

Revised Syllabus for Dakhil Examination 2026

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[The following 8 units have been taken from the EFT Text Book]

Unit and Title/Writing content	Learning outcomes	Content	Probable no. of periods	Order of the periods	Remarks
Unit-1: Sense of Self	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> describe our position as humans. recognize our responsibilities towards society and culture. define our relationship with humans and natural world at large. 	Lesson-1 : “Mr. Moti” by Rahad Abir Lesson-3: O Me! O Life!	05	1 st -5 th	
Unit-2: Climate Change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> take part in debates on given topics. take part in role playing and conversation write slogans for posters 	Lesson-1: The Greed of the Mighty Rivers Lesson-2: Environmental Pollution Lesson-3: Mand and Climate Lesson-4: Wheel of Cyclone Lesson-5: A Friend of the Earth	10	6 th -15 th	
Unit-3: Pastimes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> narrate incidents and events in a logical sequence participate in conversation, discussions and debates narrate maps, charts graphs etc. 	Lesson-1: Have You any Favourite Pastime? Lesson-2: Reading Really Helps! Lesson-3: Change in Pastime Lesson-4: Change in Pastimes in Bangladesh Lesson-5: Pastimes Vary	09	16 th -24 th	

Unit-6: Our Neighbours	Students will be able to- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read comprehend and summarise texts. • ask and answer questions. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • write letters to friends describing places of interest. 	Lesson-1: Nepal, the Land of the Everest Lesson-2: Sri Lanka: The Pearl of the Indian Ocean. Lesson-3: The Maldives Lesson-4: India: Unity in Diversity Lesson-5: Bhutan: The Land of Happiness	06	25 th -30 th	
Unit-10 Dreams	Students will be able to- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • understand and narrate problems. • take and give interviews. • complete a grid • listen for specific information. 	Lesson -1: I Have a Dream. Lesson-2: What I Dream to Be. Lesson-3: They Had Dreams (Part-1) Lesson-4: They Had Dreams (Part-2)	06	31 st – 36 th	
Unit-11: Reading from English Literature	Students will be able to- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • recognize and use English sounds, stress and intonation. • understand and enjoy stories and other texts. interpret, evaluate, and summarise literary texts. 	Lesson-1: Books. Lesson-2: Two Mothers Remembered. Lesson-3: The Sands of Dee Lesson-4: Time, You Old Gypsy Man. Lesson- 5: Stopping by Woods on a Snowing Evening. Lesson-6:	10	37 th – 46 th	

		The Purple Jar (Part-1) Lesson-7: The Purple Jar (Part-2) Lesson-8: The Purple Jar (Part-3) Lesson-9: A Pound of Flesh Lesson-10: The Three Caskets. Lesson-11: The Trial.			
Unit-13: Loneliness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • read a text and understand overall meaning. • infer meanings from the context. • answer and give opinions on a given topics. 	Lesson-1: What is Loneliness? Lesson-2: Solitude Lesson-3: The Story of an Hour.	08	47 th -54 th	
Unit-16: Graffiti	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • describe the function of graffiti • recognize g as a form of art. • redefine the responsibilities as citizens. 	NA	02	55 th -56 th	
Unseen Passage					
Information transfer			01	57 th	
Summarizing			01	58 th	
Matching			01	59 th	
Re-arrange			01	60 th	
Writing Part					
Completing story			3	61 st -63 rd	
Describing graphs and charts			2	64 th -65 th	

Writing dialogue			2	66 th -67 th	
Writing letters/e-mail (Formal)			3	68 th -70 th	
Total number of periods:			70		

Distributions of marks for English 1st Paper

Q. No	Item		Marks	
Part A - Reading: 70				
1.	MCQ	Seen Comprehension	1x7	7
2.	Answering questions		2x5	10
3.	Gap filling		1x5	5
4.	Information Transfer	Unseen passage	1x5	5
5.	Writing summary			10
6.	Matching		1x5	5
7.	Re-arranging sentences		1x8	8
8.	Answer questions from poems (any 5 out of 8)		2x5	10
9.	Answer questions from stories (any 5 out of 8)		2x5	10
Part B - Writing: 30				
10.	Completing story			15
11.	Writing dialogue			15
Total			100	