## English Language Learning Objectives for STELLAR (Primary 4)

Terms		Learning Objectives
	Unit 1	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Uncountable Nouns</li> <li>Adjectives: [before] and [after] a noun</li> <li>Verbs: Verbs of action, linking, sensing, thinking and speaking</li> <li>Phrasal Verb: Clean up, look up, tear up</li> <li>Tenses: Simple Past; Past Continuous</li> <li>Conditional: If</li> <li>Modals: must, have to, should (for obligation); could, would (tentativeness) ; must ( to convey necessity)</li> <li>Preposition: in, on (position); into, against (direction); out of, up towards</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary</li> </ul>
Term 1	Unit 2	<ul> <li>Metaphor: a mountain of slime</li> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Adjectives: Adverbs + Adjectives</li> <li>Verbs: sensing verbs; mental verbs</li> <li>Phrasal verbs</li> <li>Adverbs: time; place</li> <li>Tenses: Simple Past, past continuous, present, future</li> <li>Connectors: but, so, because, since, so that, in order to, so as to</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Idioms</li> <li>Suffix</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation</li> <li>Expanding sentences with adverbs/ adverbial phrases</li> <li>Combining sentences by deleting repetitive words</li> </ul>
	Unit 3	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Nouns: verbs as nouns</li> <li>Adjectives: from nouns to verbs</li> <li>Comparison Preposition: <i>than</i></li> <li>Tenses: Past Continuous Tense</li> <li>Modals: <i>might, could, have to</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Antonyms</li> <li>Synonyms</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation <ul> <li>Positive / Negative Sentence Structure</li> <li>Conditional</li> <li>Expanding sentences with adverbs/ adverbial phrases</li> <li>Combining sentences with connectors</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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Term 2	Unit 4	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Nouns: Compounds</li> <li>Pronouns: Personal <i>our, she, we, mine, they, his</i>; indefinite <i>everyone, everybody</i></li> <li>Adjectives: Comparative; Adjective phrase with adverbs</li> <li>Verbs: Imperative</li> <li>Modals: <i>had to</i></li> <li>Adverbs: <i>first, then, now, next, next time</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Antonyms</li> <li>Prefix</li> <li>Imagery (sound / sight)</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation <ul> <li>Connectors: <i>so, if, otherwise</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Unit 5	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Nouns: Collective</li> <li>Determiners: numbers, some, second, another, several, all, other</li> <li>Pronouns: someone, that</li> <li>Adjectives: adjectives that act like nouns; adjective phrases with adverbs of degree</li> <li>Verbs: -ing / -ed; phrasal verbs</li> <li>Tense: Past Continuous</li> <li>Modals: should</li> <li>Adverbs: time phrases</li> <li>ii) Vocabulary</li> <li>Prefix</li> <li>Clipping</li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation</li> <li>Complex with relative clauses</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Unit 6	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Pronouns: <i>I, she, he, him, her, his, hers, they, their</i></li> <li>Verbs: Simple Present, Present Continuous, Present Prefect, Past Continuous</li> <li>Adverbs: Time phrases, manner, duration, frequency</li> <li>Connectors: <i>when, because, as but</i></li> <li>Punctuation: colons</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Similes</li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation</li> <li>Expanding sentences with adjectives, adverbs and prepositions</li> <li>Combining sentences by deleting repetitive words</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	Unit 7	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Nouns: Gerunds</li> <li>Pronouns: who, that, which, those, they, their, one, he, she, it, someone</li> <li>Tenses: Present Tense in information reports; Simple Present Tense to express an unalterable plan</li> <li>Preposition: during, before</li> <li>Connectors: while, when</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Suffix</li> <li>Nouns from verbs</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation <ul> <li>Complex with relative clauses</li> <li>Passive Voice</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Term 3	Unit 8	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Gerunds</li> <li>Verbs: irregular</li> <li>Tenses: Simple Present; Present Perfect</li> <li>Connectors: Conditional <i>If</i>; Choice <i>Neithernor</i></li> <li>Punctuation: quotation marks for direct speech</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Synonyms</li> <li>Hyponyms</li> <li>Idioms</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Unit 9	<ul> <li>i) Grammar <ul> <li>Pronouns: <i>it</i>, <i>you</i></li> <li>Adjectives</li> <li>Verbs: action verbs</li> <li>Modals: <i>might, can, would</i></li> <li>Tenses: Simple Present, Simple Past, Past Perfect</li> <li>Connectors: Contrast <i>however, but</i>, Choice <i>Eitheror</i></li> <li>Punctuation: comma, hyphens</li> </ul> </li> <li>ii) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Synonyms</li> <li>Similes</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii) Sentence Manipulation <ul> <li>Passive Voice</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	Unit 10	<ul> <li>) Grammar <ul> <li>Gerunds</li> <li>Pronouns: Reflexive (himself, yourself, ourselves, themselves); Relative (that, where)</li> <li>Verbs: irregular; ditransitive</li> <li>Tenses: Simple Present, Simple Past, Present Continuous, Past Continuous, Present Prefect, Past Perfect, Present Prefect Continuous</li> <li>Modals: will, do</li> <li>Connectors: when, if</li> </ul> </li> <li>i) Vocabulary <ul> <li>Idioms</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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