

HISTORY (Oct-Nov)

DETAILED PLANNER OF

CYCLE - **2**ND

CLASSES	
	8
REQUIRED	
TOPIC	The Mauryan Empire.
CONCEPT & SKILLS	Establishment of the Mauryan Empire .
	Ashoka the great emperor.
	Decline of Mauryan empire.
LEARNING OUTCOMES	About the features of the Mauryan administration. The great emperors Bindusara and Ashoka.
INSTRUCTIONAL TOOLS & REFERENCES	Map of India showing extent of Mauryan Empire ,pictures of monuments during the Mauryan period.
PEDAGOGY	Discussion: Interaction with students regarding the Magadha Empire (Janapadas and Mahajanapadas)
	Detailed explanation of the topic will be given to the students with respect to the 16 janapadas.
	Random Questions: After completion of the topic the teacher wil ask random questions like:
	Q1. Who founded the Mauryan Empire?
	Q2. What is Ashoka's Dhamma?
	Q3. Why did Ashoka convert to Buddhism?
	Brain Storming: Twisted questions will be asked like:
	Q1. Who were Ashoka's ancestors?
	Q2. Who was Devanam Piyadassi?
	Q3. How did Ashoka remain in touch with his subjects? Textual Questions : Will be discussed in the class.
ACTIVITY /	Map of India showing extent of Mauryan Empire will be done on map
ASSIGNMENT /	practice.
RESEARCH	
ASSESSMENT	Students will be assessed on the following:



	a) Individual assessment b) Group Activity c) PPT
SYLLABUS FOR	Early States and Mauryan Empire
SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT	