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Teaching Plan (A.Y.2021–2022)

T.Y. B. Sc. (Zoology)
Course Title: Developmental Biology
Course code: ZO 355

Sr. No	Month	Topics	Teacher
1	Oct	1. Fundamentals of Developmental Biology: 1.1 Definition and scope. 1.2 Concepts in Developmental Biology: Growth, Differentiation, Dedifferentiation, Cell determination, Cell communication, Morphogenesis, Induction and Regeneration.	DRB
2	Oct	2. Theories of Developmental Biology: 2.1 Preformation. 2.2 Pangenesis. 2.3 Epigenesis. 2.4 Axial gradient. 2.5 Germplasm.	DRB
3	Nov	3. Gametogenesis: 3.1 Spermatogenesis & Structure of sperm with respect to human. 3.2 Oogenesis & Structure of ovum with respect to human. 3.3 Types of eggs.	DRB
4	Nov & Dec	4. Fertilization: 4.1 Concept and types. 4.2 Chemotaxis. 4.3 Sperm penetration: Acrosome reaction, Capacitation & Decapacitation. 4.4 Activation of ovum: Fertilization cone. 4.5 Prevention of polyspermy: Fast block & Slow block. 4.6 Significance of fertilization.	DRB
5	Dec	5. Cleavage and Blastula: 5.1 Planes and symmetry of cleavage. 5.2 Types of cleavage. 5.3 Significance of cleavage. 5.4 Definition and types of Blastula.	DRB

6	Jan	6. Gastrulation: 6.1 Definition and Concept. 6.2 Basic cell movements in gastrulation: Epiboly, Emboly, Convergence, Invagination, Ingression & Involution with reference to frog. 6.3 Concept of Organizer : Primary, Secondary and Tertiary.	DRB
7	Jan	7. Chick Embryology: 7.1 Structure of Hen's egg. 7.2 Fertilization and cleavage in Chick. 7.3 Formation of primitive endoderm. 7.4 Primitive streak development. 7.5 Head process and regression of Primitive streak.	DRB

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Course Title: Medical & Forensic Zoology

Course Code: ZO-361

Month	Title	Teacher Name
March	Introduction to medical zoology and its importance :	DRB
March & April	Medico-legal Autopsy: 2.1 Death and its Causes- External examination of deceased body – Internal Examination - Determination of time since death and cause of death. 2.2 Injuries – Classification - Medico-legal aspects of injuries. 2.3 Post-mortem changes - collection of post-mortem samples and Preservation.	DRB
April	Urine Analysis: 3.1 Physical characteristics, abnormal constituents, renal failure, renal calculi, dialysis.	DRB
April	Non infectious Diseases: 4.1 Causes, Types, Symptoms, Complications, Diagnosis and Prevention of Diabetes (Type I and II), Hypertension, Hypotension, Obesity, Atherosclerosis, Myocardial Infraction.	DRB
May	Infectious Diseases: 5.1 Causes, Types, Symptoms, Complications, Diagnosis and Prevention of Tuberculosis and Hepatitis.	DRB
May	Introduction to Forensic Zoology: 6.1 Definition, Scope and Application of Forensic Zoology. 6.2 Forensic Laboratories in India. 6.3 Basic Principles of Forensic Science with Examples.	DRB
May	Forensic Medicine: 7.1 Introduction to Forensic Medicine: Definitions of Forensic Medicine. 7.2 Medical Jurisprudence. 7.3 Medical evidence documentations.	DRB
June	Forensic Analysis: 8.1 Examination of Biological Materials: Examination of Hair, Fibres, Diatoms, plants materials, human tissues. 8.2 Examination of Body Fluid: Blood, Semen and Saliva. 8.3 Forensic Importance of Insects: Insects of forensic importance -indicators of time of death stages of insect development & comparative decomposition of human body - colonization - Evidence collection of insects – Territorial & Aquatic Insects. 8.4 DNA Fingerprint Technique and Examination of Biological Traces: Liquid blood, blood stains, & swabs, semen, Seminal stains, tissues, Bones, Hairs, Teeth, Saliva, Skeletal remains. 8.5 Toxicological Investigations: Poisons – Definition, Forms of Poison – Physical, Chemical & Mechanical state. Introduction with examples of – Neurotoxic Poisons – Cerebral & Spinal, Cardiovascular Poisons, Asphyxiants, Miscellaneous poisons – Pesticides, Pharmaceutical drugs, Petroleum poisons, Food poisons, Radioactive poisons.	DRB

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F.Y. B.Sc. Semester I
Course Title: Animal Ecology
Course Code: ZO – 112

Month	Topics	Teacher Name
Sept & Oct	Introduction to Ecology 1.1 Concepts of Ecology, Environment, Population, Community, Ecosystem, Biosphere, Autecology and synecology.	DRB
Oct & Nov	Ecosystem 2.1 Types of ecosystems: Aquatic (Freshwater, estuarine, Marine and terrestrial (Forest, Grassland and Desert) 2.2 Structure and Composition of Ecosystem (Abiotic components and biotic components. 2.3 Food chain: Detritus and grazing food chains, Food web, Energy flow through the ecosystem, Ecological pyramids: Number, Biomass, and Energy. 2.4 Concept of Eutrophication in lakes and rivers.	DRB
Dec	Population 3.1 Characteristic of population: Density, Natality, Mortality, Fecundity tables, survivorship curves, age ratio, sex ratio, dispersal and dispersion. 3.2 Exponential and logistic growth, 3.3 Population regulation—density-dependent and independent factors. Population interactions, Gause's Principle with laboratory and field interactions, 3.4 Quadrat, line and belt transect methods.	DRB
Jan	Community 4.1 Community characteristics: species richness, dominance, diversity, abundance, vertical stratification, Ecotone and edge effect; Ecological Succession with one example.	DRB
Jan	Animal interactions 5.1 Introduction to Animal interactions 5.2 Types of Animal interactions with at least to suitable examples of each 5.2.1-Competition: Interspecific and intraspecific 5.2.2- Beneficial Associations: Commensalism (remora fish on shark, Cattle egrets on livestock), Mutualism (Termite and Trichonympha, bees and flowers, cleaning symbiosis in fish by prawns. 5.3 Antagonistic associations: Parasitism (Ascaris and man, lice and humans), Prey predation (Lion and deer).	DRB

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F. Y. B. Sc. Semester II
Course Title: Cell biology
Course Code: ZO122

Month	Title	Teacher Name
April	<p>Introduction: 1.1 Introduction cell biology, 1.2 Cell as basic unit of life. 1.3 Importance of Cell Biology and its applications in industry.</p> <p>Overview of Cells 1.3 Introduction to Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic cells. 1.4 Structure and function of Prokaryotic (<i>E. coli</i>) 1.5 Structure and function of Eukaryotic cells (Animal and Plant Cell)</p>	DRB
April	<p>Techniques in Cell Biology: 3.1 Introduction 3.2 Microscopy: Basic Principle, Simple, Compound and applications of Electron Microscope. 3.3 Stains and dyes: Types of Stain: Acidic, basic and neutral. Dye (Preparation and chemistry of dyes not expected) 3.4 Micrometry.</p>	DRB
May	<p>Plasma Membrane: 4.1 Introduction 4.2 Structure of plasma membrane: Fluid mosaic model. 4.3 Transport across membranes: Active and Passive transport, Facilitated transport, exocytosis, endocytosis, phagocytosis – vesicles and their importance in transport. 4.4 Other functions of Cell membrane in brief Protection, cell recognition, shape, storage, cell signalling. 4.5 Cell Junctions: Tight junctions, gap junctions, Desmosomes.</p>	DRB
May	<p>Nucleus: Structure and function 5.1 Introduction to Nucleus 5.2 Structure of Nucleus: Nuclear envelope, Nuclear pore complex, Nucleoplasm, Nucleolus 5.3 Chromatin: Eu-chromatin and Hetro-chromatin, nature and differences. 5.4 Functions of nucleus apparatus, Lysosomes and vacuoles.</p>	DRB
June	<p>Endomembrane System 6.1 Introduction 6.2 Structure, location and Functions: Endoplasmic Reticulum, Golgi</p> <p>Mitochondria and Peroxisomes 7.1 Introduction</p>	DRB

	7.2 Mitochondria: ultrastructure and function of mitochondrion.	
June	7.3 Peroxisomes Cell Division 7.1 Introduction 7.2 Cell cycle (G1, S, G2, M phases), 7.3 Mitosis. 7.4 Meiosis.	DRB

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S. Y. B. Sc. Semester I
Course Title - Applied Zoology I
Course Code - ZO - 232

Month	Topics	Teacher Name
Oct	<p>1) Sericulture: 1.1 An introduction to Sericulture, Study of different types of silk moths, their distribution, Taxonomic position and varieties of silk produced in India : Mulberry, Tassar, Eri and Muga silk moths. 1.2 External Morphology and life cycle of <i>Bombyx mori</i>.</p>	DRB
Nov	<p>1.3 Cultivation of mulberry : a) Varieties for cultivation, b) Rain fed and irrigated mulberry cultivation- Fertilizer schedule, Pruning methods and leaf yield.</p> <p>1.4 Harvesting of mulberry : a) Leaf plucking, b) Branch cutting, c) Whole shoot cutting.</p> <p>1.5 Silk worm rearing : a) Varieties for rearing, b) Rearing house, c) Rearing techniques, d) Important diseases and pests.</p>	DRB
Dec	<p>1.6 Preparation of cocoons for marketing.</p> <p>1.7 Post harvest processing of cocoons : a) Stiffling, sorting, storage, deflossing and riddling, b) Cocoon cooking, reeling equipment and rereeling, washing and polishing.</p> <p>1.8 Biotechnological and biomedical applications of silk.</p>	DRB
Jan	<p>2) Agricultural Pests and their control:</p> <p>2.1 An introduction to Agricultural Pests, types of pests (agricultural, store grain, veterinary). 2.1 Major insect pests of agricultural importance (Marks of identification, life cycle, nature of damage and control measures). a) Jowar stem borer, b) Red cotton bug, c) Brinjal fruit borer, d) Mango stem borer, e) Blister beetle, f) Rice weevil, g) Pulse beetle, h) Tick.</p>	DRB

Feb	2.3 Non insect pests: Rats, Crabs, Snails, and Squirrels 2.4 Pest control practices in brief: Cultural control, Physical control, Mechanical control, Chemical control, Biological control, Pheromonal control, Autocidal control and Concept of IPM in brief. 2.5 Plant protection appliances: Shoulder type Rotary duster, Knapsack sprayer, Cynogas Pump.	DRB
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S. Y. B. Sc. Semester II
Course Title - Applied Zoology II
Course Code - ZO-242

Month	Title	Teacher Name
April	<p>Apiculture:</p> <p>1.1 An introduction to Apiculture, Systematic position, Study of habit, habitat and nesting behaviour of <i>Apis dorsata</i>, <i>Apis indica</i>, <i>Apis florea</i> and <i>Apis mellifera</i>. 1.2 Life cycle, Colony organization and Division of labour. 1.3 Bee behaviour and communication (Round Dance and Wag-Tail Dance). 1.4 Bee keeping equipments : a) Bee box (Langstroth type), b) Honey extractor, c) Smoker, d) Bee-veil, e) Gloves, f) Hive tool, g) Bee Brush, h) Queen excluder</p>	DRB
May	<p>1.5 Bee keeping and seasonal management. 1.6 Bee products (composition and uses) : a) Honey, b) Wax, c) Bee Venom, d) Propolis, e) Royal jelly, f) Pollen. 1.7 Diseases and enemies of Bees : a) Bee diseases - Protozoan (Nosema), Bacterial (American foul brood), Viral (Sac brood), Fungal (Chalk brood). b) Bee pests - Wax moth (Greater and Lesser), Wax beetle. c) Bee predators - GreenBee eater, King crow, Wasp, Lizard. 1.8 Bee pollination and management of bee colonies for pollination.</p>	DRB
May & June	<p>2. Fisheries :</p> <p>2.2 An introduction to fisheries and its types (in brief): Freshwater fisheries, Marine fisheries, Brackish water fisheries. 2.3 Habit, habitat and culture methods of following freshwater forms : a) Rohu (<i>Labeo rohita</i>), b) Catla (<i>Catla catla</i>), c) Mrigal (<i>Cirrhinus mrigala</i>). 2.3 Harvesting methods of following marine forms: a) <i>Harpodon</i>, b) Mackerel, c) Pearl oyster.</p>	DRB
June	<p>2.4 Crafts and Gears in Indian Fishery: a) Crafts – Catamaran, Machwa, Dinghi. b) Gears – Gill net, Dol net, Rampani net, Cast net. 2.5 Fishery byproducts: a) Fish meal, b) Fish flour, c) Fish Liver oil, d) Fish manure, e) Fish fin soup. 2.6 Fish preservation technique: a) Chilling, b) Freezing, c) Salting, d) Drying, e) Canning</p>	DRB

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