2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR FALL SEMESTER READING & WRITING SYLLABUS

FOR MED 2 & TELT 3 GROUPS (INTERMEDIATE/ UPPER-INTERMEDIATE) B1-B2 LEVEL

(September 22, 2025 – January 9, 2026)

DURATION: 6 hours

COURSEBOOKS: PATHWAYS 2&3 Reading, Writing, and Critical Thinking / Third Edition (National

Geographic Learning)

WEEK	DATE	UNITS	CONTENTS
		Placement Test for Prep Classes,	
1	September 22-26, 2025	Announcement of the Exam	
1		Results,	
		Orientation	
			Identifying the main idea
		(Pathways 2)	Inferring meaning from context
			Words as nouns and verbs
	C 1 20	Unit 1: Happiness	Writing a topic sentence
2	September 29 - October 3, 2025	Unit 2: Inventive Solutions	
	October 3, 2023		Identifying details
			Analyzing problems and solutions
			Adjectives and nouns +able
			Supporting the main idea
			Taking Notes
			Making Inferences
			Word Forms
3	October 6-10, 2025		Writing a Concluding Sentence
		Unit 3: Going Global	
		Unit 4: Saving Our Seas	Interpreting Visual İnfo
			Evaluating an Argument
			Explaining a Chart or Graph
			Identfying Cause and Effect
			Considering Alternate Opinions
			Changing Word Forms
			Using an Outline
١.		Unit 5: Memory and Learning	
4	October 13-17, 2025	Unit 6: Trends in Education	Taking Notes
			Comparing and Contrasting
			Adjectives for emotions
			Giving details that support advice
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5	October 20-24, 2025	Unit 7: Nature's Fury Unit 8: Building Wonders	Identfying Sequence Evaluating sources for credibility Changing word forms Organizing a process paragraph Identifying relevant info Interpreting quotes Adjective+style Writing a comparison paragraph
6	October 27-31, 2025 October 28: Republic Day eve October 29: Republic Day	Unit 9: Form and Function	Identfying theories Evaluating Evidence Adjective+advantage Writing a summary paragraph
7	November 3-7, 2025	Unit 10: Reimagining Work	Identfying pros and cons Relating information to personal experience Changing Word forms Writing an argumentative paragraph
8	November 10-14, 2025	1 ST MIDTERM (November 11-12, 2025)	
9	November 17-21, 2025	(Pathways 3) Unit 1: Social Relations	Identifying Main and Supporting Ideas Summarize, Identify and Analyze Evidence Justify, Evaluate, Predict, Infer Meaning Compound Nouns; pre- Making Comparisons Writing Body Paragraphs
10	November 24-28, 2025	Unit 2: Science and Investigation	Identifying a Sequence of Events Categorize, Reflect Analyzing Levels of Certainty Speculate, Apply -ist;Changing nouns into adjectives with -al and -ial Paraphrasing Writing a summary

11	December 1-5, 2025	Unit 3: City Solutions	Analyzing Visual Information Identify Pros and Cons Scan for Details Understand Quotes Justify Your Opinion Expressions with income; Compound Adjectives Using the Simple Past and the Present Perfect Writing Introductory and Concluding Paragraphs Writing a problem-solution essay
12	December 8-12, 2025	Unit 4: Danger Zones	Understanding Referencing and Cohesion Making Inferences Changing nouns and adjectives into verbs with -en; Changing nouns and adjectives into verbs with -ize Using Parallel structures
13	December 15-19, 2025	Unit 4: Earth Science	Brainstorm Understand a Process Writing a Process Essay
14	December 22-26, 2025	Unit 5: The Travel Business	Analyzing Causes and Effects Understand Key Terms, Details and Purpose Identify Arguments Skimming Synthesize, Evaluate Adjectives and Nouns ending in -ive; Guessing the Meaning of a Word from Its Parts Using if, (then) Writing a Cause-Effect Essay
15	December 29, 2025 - January 2, 2026 January 1: New Year's Day	CONSOLIDATION OF THE PREVIOUS UNITS	
16	January 5-9, 2026	2 ND MIDTERM (January 6-7, 2026)	

2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR SPRING SEMESTER READING & WRITING SYLLABUS

FOR MED 2 &TELT 3 GROUPS (UPPER-INTERMEDIATE-ADVANCED) B2-C1 LEVEL

(February 2, 2026 – June 5, 2026)

DURATION: 6 hours

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WEEK	DATE	UNITS	CONTENTS
1	February 2-6, 2026	GENERAL REVISION OF THE 1 ST TERM	
2	February 9-13, 2026	Unit 6: Product Design	Identifying Problems and Solutions Identify Speculation, Discover Infer Purpose auto-; Phrasal Verbs back up, stick out, try out Using Language for Speculation Writing a Problem-Solution Essay
3	February 16-20, 2026	Unit 7: Global Challenges	Understanding Appositives Inferring Attitude Expressions with cut; in-,-il, -im, non-,ir-,un- Using Relative Clauses Writing an Opinion Essay
4	February 23-27, 2026	Unit 8: Medical Innovations Unit 8: Health / Medicine	Understanding Passive Sentences Understand Referencing, Identify Applying an Idea to a Real-World Situation Predict, Infer Meaning, Apply, Reflect Synonyms; Acronyms and Initialism Introduction to Quoting and Citing Sources Evaluating Information Online Writing a Research-Based Essay
5	March 2-6, 2026	Unit 9: Languages and Culture Unit 10: Survival Instinct	Understanding Predictions Categorize Inferring a Writer's Purpose mono-, bi-, tri-, multi-; Onomatopoeia Presenting Counterarguments Planning an Essay Using a T-Chart Writing a Persuasive Essay Identifying Adverbial Phrases

			Interpreting Figurative Language Personalize Expressions with stay; Changing Verbs into Nouns with -ance and -tion Using Past Forms for Narratives Writing a Descriptive Narrative Essay
6	March 9-13, 2026	GENERAL REVISION FOR 3 RD MIDTERM	
7	March 16-20, 2026 March 19: Ramadan Feast eve March 20: 1 st day of Ramadan Feast		
8	March 23-27, 2026	3 RD MIDTERM (March 24-25, 2026)	
9	March 30 – April 3, 2026	(Pathways 4) Unit 1: The Changing Workplace	Understanding Cohesion, the Main Idea and Details Recognizing Claims and Counterclaims Artificial + Noun; -ize and -ization Essay organization
10	April 6-10, 2026	Unit 2: City Challenges	Understanding and using Appositives Information Organization (Predict, Summarize, Compare, Infer Meaning and Reflect) Nouns/Adjectives + constraint; Words with counter- Structuring a Problem-Solution Essay
11	April 13-17, 2026	Unit 3: Art and Beauty Unit 4: Rethinking Transport	Using a Concept Map Applying Ideas, Infer Meaning ambi-; trigger+ Noun Using Relative Clauses Supporting a Thesis Recognizing and Evaluating Different Viewpoints Understanding Multiword Phrases Business Words and Antonyms; -ion and – ive Writing Sentences with Initial Phrases Organizing a Comparative Essay
12	April 20-24, 2026	Unit 5: Working Together	Understanding Complex Sentences

13	April 23: National Sovereignty and Children's Day April 27 — May 1, 2026 May 1: Labour and Solidarity Day	Unit 6: Why Language Matters Unit 6: Anthropology / Sociology	Evaluating Sources Co-, com-, col-; -ate and -ion Avoiding Plagiarism (I)_ Paraphrasing Writing a Summary Understanding Figurative Language Scanning Understanding Loaded Words Synthesize, Infer Meaning, Interpret and Analyze Adding Information with Verbal Phrases Writing Introductions and Conclusions Expressions for looking at things; e,g, horizon
14	May 4-8, 2026	4 TH MIDTERM (May 5-6, 2026)	
15	May 11-16, 2026	Unit 7: Resources and Development Unit 7: Economics	Annotating a Text Analyzing Point of View Predict, Understand Chronology, Infer Meaning Evaluate Adjective + economy; distinct + Noun Avoiding Plagiarism (II)_ Referring to Sources Doing Research Online
16	May 18-22,2026 May 19: Commemoration of Atatürk, Youth and Sports Day	Unit 8: Living Longer Unit 9: Truth and Deception	Asking Questions as You Read Skimming Understanding Supportive Examples Interpreting Visual Data Words and phrases with life; out- Explaining the Significance of Evidence Planning an Argumentative Research Paper Understanding a Research Summary Evaluating Research Interpreting Visual Data, Apply -ence and –ance; deceit and deception
17	May 25-29, 2026 May 26: The Feast of Sacrifice eve May 27-29: 1 st and 2 nd days of the Feast of Sacrifice	THE FEAST OF SACRIFICE	

			Understanding Rhetorical Purpose
18			Synthesizing Information
		Unit 10: Changing the Planet	Brainstorm, Summarize, Infer Meaning,
			Reflect
	June 1-5, 2026	GENERAL REVIEW AND	-logy; dramatic + Noun
		CONSOLIDATION FOR THE	Using a Variety of Sentence Types
		FINAL EXAM Reviewing Essay Writing	Reviewing Essay Writing
			Submitting WRITING PORTFOLIOS

2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR FINAL EXAM FOR PREP CLASSES (June 8-9, 2026)