

SECOND TERM E-LEARNING NOTE

SUBJECT: ENGLISH LANGUAGE

CLASS: SS 2

SCHEME OF WORK

WEEK	TOPIC
1.	(i) Revision of Last Term's Work and Examination Questions (ii) Structure – Use of Possessive Apostrophe (iii) Comprehension (Reading to Grasp Main Points): Unit 9; Stock Exchange, Effective English, pg. 134 - 136 Writing (Narrative) “My SS 1 Experience.”
2.	Comprehension: (Reading to Grasp Sentence Paragraph Transition): Unit 10 – Nothing Gets Done. Effective English, page 150 Vocabulary Development: Words Associated with the Press Structure: Punctuation Marks (Comma, Semi-colon, Question Mark, Colon)
3.	Essay Writing (Formal Letters) Letter of Complaints Structure – Sentence Types According to Functions Speech Work – Diphthongs Summary – How to Answer Summary Questions
4.	Essay Writing: (Informal Letters) Letters to a Friend in Another Town. Speech Work: Diphthongs /ei, ai, au, oi/ Comprehension (Reading for Implied Meaning): unit II – Moral Behaviour, Effective English, page 168 Vocabulary Development: Words Associated with Environment.
5.	Summary Writing: Wole Soyinka, Effective English, pg 158 – 159 Structure: Kinds of Pronouns Speech Work: Rhyme Scheme
6.	Comprehension: (Reading for Critical Evaluation) Communication; Effective English page 181 Vocabulary Development: Words Associated with Nation Building Structure: Introduction to Sequence of Tenses Speech Work: Diphthongs /iə, eə, əv, və/
7.	Structure: More About Phrasal Verbs Comprehension: unit 12 Advancement in Technology, Effective English, pg 109 – 111 Vocabulary Development: Technology Speech Work: Comparison of /tʃ/ and /ʃ/, /dʒ/ and /ʒ/
8.	Essay Writing: Articles Structure: Active and Passive Structures Register: Words Associated with Cultural Entertainment
9.	Structure: Making Uncountable Nouns Countable Summary: Writing Answers to Model Summary Passage Vocabulary Development: Noting Words Commonly Misspelt. Writing: Writing Semi-Formal Letter.
10.	Revision
11. & 12	Examination

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10. WAEC Past Questions.

WEEK ONE

A. REVISION OF LAST TERM'S EXAMINATION

B. Structure – Use of Possessive Apostrophe

The apostrophe (') has three uses: contractions plurals and possessives. It is used with 's' to show possession. The formation of possessive is treated in different ways.

Formation of Possessives

1. The possessive of the singular noun is formed by adding 's' (apostrophe and 's)
Example: Ada's medical book.
The child's toy.
Father's retirement
2. The possessive of a plural noun is formed by adding only an apostrophe when the noun ends in 's' Example: Girls' hostel
Horses' tail
The boys' baseball team.
3. The possessive of the plurals not ending with 's' is formed by adding apostrophe and 's'
Example: Men's club
Children's Day.
4. Nouns having several words must have their possessive only to the last word.
Example: The President of Nigeria's speech.
The Prime Minister of India's visit to Japan.
The door of...