

**Ministry of Education Language Centre  
Asian Languages Department**

**Higher Malay Language (HML) 2026  
Secondary 3**

Textbook : **JATI 3**

Skills tested : Reading, writing, speaking, listening and verbal & writing interaction

Note : New examination format from 2024 for Express and HML papers

Term	Chapters Covered	Topics
1	<b>Unit 1</b> Hati Gajah Sama Dilapah, Hati Kuman Sama Dicecah  <b>Unit 2</b> Lain Mangkuk, Lain Cawan  <b>Unit 3</b> Usahlah Acuh Tak Acuh  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Revision</b></li> <li>• <b>HML CA1</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Word class</li> <li>• Affixes, Prefixes &amp; Suffixes</li> <li>• Vocabulary</li> <li>• Sentence construction</li> <li>• Cloze procedure</li> <li>• Essay writing – narrative, speech &amp; expository</li> <li>• Functional writing - response to formal email &amp; forum</li> <li>• Useful phrases</li> <li>• Comprehension – subjective &amp; objective</li> <li>• Summary writing</li> <li>• HML exam paper practice</li> <li>• HML oral practice – oral presentation &amp; oral discussion</li> </ul>
2	<b>Unit 4</b> Condong Ditumpil, Lemah Dianduh  <b>Unit 5</b> Meski Tertimbun Dalam Tanah, Namun Teras Timbul Juga  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Revision</b></li> <li>• <b>HML CA2</b></li> <li>• <b>Preparation for GCE O-Level Oral Examination &amp; LC</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Word class</li> <li>• Affixes, Prefixes &amp; Suffixes</li> <li>• Vocabulary</li> <li>• Sentence construction</li> <li>• Cloze procedure</li> <li>• Essay writing – narrative, speech &amp; expository</li> <li>• Functional writing - response to formal email &amp; forum</li> <li>• Useful phrases</li> <li>• Comprehension – subjective &amp; objective</li> <li>• Summary writing</li> <li>• HML exam paper practice</li> <li>• HML oral practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2-min oral presentation</li> <li>- oral discussion</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>O-Level practice (Paper 3) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reading</li> <li>- Conversation based on video</li> <li>- Listening comprehension</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3	<b>Unit 6</b> Kuat Lilit Kerana Simpulnya <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Revision</b></li> <li><b>HML CA3</b></li> <li><b>Preparation for GCE O-Level Oral Examination &amp; LC (July)</b></li> <li><b>Preparation for HML End-of-Year Examination</b></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Word class</li> <li>Affixes, Prefixes &amp; Suffixes</li> <li>Vocabulary</li> <li>Sentence construction</li> <li>Cloze procedure</li> <li>Essay writing – narrative, speech &amp; expository</li> <li>Functional writing - response to formal email &amp; forum</li> <li>Useful phrases</li> <li>Comprehension – subjective &amp; objective</li> <li>Summary writing</li> <li>HML exam paper practice</li> <li>HML oral practice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2-minute oral presentation</li> <li>- oral discussion</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>O-Level practice (Paper 3) - July <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reading</li> <li>- Conversation based on video</li> <li>- Listening comprehension</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
4	<b>HML End-of-Year Examination</b>  <b>Preparation for GCE O-Level Examination</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HML Paper 1</li> <li>HML Paper 2</li> <li>O-Level Paper 1 (Nov)</li> <li>O-Level Paper 2 (Nov)</li> </ul>