Textbook: Intermediate Hindi Reader by Usha Jain

Week 1 -- Vacation (ChuTTiyaaN)
Language Target: Review of perfect tense
Discussion on winter break -- in pairs and the whole class
HW: Hindi composition ‘ChuttiyoN meN aap ne kyaa kiyaa”

Week 2 -- kahaanii 1
Text 8 “kakii” (textbook)
Language Target: Review exercise -- use of subjunctive
Reading comprehension -- questions and answers -- in pairs
HW: Hindi composition” kakii kahaanii kaa saar likhiye”

Week 3 -- kahaanii 2
Text 9 “pahaaR kii smriti” (textbook)
Language Target: Review exercise and aspects (frequentative, progressive, intensifying)
HW: Hindi composition “ is kahaanii par apneN vichaar likhiye”

Week 4 -- Life in the Mountains (pahaaR kaa jiivan)
Language Target: Use of complex syntax -- relative-correlative (jaise-vaise, jitnaa-utnaa, jab-tab, jo-vah)
Discussion in small groups on:
  a) “Paharii jiivan aur pahaaR par na rahnewaaloN ke jiivan meN kyaa antar hai?
  b) aap pahaRin ke jiivan ke baare meN kyaa jaante haiN aur kyaa sochte haiN?
  c) sheher aur gaNv meN rehnewaaloN ke jiivan meN kyaa antar hai?
Quiz

Week 5 -- gaNv kaa jiivan
“Indian Villages” on Youtube.
Language Target: Use of passive
Bhartiya gavoN ki samasyaaon par 10 line likhiye joRe meN
Pair meN samasyaaon ko paRiye.

Week 6 -- Movie-Based project
Watching Movie segments and answering questions on the story-plot
Review of movie from Webdunia
Make a checklist of language structures to be used
Language Target: Review of use of passive, relative-correlative sentences and subjunctive
HW: movie-story writing using the new phrases and vocab

Week 7-8 -- Movie-Based Project
Group Movie Project (writing and performing a movie trailer, the next episode, etc.)
Conversation on the movie and its themes and characters
Work in groups and individually.
Preparation for presentations. Use checklist with language structures.
Group presentations with acting, songs and dance.

Week 9 -- Life of the Deshi Community
Text 19. “Biic kii bhaTkan” (textbook)
Language Target: proverbs
Discussion on Biic kii bhaTkan meN Viina aur Baby ke jiivan kii tulnaa.
Debates: kiskaa jiivan zyaadaa acchaa hai aur kyoN
HW: apnaa khyaal likhiye

Week 10 -- Traditions and Festivals (vrat aur tyohaar)
Text #: “Kuch vrat kathayeN” (textbook)
Language Target: New vocabulary + jyoNhii+tyoNhii + conditional sentences
Charades
HW: in kahaaniyoN se kyaa shikShaa miltii hai

Week 11-12 -- Family Values in India and the U.S. (paarivarik paramparaN)
Movie
Watching and re-telling by using new phrases and vocab
Language Target: Use of passive in the subjunctive form (kiya jaae)
Group Discussion:
   a) from the young generation’s point of view
   b) from the grand-parent generation’s point of view
Script and project based on movie
Group

Week 13 -- Superstitions (andhvishvaas)
Text #: “prayashchit” (textbook)
Group discussion on superstitions in India and the U.S.
Language target: Use of conditional sentences
Class review of the most and least favorite Hindi movies
HW: write a script as a radio or TV commentator in Hindi on “Samaaj meN andhvishwaas”

Week 14 -- Superstitions
Presentation of home work on samaaj meN andhvishwaas.
Hindi Idioms and proverbs (muhaavre aur lokokiyaN)

Week 15
Review
Structure of quiz for the final examination
Preparing for the final examination in Hindi