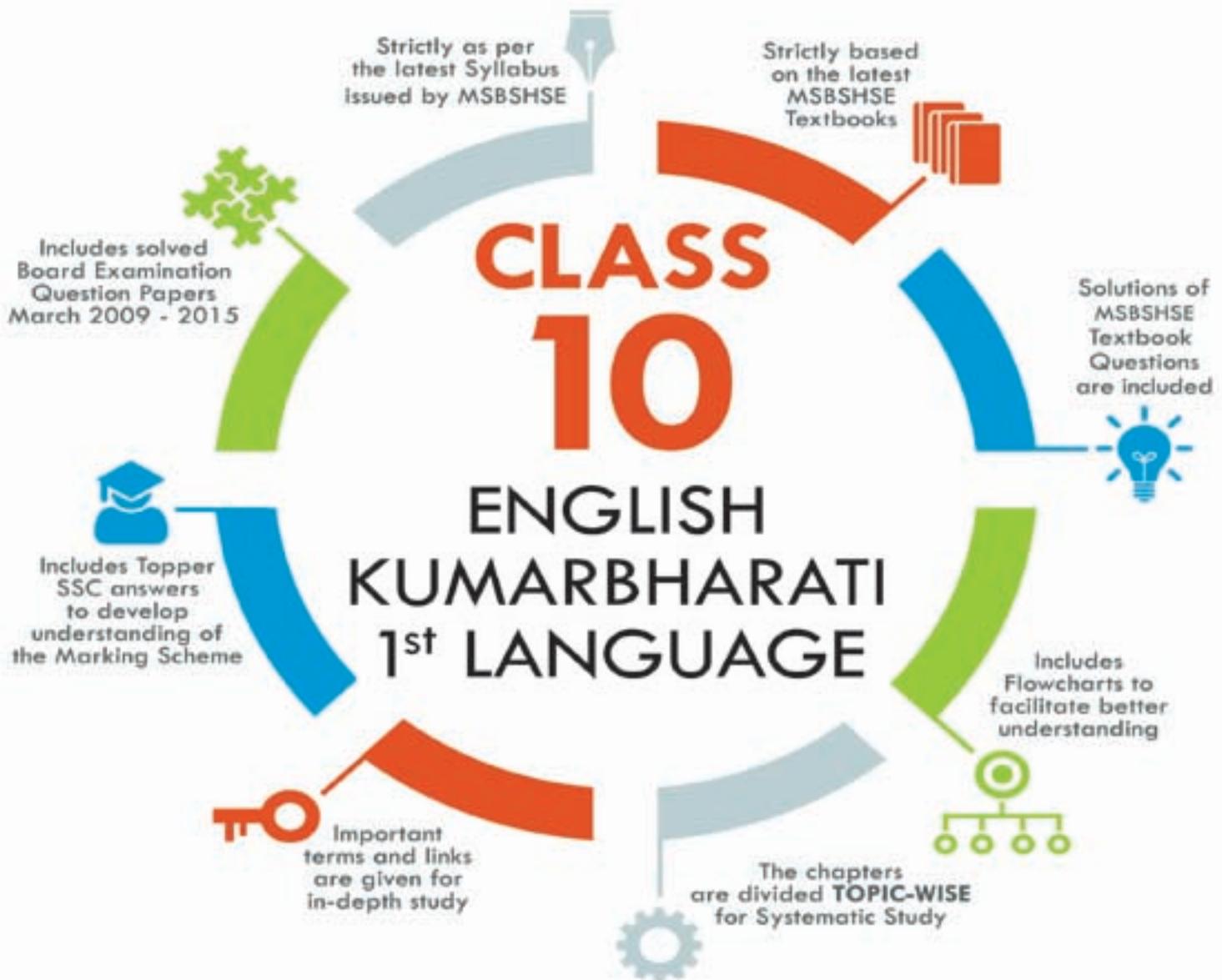


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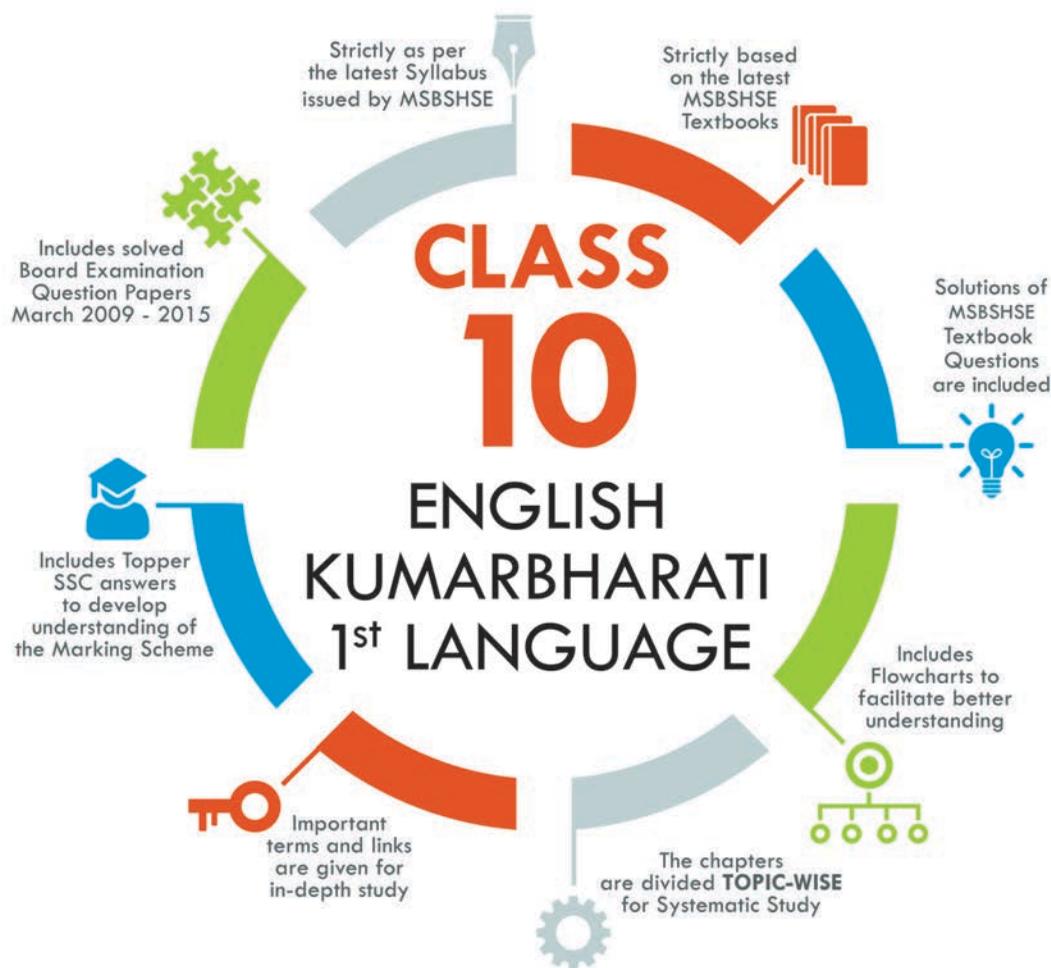
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# CURRICULUM

## ENGLISH KUMARBHARATI

### Class-X (2015-16)

(a)	<b>A Coursebook in English (Kumarbharati)</b>
(1)	<b>Detailed Study</b>
	(a) <b>Prose</b> : About 64 pages of literary and non-literary (informative) text (excluding notes, illustrations, tasks, etc.) (b) <b>Poetry</b> : About 250 lines. Non-detailed study : A selection of literary texts (short stories, one act play)
(b)	<b>Grammar :</b>

S. No.	Items	Specification
1.	Revision of grammatical items studied up to Std VIII.	_____
2.	different kinds of sentences	Simple, Compound, Complex
3.	different kinds of	Principal, Co-ordinate, Sub-ordinate
4.	The Tenses	(a) <b>Continuous</b> (i) Present Perfect (ii) Present Perfect (iii) Past Perfect (iv) Future with will/shall and 'going to' (b) <b>Continuous</b> Sequence of Tenses.
5.	Articles	a, an, the (advanced level)
6.	prepositions	different uses
7.	Word Formation	Nouns/Adjectives/Verbs/Adverbs
8.	Voice	Statements, questions, negatives, indirect object
9.	Question formation	Tag questions
10.	Reported Speech exclamation	Statements, questions, commands, requests,
11.	Punctuation	Usage
12.	Non-finites	Infinitives, Gerunds, Participles
13.	Modal Auxiliaries	Uses of 'can', 'may', 'might', etc
14.	Conditionals	Unreal conditions in the present/past Possible conditions in the future

#### WEIGHTAGE TO BE GIVEN AT STD. X

The following weightage is to be given to the various aspects of the syllabus.

1. Reading Skill (Textual and non-textual)	40%
2. Grammar	15%
3. Writing skill	25%
4. Oral test	20%

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**SECTION - I : READING SKILL, VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR**

**Q.1 : (A) Read the following passage and complete the activities given below :**

**(10)**

**A1. Name the following :**

**(2)**

**with reference to the passage.**

- (i) Two people who influenced Mashelkar .....
- (ii) The trust which granted scholarship to Mashelkar .....
- (iii) The Director of the Board of Tata Motors .....
- (iv) Principal Bhave demonstrated .....

**Ans.**

A1.	
i)	Two people who influenced Mashelkar was his mother and Principal Bhave who taught them Physics.
ii)	The trust which granted scholarship to Mashelkar was Sir Dorab Tata Trust.
iii)	The Director of the Board of Tata Motors was Mashelkar who used to go there to collect that 60 rupees scholarship per month.
iv)	Principal Bhave demonstrated how to find the focal length of a convex lens.

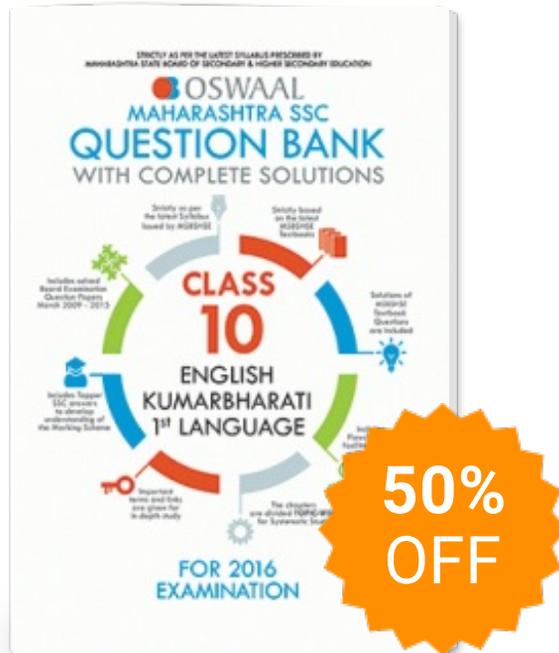
In fact, I remember, my passing the SSC Examination-i.e. 11th standard. Those days it used to be not 10th standard or 12th standard but 11th standard. I stood 11<sup>th</sup> among 1,35,000 but I was about to leave higher education and find a job. What helped me was the scholarship by Sir Dorab Tata Trust It was just 60 rupees per month and would you believe that 60 rupees per month from Tatas added so much value to my life that I have been able to stand here today before you to speak to you.

I am on the Board of Tatas now and it is very interesting that the same Bombay House where I used to go to collect that 60 rupees per month now one goes and sits there as a Director on the Board of Tata Motors. The turn that these 40 years has taken is very interesting. It has all been possible because of the chance I got to do higher studies at the insistence of my mother. She gave me values of my life. She was one of the noblest parents I have met in my life.

So, my greatest guru was my mother. My second great gure was Principal Bhave, about whom I made a mention earlier. He taught us Physics. Because it was a poort school, I remember, it had to innovate to convey to the young students the message of Science.

I still remember one of the interesting experiences when, on a Friday afternoon, Principal Bhave took us out into the sun to demonstrate to us as to how to find the focal length of a convex lens. He had a piece of paper here, a convex lens here and he moved it up and down and there was a point when there was a sharp focus and a bright spot on the paper. He showed the distance between paper and the lens and said that this distance was the focal length. But then the paper started burning. For some reason, he then turned to me, and said, "Mashelkar, if you focus your energies like this, you can burn anything in the world."

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