

2023 AMENDED ATP AND ASSESSMENT PLANS

SOCIAL SCIENCES GRADE 4-6

Implementation date: January 2023



Presentation Outline



Purpose



Amendments to the Annual Teaching Plan (ATP)



Amendments to School Based Assessment (SBA)



Conclusion

PURPOSE

To **identify** and **rectify** concerns with the current RATP in regard to-

- **Significant gaps** in core and/or fundamental knowledge;
- **Coherence** and **progression** of content (knowledge, skills, values and attitudes) within and across phases;
- Content **overload** or unnecessary **repetition** across subjects and grades;
- **Appropriateness** of the learning/ assessment activities included in the RATP;
- **Alignment** of the suggested informal assessment activities in the RATP with the content and intended learning outcomes;
- **Compliance** of the formal assessment tasks with the specifications for these tasks;
- **Alignment** between formal assessment tasks indicated in the ATPs with the Revised SECTION 4.

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Amendments to the Annual Teaching Plan (ATP) Social Sciences Intermediate Phase



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GEOGRAPHY GRADE 4



CONTENT OVERVIEW

GEOGRAPHY

TERM	TOPIC
1	Places where people live (settlements)
2	Map skills
3	Food and farming in South Africa
4	Water in South Africa



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Places where people live (Settlement)	1	No amendment effected on the topic
Map Skills	2	<p>Moved to Grade 5 Term 1</p> <p>A globe and map of the world</p> <p>The world is round like a ball, a map is flat</p> <p>Continents - their names and where they are on a globe and on a map of the world</p> <p>Oceans – Pacific, Atlantic, Indian</p> <p>South Africa – a country on the continent of Africa (location)</p>

SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Food and farming in South Africa	3	<p>Removed & covered in Gr.6 NS/Tech Term 2</p> <p>Unprocessed and processed food content of unprocessed and processed foods – with examples How and why foods are processed – including cooking, drying, squeezing, cutting and mixing From farm to factory to shop to home: wheat fields to bread to sandwich (flow diagram)</p>
Water in South Africa	4	<p>Removed & covered in Gr. 4 NS/Tech Term 2</p> <p>Pollution and wastewater Personal, daily practices that pollute water Factory and farming waste Wastewater and sewage recycling The water use cycle: how water, taken from the natural cycle, is used and returned to the sea</p>

HISTORY GRADE 4



CONTENT OVERVIEW

HISTORY

TERM	TOPIC
1	Local history
2	Learning from leaders
3	Transport through time
4	Communication through time



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

GRADE 4

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Local History	1	<p>Removed: How to find out about the present in a local area</p> <p>The removed content will be covered under How we find out about the history of a local area because the sources of gathering information are the same.</p>
Learning from leaders	2	<p>Choose One leader (Nelson Mandela OR Mahatma Gandhi)</p> <p>The focus is to teach learners about the qualities that make a leader. This can be achieved by choosing either of the leaders.</p> <p>By allowing teachers to select one leader, it will provide schools enough time to complete the content for the Term.</p>



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

GRADE 4

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Transport through time	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">No amendment effected on the topic
Communication through time	4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">No amendment effected on the topic



GEOGRAPHY GRADE 5



CONTENT OVERVIEW

GEOGRAPHY: GRADE 5

TERM	TOPIC
1	Map skills (Focus: Africa)
2	Physical features of South Africa
3	Weather, climate and vegetation of South Africa
4	Minerals and mining in South Africa



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Map skills (Focus: Africa)	1	Content removed in week 3 since it is covered in Week 8 Physical features as borders between countries : Focus on Rivers and lakes
Physical features of South Africa	2	Removed - Only one case study to be covered Case study of road building
Weather, climate and vegetation of South Africa	3	No amendment effected on the topic
Minerals and mining in South Africa	4	No amendment effected on the topic



HISTORY GRADE 5



CONTENT OVERVIEW

HISTORY

TERM	Grade 5
1	Hunter-gatherers and herders in Southern Africa
2	The first farmers in Southern Africa
3	An ancient African society: Egypt
4	A heritage trail through the provinces of South Africa

SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendments
Hunter-gatherers and herders in Southern Africa	1	Plant medicine Removed – From week 6 and is covered in Grade 6 Term 4 week 2 under indigenous healing
The first farmers in southern Africa	2	No amendment effected on the topic
An ancient African society: Egypt	3	Way of life in ancient Egypt: - Beliefs and religion Removed – covered in week 8 and 9 – Case study deals with beliefs and religions in depth - Pharaohs Removed - Covered in Social Structures in Ancient Egypt
A heritage trail through the provinces of South Africa	4	The names of provinces and their capital cities on a map Removed- covered in Grade 4 Geo Term 2 week 7 and 8

GEOGRAPHY GRADE 6



CONTENT OVERVIEW

GEOGRAPHY

TERM	TOPIC
1	Map skills (Focus: World)
2	Trade (Focus: South Africa and world)
3	Climate and vegetation around the world
4	Population – why people live where they do (Focus: South Africa and world)



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Map Skills	1	<p>Atlases, global statistics and current events</p> <p>Kinds of information provided in an atlas How the content page of an atlas is organized</p> <p>NB: Moved from week 8 to week 2</p> <p>Own province in an atlas</p> <p>NB: Removed & Covered in Grade 4 Term 2</p> <p>Locate major current events on a map</p> <p>NB: Removed & Covered in week 4</p>

SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendment
Trade: (Focus: South Africa and the World)	2	No amendment effected on the topic
Climate and Vegetation around the World	3	No amendment effected on the topic
Population – why people live where they do (Focus: South Africa and the World)	4	<p>Reorganisation of content to improve the flow by aligning the content correctly</p> <p>Content in week 4,5 and 6 moved to week 2, 3, and 4</p> <p>Content in week 2 and 3 moved to week 5 and 6</p>

HISTORY GRADE 6



CONTENT OVERVIEW

HISTORY: 6

TERM	Grade 6
1	An African kingdom long ago in Southern Africa: Mapungubwe
2	Explorers from Europe find Southern Africa
3	Democracy and citizenship in South Africa
4	Medicine through time



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendments
An African kingdom long ago in Southern Africa: Mapungubwe	1	Removed: European explorers in Asia at same time as Mapungubwe was at its height
Explorers from Europe find Southern Africa	2	Schools given a choice to do one Case Study instead of two Inventions by: Da Vinci <u>OR</u> Galileo
	2	Removed: Inventions - Caravel



SUMMARY: CONTENT/TOPICS AMENDED

Content/Topics	Terms	Amendments
Democracy and citizenship in South Africa	3	Constitutional Court moved from week 7 to 6
	3	<p>Schools given a choice to do one Case Study instead of two.</p> <p>Case Study on Fatima Meer <u>OR</u> Pius Langa</p>
Medicine through time	4	<p>Removed</p> <p>Case Study: A breakthrough in surgery: The first heart transplant</p>



AMENDMENTS TO SCHOOL BASED ASSESSMENT (SBA)



Amendment of Weightings

Phase	CAPS prescription	Covid Period 2020 - 2022	2023/24 Proposals 2023/24
Foundation (Grade R – 3)	100% SBA	100% SBA	100% SBA
Intermediate (Grade 4 – 6)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)	80% (SBA): 20%(Exams)
Senior Phase (Grade 7 – 9)	40% (SBA): 60 (Exam)	80% (SBA): 20% (Exams)	70 (SBA): 30 (Exams)
Grade 10 &11	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	60% (SBA): 40% (Exams)	40% (SBA): 60 %(Exams)
Grade 12	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75% (Exams)	25% (SBA):75 % (Exams)

GEOGRAPHY GRADE 4: PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3		TERM 4
	Test 25 Marks Source-based and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: Term 1 content - 10 Marks Term 2 content - 15 Marks Source-based and paragraph writing 25 Marks	Test 25 Marks Source-based and paragraph writing		Controlled Test Term 3 content - 10 Marks Term 4 content - 15 Marks Source-based and paragraph writing 25 Marks
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				EXAMS 20%



HISTORY GRADE 4: PROGRAMME OF SSESSMENT

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3		TERM 4
	Project on Local History: 25 marks	Controlled Test: Term 1 - 10 Marks Term 2 - 15 Marks Source-based and paragraph writing 25 marks	Test 25 Marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing		Controlled Test Term 3 - 10 Marks Term 4 - 15 Marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing 25 marks
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				Exams 20%

GEOGRAPHY GRADE 5: PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3		TERM 4
	<p>Test: 30 marks</p> <p>Source-based questions and paragraph writing</p>	<p>Controlled Test:</p> <p>Term 1 content: 10 marks</p> <p>Term 2 content: 20 Marks</p> <p>Source-based questions and paragraph writing</p> <p>Total marks: 30</p>	<p>Project: 30 marks</p>		<p>Controlled Test</p> <p>Term 3 content: 10 marks</p> <p>Term 4 content: 20 marks</p> <p>Source-based questions and paragraph writing</p> <p>Total marks: 30</p>
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				Exams 20%

HISTORY GRADE 5: PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
	Test: 30 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: Term 1 content: 10 marks Term 2 content: 20 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing 30 marks	Test: 30 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing	Controlled Test: Term 3 content: 10 marks Term 4 content: 20 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing 30 marks	
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%	50%	
	SBA 80%				Exam 20%

GEOGRAPHY GRADE 6: PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

	TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3		TERM 4
	Test: Map Skills 40 marks	Controlled Test: Term 1 content: 15 marks Term 2 content: 25 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing 40 Marks	Test 40 Marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing		Controlled Test Term 3 content: 15 marks Term 4 content: 25 marks Source-based questions and paragraph writing 40 Marks
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				Exams 20%



HISTORY GRADE 6 : PROGRAMME OF ASSESSMENT

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
	Test Source based questions and paragraph writing 40 Marks	Controlled Test Term 1 content: 15 Marks Term 2 content: 25 Marks Source based questions and paragraph writing 40 Marks	Project 40 Marks	Controlled Test Term 3 content: 15 Marks Term 4 content: 25 Marks Source based questions and paragraph writing 40 Marks	
Final SBA weight	15%	20%	15%	Promotion weight 50%	Exam weight 10%
Term weight	50%	50%	50%		
	SBA 80%				Exams 20%



**Thank
You**



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