applications (5 periods	 Activity: determination of coefficient of friction between a given pair of surfaces Let student standing on floor throws a ball filled with sand to demonstrator on cart. Ball provides momentum exchange .construct carts using plywood about 60x 100cm with hard ball bearing wheels. Persons on two carts play toss with sand jug, each receiving a reaction as result of throwing jug (action).Can also push on one another with flat outstretched palms to illustrate 3rd law. Show 2nd law by placing two persons on one cart and one another cart. Shows different accelerations for same force. Discuss other 3rd law examples including rockets, being careful to ask on what and where reaction force acts . Kneel on table with forearms flat on table and elbows touching knees. Place short object such cigarette lighter at tips of outstretched fingers. Now place hands behind back and try to tip over object with nose without losing balance. Most women can, most men cannot because mass distribution for most men places in shoulder area, which shifts center of mass forward of knees. Project Work(s) Group discussion on Applications and presentation (seat belts, rocket travel, Sports, all ball games, Importance of friction in everyday experience, e.g.
• Apply quantitatively the law of conservation of linear momentum		
 Distinguish between elastic and inelastic collision 	4.4 Elastic and inelastic collisions in one and two dimensions (3 periods)	
 Describe head-on collision Describe glancing 	Collision in one	

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
collision	dimension (head-on)	
• Describe center of mass	• Collision in two	
of a body	dimension (glancing)	
• Determine the position of	4.5 Center of mass	
• Determine the position of	(2 periods)	
	4.6 Momentum	
• Describe explosion and	conservation in variable	
rocket propulsion in	mass system (rocket	
relation to momentum	propulsion,	
conservation	explosion)	
• Describe kepler's laws	(3 periods)	
• Describe the motion of	• Explosion and rocket	
stationary satellite	propulsion	
• Use Kepler's law to	47 Dynamics of uniform	
solve problems	4.7 Dynamics of uniform	
•	(Banked curves)	
	(Durined curves)	
	(5 periods)	
	• Kepler's laws of	
	planetary motion	
	• Orbital velocity and	
	escape velocity	
	Geosynchronous or	
	stationary satellite	

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms; dynamics, linear momentum, elastic and inelastic collision and center of mass; state the laws of dynamics, the law of conservation of momentum; solve problems involving the basic laws of dynamics, momentum conservation and dynamics of circular motion. use Newton's laws, state Newton's 2nd law interims of momentum, apply Newton's laws of motion to explain and predict the behavior of bodies acted by external forces, use the principle of momentum conservation, explain qualitatively how frictional forces depend on the nature of surfaces and normal contact force, use free body diagram representing forces on a point mass to solve problems, solve numerical problems involving Newton's laws of motion, determine the forces needed to keep an object moving in a horizontal and vertical circles, define the centre of mass of a body and that of a system of particles.

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 5: Work, energy and power (13 periods)

- demonstrate an understanding, in qualitative and quantitative terms, of the concepts of work, energy, energy transformations and power
- design and carry out experiments and solve problems involving energy transformations and the law of conservation of energy.
- analyze the costs and benefits of various energy sources and energy-transformation technologies that are used around the world, and explain how the application of scientific principles related to mechanical energy has led to the enhancement of sports and recreational activities.
- Demonstrate an understanding of forms of energy, energy sources, energy transformations, energy losses, and efficiency, and the operation of common energy-transforming devices.
- construct or investigate devices that involve energy sources, energy transformations, and energy losses, and assess their efficiency.
- analyze and describe the operation of various technologies based on energy transfers and transformations, and evaluate the potential of energy-transformation technologies that use sources of renewable energy.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 Students will be able to: describe and explain the exchange among potential energy, kinetic energy, and internal energy for simple mechanical systems, such as a pendulum, a roller coaster, a spring, a freely falling object Predict velocities, heights, and spring compressions based on energy conservation Determine the energy stored in a spring Differentiate between energy, work, and force identify the relationship between work and change in kinetic energy 	 5. Work energy and power 5.1. Work as a scalar product (1 period) 5.2. Work Done by a Constant and Variable Force (2 periods) 5.3. Kinetic Energy, Work Energy theorem. (3 periods) 5.4. Notion of Potential Energy (2 periods) 5.5. Conservation of Energy (2 periods) 5.6. Conservative and Dissipative forces (2 periods) 5.7 power (1 period) 	Before delving into some specific forms of energy, the teacher should address the general topic of energy. Although it is a very important concept in physics, and an important topic in general, energy is notoriously hard to define. You may associate energy with motion, but not all forms of energy involve motion. A very important class of energy, potential energy, is based on the position or configuration of objects, not their motion. Students should understand that they can measure most forces, such as the force of a spring. They can see speed and decide which of two objects is moving faster. They can use a stopwatch to measure time. Quantifying energy is more elusive, because energy depends on multiple factors, such as an object's mass and the square of its speed, or the mass and positions of a system of objects. Despite these caveats, there are important principles that concern all forms of energy. First, there is a relationship between work and energy Second, energy can transfer between objects Third energy can change forms. The first two sections of this unit are meant to pave the way for the consideration of more unifying concept vis. energy. Students may encounter difficulties with the concept of work. Although they repeat statements of the definition they may not grasp the implications of defining work in a precise manner. Discuss the difference between carrying a box down a corridor and pushing the same box along the floor. Examples of this nature can be explained in terms of the definition of work (W =F \bullet S) as well as in terms of energy changes. Sufficient time should be devoted to discuss energy and its conservation. Only mechanical energy is to be dealt in this unit. Other forms (thermal, electrical, etc.) need not be be considered at this point.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities		
 Apply the law of mechanical energy conservation in daily life situations Analyze situations involving the concepts of mechanical energy and its transformation into other forms of energy according to the law of conservation of energy. solve problems involving conservation of energy in simple systems with various sources of potential energy, such as 		 A spring-powered toy can demonstrate that work (W =F •S) is done on a spring, stored in the form of potential energy and converted to kinetic energy. Hang a pendulum from a support bar. Mount a meter stick horizontally behind the pendulum. Demonstrate that a pendulum starting its swing from a given height on one side of its rest position will swing the same height on the other-side. Measure this with the meter stick. Discuss transformation of energy from kinetic to potential and back. explain the effects of energy transfers and energy transformations Estimation of average power developed (by person running upstairs; person repeatedly lifting weights to a height, etc.) Appropriate calculations. Mouse trap car race: Mouse trap has stored potential energy when set. Have students build car in which trap is sole motive power. Compete to see which design moves car through greater displacement, which runs longest or highest average speed .Teaches principles of lever, friction, angular motion, and torque and much more. 		
 springs analyze and explain common situations involving work and energy, using the work- energy theorem 		 Experiments 1. Determination of deformation of a spring due to a weight falling on it and compare the theoretical prediction experimentally Project Work(s) 1. investigate and write on the major energy source for house hold use in students' locality 		

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms work , energy, power ,kinetic energy, potential energy, conservative and dissipative forces; identify work as a scalar product of force and displacement, calculate the work done by constant variable force, derive work-energy theorem, state the law of conservation of energy, apply work-energy theorem and the law of conservation of energy to solve practical problems, Use the principle of conservation of energy in the solution of problems, Distinguish between elastic and inelastic collisions and solve problems involving such collisions, identify the relationship between work and change in kinetic energy, distinguish between conservative and non conservative forces, explain the energy transformation occurring during oscillations, Solve problems involving elastic and inelastic collisions in one and two dimension by using the principles of conservation of momentum and energy.

Students above minimum requirement level

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 6: Rotational motion (17 periods)

- demonstrate an understanding of the concepts of work, energy, momentum, and the laws of conservation of energy and of momentum for objects moving in two dimensions, and explain them in qualitative and quantitative terms
- investigate the laws of conservation of momentum and of energy (including elastic and inelastic collisions) through experiments and analyze and solve problems involving these laws with the aid of vectors, graphs, and free-body diagrams
- analyze and describe the application of the concepts of energy and momentum to the design and development of a wide range of collision and impactabsorbing devices used in everyday life.

Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
 Students will be able to: Describe motion of a rigid body about a pivot point Specify the angular speed, angular velocity of a rotating body determine the velocity and acceleration of a point in the rotating body Derive equations of motion with constant angular acceleration Use equations of motion with constant angular acceleration Use equations of motion with constant angular acceleration Express torque as a cross product of r and F Apply the cross product definition of torque to solve problems Solve problems that relates net torque and angular acceleration Apply the concepts of rotation dynamics and kinetic energy to solve 	 6. Rotational motion 6.1. Rotation about a fixed axis (1 period) 6.2. Torque and Angular Acceleration (2 periods) 	 This unit can be developed in analogy with that of linear motion. Emphasis on the analogy between the rotational quantities and linear quantities can be used. Experiments Centripetal force and velocity relation may be qualitatively observed by weight suspended from a rotating object through a tube. Spin raw egg rapidly on its side. Stop it and then quickly release it. It begins to rotate again because its yolk never stopped rotating. Hard boiled will not do this. Demonstrations disks of identical shape but with different mass distribution from the center can be used to illustrate the moment of inertia concept by rolling them down an inclined plane. Measurement of the moment of inertia of a flywheel falling weight coupled to flywheel). Demonstration using swivel chair or rotating platform (masses held close to and away from the body). a transparency showing multiple exposure of a falling object like a cat falling, a diver etc. is a good starting point to discuss moment of inertia Project Work(s) Students may be asked to search literature, internet or from any other source to find out why why it is easier to balance on a bicycle when moving than when still? Why a rolling coin not topples until it has nearly stopped rolling? Assist students to apply the equations in physics problems, the first step is to identify the known values and which values are being asked for. Sketching a diagram of the situation may help them with this. The next step is to find an equation that includes both the known and the unknown (asked-for) values. When applying the rotational equations, they should remember that positive displacement and velocity represent counterclockwise motion, and negative displacement and velocity indicate clockwise motion.

Co	ompetencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
proble	ms		
• State th	he parallel –axis	6.3. Rotational Kinetic	
theorem	m	Energy and rotational	
• Identif	v factors affecting	inertia	
the mo	ment of inertia of a	(3 periods)	
body		6.4. Rotational Dynamics	
• Solve	problems	of rigid body	
involv	ing moment of	(3 periods)	
inertia		6.5. Parallel axis theorem	
• Use th	e relationship	(1 period)	
betwee	en torque and	6.6. Angular Momentum	
angula	r momentum,	and angular impulse	
accord	ling to Newton's	(2 periods)	
second	l law, as well as its	6.7. conservation of	
applica	ation in solving	angular momentum	
proble	ms involving rigid	(2 periods)	
bodies			
• Expres	ss angular		
mome	ntum as cross		
produc	ct of r and P		
Derive	e an expression for		
angula	r momentum in		
terms	of I and ω		
• State th	he law of		
conserv	vation of angular		
momer	ntum		
• Apply	the law of		
conser	vation of angular		
momer	ntum in		
unders	tanding various		
natural	phenomena, and		
solving	g problems		
•Determin	ne the location of		Discuss what causes an object to rotate more or less quickly, and how this relates to rotational
center of	t mass of a uniform		work, rotational energy and angular momentum. Let students discover many similarities
rigid boo	ly	6.8 Center of Mass of a	between linear and rotational dynamics, as well as some crucial differences.
		rigid body (circular	Use a wrench that is loosening a nut to explain the concept of forque in more defail. Discuss
		ring, disc, rod and	exerted and the other is the distance r between the axis of rotation and the location where the

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Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
	sphere) (3 periods)	force is applied Demonstration:
		 Rolling a Yo-Yo. let the students construct a yo-yo using discarded metal spool. Best design is one having inner and outer radii which are substantially different, the larger the better. Attach string to inner radius and wrap several turns leaving enough to pass over pulley and attach hanging mass. Two Cans Race; let students in group select two cans of same size and mass ,one filled with liquid and other mainly solid .alternately use two cans of identical liquids (soft drink in metal),one frozen to behave like solid ,and other not. let them roll down incline together and observe the motion
		 Bicycle wheel- mass in extended hands. Let the teacher held a bike wheel ,at rest ,overhead with axle vertical while standing or sitting on platform spin wheel with the other hand .without waiting too long (else table friction will reduce angular momentum),grab wheel to stop it thereby restoring entire system to initial zero angular momentum. The students should note the effect of changing axle orientation from vertical to horizontal, while spinning. A girl rotating on a turntable has arms extended .She suddenly pulls her arms inward and her rotational velocity increases dramatically. Let students discuss and explain in terms of conservation of angular momentum.

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms; axis of rotation, torque, angular acceleration, rotational kinetic energy, rotational inertia, angular momentum, angular impulse; describe center of mass of a rigid body, the relation between torque and angular acceleration; state the law of conservation of angular momentum, the parallel axis theorem; solve problems involving rotational dynamics. Use the equations for uniformly accelerated angular motion; Use the equations relating linear and angular motions; State the similarities and differences between the behavior of rotating bodies and bodies traveling with linear velocity; Identify the factors which determine the moment of inertia of a body; State and apply the law of conservation of angular momentum; determine the velocity and acceleration of a point in the rotating body; demonstrate the direction of angular velocity ,angular acceleration and angular momentum using the right-hand rule.

Students above minimum requirement level

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 7: Equilibrium (10 periods)

- Acquire knowledge and understanding in equilibrium conditions
- Apply physics principles and equations in Solving problems on static equilibrium
- Develop skills in applying the conditions of equilibrium in the solutions of problems.

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the equilibrium o	of a set		you. However, this trick only works for cases when the net torque is zero. In general, the
of non- concurren	nt		torque depends on one's choice of axis.
forces.			
• Distinguish betw	veen		
coplanar and con	ncurrent		
forces	_		
• Find the resultant	t of a		
number of concur	irrent		
forces acting at a	a point		
• Solve problems			
involving the equ	uılıbrium		
of coplanar force	es		
• State the conditio	ons for		
rotational equilib	orium		
• Describe the diffe	erence		
among the terms	stable,		
Evaluin why obje	aata ara		
• Explain why obje	ects are		
stable, ulistable a	1110		
Evaluin methods	of		
• Explain methods	v un		
stability and neut	y, un trality of		
rigid bodies	trainty of		
 Define the term of 	rounles		
Describe the rota	ational	7.4. Couples (2 periods)	
effects of couples	s on the		
rigid body	o on the		
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 involving the equ of coplanar force State the condition rotational equilib Describe the diffa among the terms unstable neutral equilibrium Explain why objes stable, unstable a neutral Explain methods checking stability stability and neut rigid bodies Define the term constrained effects of couples rigid body 	uilibrium es ons for orium cerence stable, ects are and s of y, un trality of couples ational s on the	7.4. Couples (2 periods)	

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Students at minimum requirement level

A student working at the minimum requirement level will be able to: define the terms; equilibrium, moment of a force, and couples; state conditions for equilibrium; solve problems involving equilibrium of rigid bodies. -Distinguish between coplanar and concurrent forces; Find the resultant of a number of concurrent forces acting at a point; Solve problems involving the equilibrium of coplanar forces. State the conditions for there to be no rotation of a body; State the equilibrium conditions for a body acted on by coplanar forces.

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Students below minimum requirement level

Unit 8: Properties of bulk matter (30 periods)

- Gain comprehensive knowledge on basic properties of fluids, thermal properties of matter ,phase changes, ideal- gasses, calorimetry, heat transfer mechanisms
- Realize that the principles of fluid mechanics are widely applicable to modern technology
- demonstrate an understanding of the scientific principles related to fluid static and dynamics, and to hydraulic and pneumatic systems
- work with different temperature scales and solve calorimetry problems
- use specific heats and heats of transformations in the practical application of calorimetry
- analyze and describe the social and economic consequences of the development of technological applications related to the motion of fluids
- Appreciate application of fluid mechanics to the advancement of science and technology.

	Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
	and $F/A=S\Delta x/L$)		water. Cap the squeeze bottle that is completely filled with water. Cap the squeeze bottle
٠	define and describe the		securely, squeeze it, and the test tube should sink. You may have to experiment with the
	concepts and units		amount of water in the tube needed to produce the dramatic effect. Explain how this
	related to fluids and to	8.2. Fluid Static (8 periods)	demonstrates that fluids transmit pressure equally, and that liquids are much less compressible
	hydraulic and pneumatic	8.2.1. Pressure due to a	than gasses.
	systems (e.g., density,	fluid column	Appreciate the concept of forces in equilibrium to derive the equation for pressure in a liquid.
	atmospheric pressure,		The liquid is assumed to have a uniform density ρ , no matter what its depth.
	absolute pressure,		Let a teacher turn on a hose and watch the water flow out, and then cover half the hose end
	laminar and turbulent		with his /her thumb. The water flows faster through the narrower opening. You have just
	flow, pressure, volume,		demonstrated the fluid equation of continuity: How much volume flows per unit time - the
	flow rate)		volume rate of flow – stays constant in a closed system. The increased speed of the flow at the
٠	Describe the relationship		opening balances the decreased cross sectional area there. Of course after the water leaves the
	between pressure due to		hose with its new speed, it is no longer in the closed system, and you cannot apply the
	a liquid and its density,		equation of continuity to the resulting spray of droplets. They spread out without slowing
	acceleration due to		down.
	gravity and depth		Discuss how Bernoulli's equation is used to analyze fluid flow at different points in a closed
٠	Derive the expression P		system
	$= \rho g h$		Demonstration:
•	Use $p = \rho gh$ to solve		Bernoulli's principle can be demonstrated by supporting a Ping-Pong ball in a stream of air
	problems related to		blown from a hair dryer. For an alternate method, use an empty sewing thread spool and insert
	pressure due to a liquid at		a pin through an empty sewing thread spool and insert a pin through an index card. Place the
	rest.		pin into one hole of the spool and blow into the other hole. While blowing, turn the spool
•	State Pascal's principle		over. The card will be supported by the reduced pressure between the spool and card.
•	Apply Pascal's principle		Balloons with 2 –cups: let students demonstrate this experiment
	to solve problems ($P_1 =$		
	P ₂	8.2.2. Pascal's law and	Moisten lips of two Styrofoam cups with water and press cups firmly against opposite sides of
	$F_1/A_1 = F_2/A_{2}$	applications	partially inflated balloon. Upon further the inflation, cups stick to balloon. Students should
٠	state Archimedes'		discuss in groups the cause.
	principle and its		Discuss p-1 (phase diagram) and three states separated by curves for boiling, freezing, and
	application		sublimation, meeting at triple point. Boiling curve terminates at critical point for water,
•	Apply and use	9.2.2 Analysis deal	mention uniqueness of freezing curve resulting in lowering of freezing point with increase of
	Archimedes principle to	8.2.3. Archimedes	applied pressure.
	describe physical	principle and	Suspend two light hulbs from table red. Plays sherply between hulbs so as to beer them clerk.
	phenomena's	applications	suspend two light builds from table four blow sharply between builds so as to hear them claik
•	State principle of		on ceiling
	floatation.		on coming.
•	Describe the necessary		
	conditions for objects to		

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	Competencies	Contents	Suggestea Activities
	float or sink		
•	Use the concepts		
	, Pascal S and Archimedes		
	numerical problems		
	Explain how to measure		
	pressure due to gases		
	contained in a container		
•	Demonstrate how a		
	manometer works		
•	Define the terms		
	Adhesion and cohesion		
•	Describe the	8.2.4. Surface energy and	
	phenomenon capillarity	surface tension	
•	Define surface tension	8.2.5. Pressure difference	
	and surface energy	across a surface	
•	Define the angle of	film	
	contact and account for	8.2.6. Angle of contact	
	the shapes of liquid	8 2 7 Applications of	
	surfaces	o.2.7. Applications of surface tension	
•	Determine the	surface tension ideas	
	relationship for the		
	capillary rise and use it in		
	problems		
•	Use the definition and		
	rormulae to solve		
	Describe how boiling		
•	water and adding		
	detergents affects surface		
	tension		
	Determine pressure		
	difference across soap.		
	film		
•	Calculate the height		
	through which a liquid		
	rises up a capillary tube		
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Competencies	Contents	Suggesieu Acuvilles
• Define the term		
streamline flow as a fluid		
flow in which the fluid's		
velocity remains constant	8 3 Fluid Dynamics	
at any particular point.	(8 periods)	
• identify the factors	(operious)	
affecting the streamlining		
of cars, boats, planes		
• Distinguish between		
flow	8.3.1. Streamline and	
identify factors offecting	turbulent flow	
- Identify factors affecting		
describe examples of		
laminar flow		
 Describe the rate of flow 		
of fluid, R.	8.3.2. Equation of	
• State Bernoulli's	Continuity	
principle		
• explain the applications		
of Bernoulli's principle	833 Bernoulli's	
in the fields of	Equation	
technology	Equation	
• Use Bernoulli's equation		
to solve problems		
• Derive equation of		
continuity $(v_1\rho_1A_1 =$		
$v_2\rho_2A_2$		
$\mathbf{v}_1 \mathbf{A}_1 = \mathbf{v}_2 \mathbf{A}_2 = \mathbf{R}$		
• Apply equation of		
problems		
Derive Remoulti's		
= Derive Derivount s equation $P_1 \pm \frac{1}{2} \text{ov}^2 = P_2$		
$+ \frac{1}{2}0v_2^2$ and P + $\frac{1}{2}0v^2$ -		
k for horizontal flow		
• Describe the working		
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mechanism of a venture		
meter		
• Define the term viscosity		
• Define coefficient of		
viscosity of a fluid	0.2.4. 17	
• Define drag force	8.3.4. Viscosity	
• Explain the effect of drag		
force on the fluids		
motion		
• Define the term laminar		
flow as the flow of layers		
in a viscous fluid		
• State Stoke's law and use		
it in problems		
• State Poiseulle's law		
• Use Poiseulle's law		
R=I Ir ⁴ $\Delta P/8 \eta L$ to solve		
related problems		
• State the factors affecting		
the rate of fluid flow	8.3.5. Stokes' law	
through a pipe		
• State the condition at		
which a body moving in		
a fluid attains its terminal		
velocity		
• Describe what Reynolds		
number 1s		
• Define the terms:		
calorimetery, phase,	8.3.6. Terminal Velocity	
pnase change, phase		
oritical point triple point		
latent heat, heat caresity		
specific heat capacity		
Distinguish between		
- Distinguish Detween		
beat capacity	8.3.7. Reynolds's number	
near capacity		

	Competencies	Contents	Suggested Activities
•	Distinguish between the concepts: heat, temperature, internal energy, work	8.4. Heat, Temperature and Thermal Expansion (8 periods)	
•	Identify the units for heat, heat capacity, specific heat capacity, latent heat	8.4.1. Specific heat capacity	
•	Define phase change as Transformation between solid and liquid, liquid and gas, or solid and gas		
•	Identify phase change consumes energy or releases energy while temperature stays		
•	constant Define Latent heat as: Energy required per kilogram to cause a phase change in a given	8.4.2. Change of state	
•	material Describe experiments by which latent heat can be measured		
•	Distinguish between critical point and triple point		
•	Use $Q = L_f m$ and $Q = L_v m$ to solve related problems		
	the heat of fusion or vaporization of a material using calorimeter		
•	Explain the factors which determine the rate of		

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flow of heat through a material	8.4.3. Calorimetry	
Describe the thermal expansion of solids in terms of molecular theory of matter		
 State the factors affecting the rate of heat flow in conduction 	8.4.4. Heat transfer 8.4.5. Stefan –Boltzmann law	
• Use the equation H=KA Δ T/L to solve related problems	8.4.6. Thermal Conductivity	
 State the factors affecting the rate of heat flow in convection Apply the concept to 		
explain the weather variation like sea breeze and land breeze	Conduction	
 State Stefan-Boltzman's law Define radiation as mechanism of heat transfer by means of 	• convection	
 electromagnetic waves State the factors affecting the rate of heat flow in radiation Use the relation P == 		
• Ose the relation Γ_{rad}^{-} $\sigma \epsilon A T^{4}$ $P_{abs} = \sigma \epsilon A T_{env}^{-4}$ to solve related problems • Perform calculations involving expansivity	Radiation	
• Solve problems involving thermal conductivity		

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• Describe the green house effect	• Global warming and green house effect			

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