

4th Grade: Aakash Syllabus

Core Reference Books

Mahabharata for Children
A Children's History of India
Hindi Packet (distributed in class)

Other Resources

<http://www.timemaps.com/civilization-the-mauryan-empire>

<http://www.historydiscussion.net/empires/the-history-of-the-mauryan-empire-in-india/622>

Amar Chitra Katha Books

Chandragupta Maurya
Ashoka
Jamsetji Tata
Chanakya
Paurva and Alexander

Krishnadevaraya
Jagadis Chandra Bose
Rani Durgavati
Guru Nanak

#	Mahaabhaarata	Indian History I	Conversational Hindi I
1	Introduction to the Mahaabhaarata		Introduction to Hindi
2	Aadi Parva(AP) - Story of Satyawati, Birth of Karnaa & Paandavaas.	"A Land Called Jambudvipa" & "A City Named Harappa"	How to introduction self
3	AP - Story of Ekalavya & Karnaa's episode with Parasuraama, Duryodhana's hatred towards Paandavaas.	"The Rise of Magadha" (Dhana Nanda)	Conversation - Sentence structure
4	AP- Bhimaa kills Bakaasura, Arjunaa weds Draupadi	Paurva and Alexander	Pronouns and daily activities
5	AP - Yudhishtiraa crowned as king of Indraprasthaa	Decline of Magada Empire / Intro to Mauryan Empire / Chandragupta & Chanakya ("The Magnificent Mauryas")	Pronouns and daily activities continued
6	Sabhaa Parva(SP) - Bhimaa kills Jarasandhaa & Krishnaa kills Sishupaala	Ashok & Mauryan administration, economy, religion, decline and legacy, Mauryan Empire in world history	Numbers and times of day
7	SP - Duryodhanaa humiliated by Draupadi & Yudhishtiraa loses in a game of dice.	Smaller Kingdoms and Culture ("Kingdoms Culture & Trade")	Revision
8	SP - Draupadi humiliated by Kauravaas & Paandavaas leave to the forest.	Guru Nanak	Fruits
9	Vana Parva - VP - Yudhishtiraa receives the akshaya paatraa & Arjunaa receives the Pashupataastra	Krishnadevaraya	Vegetables
10	VP - Arjunaa goes to Indralokaa, Bhimaa's meeting with brother Hanumaan & Sage Maarkandeya visits Paandavaas.	Kalpna Chawla	Colors and demonstrative pronouns
11	VP - Duryodhanaa suffers disgrace at Dvaitavana, Durvaasaa tests Paandavaas & Krishnaa comes to their aid.	Jagadis Chandra Bose	Review and Practice
12	VP - Yudhishtiraa tested, Karnaa warned by his father the Sun God.	Rani Durgavati	Daily meals, Indian sweets and tastes
13	Viraata Parva - VIP - Paandavaas live in disguise & Bhimaa kills Kichakaa	Jamsetji Tata	Family introduction
14	VIP - Arjunaa as Bhannala helps Uttarakumaara & defeats Duryodhanaa's army.	A. P. J. Abdul Kalam	Conversation with family
15	Udyoga Parvaa - UP - Krishnaa helps Arjunaa & Duryodhanaa, Sanjayaa becomes messenger & warns Duryodhanaa, UP - Bhishmaa ridicules Karnaa, Krishnaa goes as a messenger & appeals to the King, Review	Narendra Modi	Parts of body
16	Testing Day	Test	Practice Full Conversations