

In schools of two classes, it comprises also knowledge of one's country, as well as the elements of natural history.

The objects themselves that are chosen for description, and pictures, are taken as aids for instruction.

The instruction in History, Geography and Geology, Natural History and Physics, in its more important details, is to be given in the last four years.

The instruction given is to be limited to what is indispensable and to what can really be pictured to the mind, and to bring out into prominence what is connected with one's own country, and to dwell practically upon the different kinds of work, requirements, phenomena, and experiences of life.

The treatment of the subjects is as far as possible to proceed partly by means of experiments, partly by means of conversations unfolding the subject so as to make them intelligible, and is not to afford simply a series of facts, but is to give an opportunity for the exercise of the reason, for the elevation of the character, and the ennobling of the mind.

A concise guide is recommended for the