

BENGALURU CITY UNIVERSITY

Syllabus for

B.Sc. Zoology (UG)

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

Framed According to the State Educational Policy (SEP 2024)

I & II SEMESTERS
[To be implemented from the academic year 2024-25]

FOREWORD

As per the recommendations made by State Education Policy (SEP) led by Prof. Sukhdeo Thorat commission, the Government of Karnataka has reinforced the three-year degree programme from the academic year 2024-25. The new changes come close on the heels of students and colleges who have expressed concerns over the lack of clarity in pursuing a four year programme as per NEP. As per the recommendations, now colleges can offer degrees with three majors with a general degree in all six semesters; three majors up to fourth semester, and specialization in one subject in fifth and sixth semester or; a single subject specialization from first semester with minors. In addition to majors and specialization courses, the three subjects will be compulsory. First a course with practical (skill) orientation which is linked to the theoretical major course and is expected to improve employability. Students have to learn two languages: Kannada/ other Indian languages, and English. The third compulsory subject is value or moral education which will include teaching constitutional moral values/ principles of equality, liberty, fraternity, national unity, non-discrimination and similar values. Two electives that can be selected by the students based on the availability of courses may be discipline based or distinctly related to discipline based majors. It is recommended that a tutorial or assignment with a project component based on the survey which will give or involve practical experience may be included. It is also suggested that skill enhancement course with a tutorial based on the survey/laboratory be introduced for single subject specialization and deep specialization in 5th and 6th semesters. The examination pattern will be 80:20-80 for the semester-end exam, and 20 for internal assessment. Likewise, for practical oriented science subjects, the examination pattern will be 40:10-40 for the semester-end practical exam, and 10 for internal assessment.

The prominent features of the new scheme framework are:

- 1. Colleges can offer degrees with three majors -three majors up to fourth semester, and specialization in one subject in fifth and sixth semester or; a single subject specialization from first semester with minors. In addition to majors and specialization courses, the three subjects will be compulsory.
- 2. Students have to learn two languages: Kannada/ other Indian languages, and English.
- 3. The third compulsory subject is value or moral education which will include teaching constitutional moral values/ principles of equality, liberty, fraternity, national unity, non-discrimination and similar values.
- 4. Two electives that can be selected by the students based on the availability of courses may be discipline based or distinctly related to discipline based majors.

I am delighted to present curriculum structure pertaining to B. Sc Degree in subject Zoology. I hope that the curriculum structure and syllabus will pave the way for overall development of the student community. I ensure that, students community will procure the benefits at large in higher education.

Dr. P Mahaboob Basha Chairman BOS (UG) in Zoology Bengaluru City University

Proceedings of the meeting of BOS in B. Sc Zoology of Bengaluru City University, Bengaluru.

Reference:

- 1. Constitution of BOS U.O dated 27.08, 2021.
- 2. G.O. ED: 166/UNE/2023, Bangalore dated 08.05.2024.
- 3. U.O. BCU/SYN/OPS/SEP/61/2024-25 dated 14.06.2024.

Adverting to above, the recommendations and drafted circulars made by SEP, Government of Karnataka pertaining to reinforcement of three-year degree courses with three majors was circulated by online mode to all the members of BOS along with proposed curriculum subjects for B. Sc Zoology, for scrutiny.

A workshop followed by Board of Studies meeting was held on 24th June, 2024 from 11.00am-5.00 pm, at central college Bengaluru City University, Bangalore to finalize the drafted syllabus pertaining to B.Sc. Zoology in accordance with SEP-2024.

AGENDA 1: Approval of syllabus for B. Sc in Zoology of 1st & 2nd semesters under SEP-2024.

Resolution: The proposed syllabi for BSc in Zoology, both theory and practical as well as the scheme of the examination for I and II semesters are scrutinized thoroughly, finalised with appropriate inclusion(s) and deletion(s) of content(s) and finally approved.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks. Following BOS members attended the meeting

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Credit framework for Science Stream (B. Sc) with 3-major subjects (3 + 2 C)

Semester	CORE-1	CORE-2	CORE-3	Elective	Languages	Compulsory	Total
	(T + P)	(T + P)	(T + P)	(E)	(1 & 2)	Skill	credits
I semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5		L-1= 3	C-1 (Constitution	23
					L-2=3	Values) = 2	
II semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5		L-1= 3	C-2 (Constitution	23
					L-2=3	Values) = 2	
III semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	E-1=2	L-1=3		23
					L-2=3		
IV semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	E-2=2	L-1= 3	Skill- $1 = 2$	25
					L-2=3	(Pr.knowd.)	
V semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5			Skill- $2 = 2$	26
$(2 T^{\wedge \wedge} + 1 P)$	3 + 0 = 3	3 + 0 = 3	3 + 0 = 3			(Pr.knowd.)	
VI semester	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5	3 + 2 = 5			Skill- $3 = 2$	26
$(2 T^{\wedge \wedge} + 1 P)$	3 + 0 = 3	3 + 0 = 3	3 + 0 = 3			(Pr.knowd)	
Total	36	36	36	4	24	10	146

All numerical may read as credits

Note- (Two theory): 2 T ^^ with approval from Academic bodies.

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SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

Title of the Paper	Contact	Exam hrs.	I. A	End Sem Ex.	Total	Credits
	hrs./week			Marks	marks	
	FIRST	SEMESTER				
Zoology-I: DSCZOO-T1	4	3	20	80	100	3
Systematics and Animal Diversity - 1						
(Protozoa To Hemichordata)						
Zoology Practical- I: DSCZOO-P1	3	3	10	40	50	2
Systematics and Animal Diversity- 1						
(Protozoa To Hemichordata)						
	SECON	D SEMESTE	R			•
Zoology-II: DSCZOO-T2	4	3	20	80	100	3
Animal Diversity -2						
(Protochordata To-Mammalia)						
Zoology Practical- II: DSCZOO-P2	3	3	10	40	50	2
Animal Diversity -2						
(Protochordata To-Mammalia)						
	THIRI	SEMESTER	2			
Zoology-III: DSCZOO-T3	4	3	20	80	100	3
Anatomy and Histology.						
Zoology Practical-III: DSCZOO-P3	3	3	10	40	50	2
Anatomy and Histology						
Zoology Elective-1: DSEZOO-1*	3	2	10	40	50	2
Biology of Parasites and Diseases						
	FOURT	H SEMESTE	R			
Zoology-IV: DSCZOO-T4	4	3	20	80	100	3
Cell Biology and Genetics						
Zoology Practical-IV: DSCZOO-P4	3	3	10	40	50	2
Cell Biology and Genetics						
Zoology Elective-2: DSEZOO-2*	3	2	10	40	50	2
Biotechnology and Immunology						
SKILL-1: COMPULSORY (Applied	3	2	10	40	50	2
Zoology-I) Title to be decided later						
		SEMESTER		T		T
Zoology-V: ZOO-T5	4	3	20	80	100	3
Animal Physiology and Endocrinology						
Zoology Practical-V: DSCZOO-P5	3	3	10	40	50	2
Animal Physiology and Endocrinology						
Zoology-VI: DSCZOO-T6	4	3	20	80	100	3
Biostatistics and Techniques in Biology						
SKILL-2: COMPULSORY (Applied	3	2	10	40	50	2
Zoology-II) Title to be decided later		_				_
Ov /	SIXTH	I SEMESTER	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		<u>l</u>
Zoology-VII: DSCZOO-T7	4	3	20	80	100	3
Developmental Biology and						
Environmental Biology						
Zoology Practical-VI: DSCZOO-P6	3	3	10	40	50	2
Developmental Biology and			_=		==	_
Environmental Biology						
Zoology-VIII: DSCZOO-T8	4	3	20	80	100	3
Evolutionary Biology and Behavioural						
Biology						
SKILL-3/ Internship (Applied Zoology-	3	2	10	40	50	2
III) Title to be decided later			-		-	

Syllabus for B.Sc. in Zoology

Introduction

The curriculum framework takes into account the need to maintain globally competitive standards of achievement in terms of the knowledge and skills in Zoology and allied courses, as well develop scientific orientation, spirit of enquiry problem solving skills and human and professional values which foster rational and critical thinking in the students. This course serves as plethora of opportunities in different fields right from classical to applied Zoology.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES IN B. Sc Zoology (UG)

- **PO1** Students gain knowledge and skill in the fundamentals of animal sciences, understands the complex interactions among various living organisms.
- **PO2** Analyse complex interactions among the various animals of different phyla, their distribution and their relationship with the environment.
- **PO3** Apply the knowledge of internal structure of cell, its functions in control of various metabolic functions of organisms.
- **PO4** Understands the complex evolutionary processes and behaviour of animals.
- **PO5** Correlating the physiological processes and relationship of organ systems.
- **PO6** Understanding of environmental conservation processes and its importance, pollution control and biodiversity and protection of endangered species.
- **PO7** Gain knowledge of Agro based Small Scale industries like sericulture, fish farming, butterfly farming and vermicomposting preparation.
- **PO8** Understands about concepts of genetics and its importance in human health.
- PO10 Apply the knowledge and understanding of Zoology to one's own life and work
- **PO11** Develops empathy and love towards the animals.
- PO12– To correlate the relationships among animals, plants and microbes.

Program Specific Outcomes:

- **PSO1**. Understand the nature and basic concepts of cell biology, genetics, taxonomy, physiology, ecology and applied Zoology.
- **PSO2**. Analyse the relationships among animals, plants and microbes.
- PSO3. Perform procedures as per laboratory standards in the areas of Taxonomy, Physiology, Ecology, Cell biology, Genetics, Applied Zoology, tools and techniques of Zoology, Toxicology, Entomology, Nematology, Sericulture, Biochemistry, Fish biology, Animal biotechnology, Immunology and research methodology.
- **PSO**4. Understand the applications of biological sciences in Apiculture, Aquaculture, Agriculture and Medicine.
- **PSO5**. Gains knowledge about research methodologies, effective communication and skills of problem solving methods.
- **PSO6**. Contributes the knowledge for Nation building.

GRADUATE ATTRIBUTES IN B.Sc. Zoology

Some of the characteristic attributes a graduate in Zoology should possess are:

- Develop the essential and fundamental skills required to enter the professional world of animal sciences. Tasks, including DNA analysis and trace evidence examination.
- Skilled communication and developing scientific knowledge.
- Critical thinking and problem solving capacity:
- Ethical awareness / reasoning.

Weightage for assessments

Type of Course	Formative Assessment / IA Marks	Summative Assessment Marks
Theory	20	80
Practical	10	40
Projects*		
Experiential		
Learning		
(Internships etc.)		

^{*}In lieu of the research Project, two additional elective papers/ Internship may be offered.

Credit distribution for the course.

OUT line of the blue-print of Question papers to be prepared. (% of share in each category)

	<u>THEORY</u>	
	Part – A: Short answer questions: (Answer any 5 out of 8) $5x 2 = 1$	0
•	Part – B: Medium size questions: (Answer any 6 out of 8) (to test overall understanding of subject): - $6x = 3$	30
•	Part – C: Essay type questions: (Answer any 4 out of 5) (to test overall understanding of subject): - $4 \times 10 = 4$	<u>40</u>
	Total Marks:	80
	IA marks:	<u>20</u>
	Total:	00
	<u>PRACTICALS</u>	

Total Practical e	xam Marks:	40
	IA marks:	10
Total:		50

I Semester

THEORY PAPER: SYSTEMATICS AND ANIMAL DIVERSITY - I (Protozoa to Hemichordata)

Course Description

Program Name	B.Sc.	I Semester	
Course Title	Systematics and Animal Diversity - I (Protozoa to Hemichordata)		
Course Code:	DSCZOO-T1	No. of Credits	3
Contact hours	60 Hours	Duration of SEA/Exam	3 hrs.
Formative Asse	ssment Marks 20	Summative Assessment Marks	80

Course Out comes (COs): After the successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- **CO1.** Group animals on the basis of their morphological characteristics/structures.
- **CO2**. Demonstrate comprehensive identification abilities of Non-Chordate diversity.
- **CO**3. Explain structural and functional diversity of Non-Chordates.
- **CO4**. Develop understanding on the diversity of life with regard to Protists, non-chordates and chordates.
- **CO5.** Examine the diversity and evolutionary history of a taxon through the construction of a basic phylogenetic/cladistics tree.

Course Pre-requisite(s): outcome.

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Out comes (POs)

Course Out comes(COs)/(POs)	DSCZOOT1	DSCZOOT2	
I Core competency	X		
II Critical thinking	X		
III Analytical reasoning	X		
IV Research skills	X		
V Team work	X		

Course Articulation Matrix relates course outcomes of course with the corresponding program out comes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the inter section cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program

Contents	60 Hrs.
Unit - I	15 hrs.
Chapter 1: Systematics.	08
• Concept and significance of taxonomy.	
Zoological classification- Uses, kinds of classification and Linnean hierarchy.	
Rules and Codes of binomial nomenclature.	
ICZN – features, code, ICZN rules, electronic publication. Phylogenic tree- Features and types- Dendrogram, phenogram, cladogram, curvogram	
and phylogram. Significance of phylogram.	
Recent trends in taxonomy- bar coding life.	
Collection and preservation of natural history specimens.	
Chapter 2: Introduction to Animal Architecture.	07
Outline classification of Kingdom Animalia up to the level of phyla.	
Body organization: Levels of organization- Protoplasmic, cellular, tissue, and organ.	
Body Symmetry - Definition and its types-asymmetry, spherical, radial, biradial and	
bi-lateral.	
• Germ layers – Definition and its types- Diploblastic (Apparent and absolute) and	
Triploblastic	
Body Coelom – Definition, origin and its types- a coelom, pseudo coelom,	
eucoelom (Enterocoelome and schizocoelom.	
Metamerism - Definition and its types with suitable examples- pseudometamerism,	
true metamerism- homonomous and heteronomous.	
Unit II	15
hapter 3: Protozoans, Poriferans and Coelenterates	07
Phylum Protozoa: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples.	
Types of nutrition: Autotrophic, holozoic, saprozoic, holophytic and parasitic with an example for each.	
Locomotion: Amoeboid (Walking movement and Sol-Gel theory) - Amoeba, Euglena –	
Flagellar and euglenoid, ciliary movement – <i>Paramecium</i> .	
Reproduction: Binary fission and conjugation in <i>Paramecium caudatum</i> ; significance of conjugation.	
Phylum Porifera: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to classes	0.2
(At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples.	03
Sycon - Morphology, T.S of body wall.Canal system and its evolution: Asconoid, Syconoid, Leuconoid and Rhagonoid types.	
Canai system and its evolution. Asconoid, Syconoid, Leuconoid and Knagonoid types.	
Phylum Coelenterata: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to	0.5
classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples.	05
Polymorphism with reference to <i>Halistemma</i> .	
Coral reefs: Definition and its types.	
Ctenophora – Salient features and its affinities.	

UNIT III	15 hours
Chapter 4: Helminthes	08
• Phylum Platyhelminthes: General characteristics of the phylum; classification to classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples	*
• Phylum Nematoda: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples.	
Chapter 5: Annelids	
 Phylum Annelida: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples. Type study of Earthworm (<i>Pheretima posthuma</i>)- Morphology, digestive syste and excretory system. Trochophore larva and its significance. 	
Chapter 6: Arthropods	07
 Phylum Arthropoda: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples. Peripatus: Affinities with Annelida and Arthropoda; systematic position. Respiratory organs: Gills, book gills, trachea and book lungs. Sense organs: Simple eye and compound eye. Metamorphosis in insects and its types. Neuro-endocrine regulation of metamorphosis in <i>Bombyx mori</i>. 	
UNIT - IV	15 hours
Chapter 7: Molluscs	08
 Phylum Mollusca: General characteristics of the phylum; classification up to classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples. Unio - morphology, respiratory system and life cycle. Unio shell - sectional view. Modification of the foot: Chiton, Dentalium, Pila, Aplysia, Mytilus, Sepia and Octopus. Chapter 8: Echinoderms and Hemichordates 	
 Phylum Echinodermata: General characteristics of the phylum; classification classes (At least two unique characters for each class) with suitable examples. Asterias – morphology and Water vascular system. Structure and significance of Echinoderm larvae: Bipinnaria, Echinopluteus, Auricularia. Phylum Hemichordata: General characteristics. Balanoglossus: morphology Modification of the coelom. Tornaria larva and its significance. 	-

Pedagogy:

Formative Assessment for Theory			
Assessment Occasion/type	Marks		
House Examination/Test	10		
Written Assessment/Presentation/Project/Term Papers/Seminars	05		
Classroom Performance/Participation	05		
Total	20 Marks		

PRACTICAL PAPER: Systematics and Animal Diversity - I

(Protozoa to Hemichordata)

Course Title	Systematics and Animal Diversity - I	Practical Credits	2
	(Practical)		
Course Code	DSCZOO-P1	Contact Hours	45 hrs.
Formative Assessment	10 Marks	Summative Assessment	40 Marks

Course Pre-requisite(s):

Course Outcomes(COs):

At the end of the course the student should be able to:

- 1. Understand basics of classification of non-chordates.
- 2. Learn the diversity of habit and habitat of these species.
- 3. Develop the skills to identify different classes and species of animals.
- 4. Know uniqueness of a particular animal and its importance.
- 5. Enhancement of basic laboratory skill like keen observation and drawing.

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Out comes (POs)

Course Out comes(COs)/(POs)	DSCZOOP1	DSCZOOP2
I Core competency	X	
II Critical thinking	X	
III Analytical reasoning	X	
IV Research skills	X	
V Team work	X	

Course Articulation Matrix relates course outcomes of course with the corresponding program outcomes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the intersection cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program outcome.

Practical Content	
Scientific drawing using camera lucida.	
2. Protozoa : Systematics of <i>Amoeba</i> , <i>Euglena</i> , <i>Noctiluca</i> , <i>Paramecium</i> and <i>Vorticella</i> (Permanent slides).	
3. Porifera: Systematics of <i>Sycon, Euplectella, Hyalonema, Spongilla</i> and <i>Euspongia</i> (Specimens). Study of permanent slides of T.S of <i>Sycon</i> , spicules and gemmules.	
4. Cnidaria: Systematics of <i>Aurelia</i> and <i>Metridium</i> (Specimens). Slides of <i>Hydra</i> , <i>Obelia</i> -polyp and medusa, and <i>Ephyra</i> larva, T.S. of <i>Metridium</i> passing through mesenteries.	
5. Stud y of Corals - Astraea, Fungia, Meandrina, Corallium, Gorgonia, Millepora and Pennatula.	
6. Helminthes: Systematics of <i>Planaria</i> , <i>Fasciola hepatica</i> and <i>Taenia solium</i> , Ascaris-Male and female (Specimens). Slides of T.S. of <i>Planaria</i> , T.S of male and female Ascaris.	

- 7. **Annelida:** Systematics of *Nereis, Sabella, Aphrodite* and Leech (Specimens) Slide of T.S. of Earthworm through typhlosole.
- 8. **Arthropoda**: Systematics of *Panaeus, Palaemon, Astracus,* Scorpion, Spider, *Limulus, Peripatus, Millipede, Centipede,* Prayingmantis, Termite Queen, Moth, Butterfly, Dung beetle / Rhinocerous beetle (Any six specimens). Slide of Larvae-Nauplius, Zoea and Mysis.
- 9. **Mollusca:** Systematics of *Chiton, Mytilus, Aplysia, Pila, Octopus, Sepia* (Specimens) and Glochidium larva (Slide).
- 10. **Shell Pattern**-*Unio*, *Ostrea*, *Cypria*, *Murex*, *Nautilus*, *Patella*, *Dentalium*, Cuttlebone. (Any four).
- 11. **Echinodermata**: Systematics of Seastar, Brittlestar, Sea Urchin, Sea cucumber, Sealilly (Specimens). Slides of Bipinnaria larva, Echinopluteus larva and Pedicellaria.
- 12. **Harmful Non chordates:** Soil Nematodes. Agricultural, veterinary and human pests of Arachnida and Arthropoda.
- 13. Beneficial Non-chordates:
 - **Sericulture:** Lifecycle of *Bombyx mori*, Uzifly, Cocoon, Raw silk.
 - Apiculture: Any 2 Species of honeybee and bee wax.
 - Pearl Culture: Pearl Oyster and Natural Pearls.
- 14. **Virtual Dissection/Cultured specimens:** Earthworm Nervous system, Leech-Digestive System.
- 15. **Virtual Dissection/Cultured specimens:** Prawn-Nervous system. Cockroach-Salivary Apparatus and Digestive system.

Pedagogy: Lectures, Presentations, Videos, Assignments and Weekly Formative Assessment Tests

Note: Field visit to nearby National park/ Wildlife sanctuary/ any National laboratory at the end of semester is compulsory and the report of this is to be submitted along with practical record as a part of practical examination.

Formative Assessment for Practical		
Assessment Occasion/type	Marks	
House Examination/Test	05	
Class room Performance/Participation	05	
Total	10 Marks	

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THEORY PAPER: Diversity of Life-II (PROTOCHORDATA TO MAMMALIA)

Program Name	B.Sc.	Semester	II
Course Title	Animal Diversity - II (PROTOCHORDATA		TA TO MAMMALIA)
Course Code:	DSCZOO-T2	No. of Credits	3
Contact hours	60 Hours	Duration of SEA/Exam	3 hrs.
Formative Assessment	20	Summative Assessment	80
Marks		Marks	

Course Pre-requisite(s):

Course Outcomes (COs): After the successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- **CO1.** To demonstrate comprehensive identification abilities of chordate diversity.
- CO2. Able to explain structural and functional diversity of chordate diversity.
- **CO3**. To understand evolutionary relationship amongst chordates.
- **CO4.** To take up research in biological sciences.
- **CO5.** To realize that very similar physiological mechanisms are used in very diverse organisms.
- **CO6.** To Get a flavor of research by working on project besides improving their writing skills. It will further enable the students to think and interpret individually.

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Outcomes (POs)

Course Out comes(COs)/(POs)	DSCZOOT1	DSCZOOT2	
I Core competency		X	
II Critical thinking		X	
III Analytical reasoning		X	
IV Research skills		X	
V Team work		X	

Course Articulation Matrix relates course outcomes of course with the corresponding program out comes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the intersection cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program outcome.

Contents	60Hrs
Unit -1	15
Chapter: 1	10
 General characters of chordates. Origin of chordates. 	
Basic Chordate characters and outline classification up to classes.	
Protochordata:	
a. Cephalochordata:	
 Amphioxus – Morphology, digestive system, feeding mechanism and circulatory system. 	
b. Urochordata:	
• Type study of <i>Herdmania</i> - Morphology, tadpole of <i>Herdmania</i> and retrogressive metamorphosis.	

Chantan 2. Agnotha	
Chapter 2: Agnatha	
General characters and classification up to classes. Solient features of Cyclostomete with examples.	05
 Salient features of Cyclostomata with examples. Differences between lamprays and has fishes. 	05
Differences between lampreys and hag fishes. Ammagasta laws and its significance.	
Ammocoete larva and its significance.	
Unit - II	15 hrs
Chapter 3: Super class: Pisces	10
 Salient features and classification up to subclasses- 	
 Differences between Chondrichthyes and Osteichthyes. 	
• <i>Scoliodon</i> : Morphology, digestive system, circulatory system – afferent arterial	
system, neuromast organs (Lateral line sensory system and Ampullae of	
Lorenzini) and urinogenital system.	
• Parental care in fishes – (<i>Hippocampus</i> , <i>Tilapia</i> , Betta and <i>Arius jella</i>)	
 Salient features of Placodermi and Ostracodermi with examples. 	
• <i>Dipnoi</i> : Interesting features and their evolutionary significance.	
Chapter 4: Class Amphibia	05
General characters and classification of class Amphibia up to living orders, with	
suitable examples.	
Neoteny and Paedogenesis	
• Parental care in Amphibia – (<i>Pipa, Ichthyophis, Alytes, Gastrothecus</i>)	
Origin of Amphibia.	
Unit - III	15 hrs
Chapter 5: Class Reptilia	08
General characters and outline classification of modern reptiles with suitable	VO
examples.	
 Adaptive radiation in extinct reptiles with suitable examples 	
 Temporal fossae in reptiles. 	
 Poisonous and non-poisonous snakes, Poison apparatus in snakes, venom and 	
its types. Common poisonous snakes of India. Anti-venom.	
• Interesting features of <i>Sphenodon</i> .	
interesting reaction of Sphemotonia	
Chapter 6: Class Aves	
General characters and classification up to orders with examples.	
Differences between Ratitae and Carinatae.	07
• Interesting features of <i>Archaeopteryx</i> .	U/
Flight adaptations in birds (Morphological, anatomical and physiological)	
 Migration in Birds – Types, causes and theories. 	
Unit: IV	15 hrs
Chapter 7: Class Mammalia	10
• General characters and classification up to subclasses (Prototheria, Metatheria	
and Eutheria) with suitable examples.	
• Interesting features of mammalian orders- Insectivora, Carnivora (Pinnipedia and	
Fissipedia), Chiroptera (Mega and Micro), Cetacea (Mystoceti and Odontoceti),	
Proboscidia (Indian Elephant and African Elephant), Ungulata (Perissodactyla	
1 1000serura (maran Erephant and Affican Erephant), Ongarata (1 erissociaetyra i	
and Artiodactyla) and Primates (Platyrhini and Catarhini) with examples.	

Chapter 8: Dentition in mammals

- Definition, structure of molar tooth.
- Types Morphological, based on attachment, succession and kinds of teeth. Significance of teeth.

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- Dental formula (Horse, Dog, Man, Cat, Rabbit and Elephant)
- Pattern of cheek teeth (Bunodont, Secodont, Selenodont and Lophodont).
- Evolution of molar tooth.

Practical Paper: Animal Diversity - II (PROTOCHORDATA TO MAMMALIA)

Course Title	Animal Diversity - II (PROTOCHORDATA TO MAMMALIA)	Practical Credits	2
Course Code	DSCZOO-P2	Contact Hours	45 hrs.
Formative	10 Marks	Summative	40 Marks
Assessment		Assessment	

Course Pre-requisite(s):

Course Articulation Matrix: Mapping of Course Outcomes (COs) with Program Outcomes (POs)

Course Out comes(COs)/(POs)	DSCZOOP1	DSCZOOP2	
I Core competency		X	
II Critical thinking		X	_
III Analytical reasoning		X	
IV Research skills		X	
V Team work		X	

Course Articulation Matrix relates course out comes of course with the corresponding program out comes whose attainment is attempted in this course. Mark 'X' in the inter section cell if a course outcome addresses a particular program outcome.

Practical Content

- a. **Protochordata**: *Herdmania* and *Amphioxus*, T.S. of *Amphioxus* through pharynx and intestine.
- b. **Cyclostoma:** *Petromyzon*, *Ammocoete larva* and *Myxine*.

Pisces:

- a. Cartilaginous Fishes: Narcine, Trygon, Pristis, Mylobatis.
- b. Bony Fishes: Zebra fish, *Hippocampus, Muraena, Ostracion, Tetradon, Pleuronectus, Diodon and Echeneis* (Any four).
- c. Ornamental fishes: *Siamese*, *Koi*, *Oscar*, Betta Sp. *Neon tetra*, *Guppies*, Goldfish, Angel fish, Rainbow fish, *Molliesese*.
- d. Accessory respiratory organs: Saccobranchus, Clarias and Anabas.

Amphibia:

a. Rana, Bufo, Ambystoma, Axolotl larva, Necturus and Ichthyophis.

Reptilia:

a. Turtle, Tortoise, Mabuya, Calotes, Chameleon, Varanus.

snakes – *Dryophis*, Rat snake, *Brahmini*, *Cobra*, *Krait*, *Russell's viper* and *Hydrophis* (Any four).

Aves:

a. Beak and feet modification in Duck, Crow, Sparrow, Parrot, Kingfisher, Eagle or Hawk. (Any four).

Mammalia:

a. Mongoose, Squirrel, Pangolin, Hedge Hog, Rat, Loris (Any four).

Mounting: Preparation of whole mount of fish scale.

Virtual dissection/Cultured specimens: (Use of Dissected Animal or Photograph or Model)

- a. Shark/Bony fish: Afferent and Efferent branchial systems, glosso- pharyngeal and vagus nerves.
- b. Rat: Dissection (only demonstration)- Circulatory system (arterial and venous), Urinogenital system of both male and female rat.

Note: Field visit to nearby National park/ Wildlife sanctuary/ any National laboratory at the end of semester is compulsory and the report of this is to be submitted along with practical record as a part of practical examination.

Pedagogy:

Formative Assessment for Practical		
Assessment Occasion/type	Marks	
House Examination/Test	5	
Written Assessment/Presentation/Project/Term Papers/Seminars	5	
Total	10 Marks	
Formative Assessment as per NEP guidelines are compulsory		

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Scheme of Practical Examination

I - Semester

PAPER I: [Code: DSCZOO-P1]: Systematics and Animal Diversity – I (Protozoa to Hemichordata)

(Practical based on code DSCZOO-T1)

Duration: 03 hrs. Max Marks: 40

I. Identify the system and describe with a neat labelled diagram.

[Earthworm/Cockroach (Nervous system/Digestive system).

(07 M)

II. Mounting / camera lucida (Principle and Procedure, drawing). (04 M)

[Mouthparts of Cockroach/Honey bee/Housefly or setae of earthworm].

(6X4 = 24 M)

III. Identify & comment on spotters A to F with labelled diagrams.

IV. Class Records. (05 M)

Scheme of Valuation

I - Dissection - 05M; Display - 02M

II – Mounting – 02M; Comments – 02M

III – Identification & classification – 01M; Diagram & comments – 03M

IV – Identification – 01M; Comments – 03 M

II Semester

PAPER II: [Code: DSCZOO-P2]

Animal Diversity - II (PROTOCHORDATA TO MAMMALIA) (Practical Based on code DSCZOO-T2)

Duration: 3 hrs. Max Marks: 40

Scheme of Examination

Identify the system and describe with a neat labelled diagram. I.

[07M]

- a. [Shark Afferent/Efferent/Cranial nerves;
- b. {Rat Circulatory system / Urinogenital system}
 - i. (Arterial/venous) (Male/Female)

II. Mounting of Scales [04M]

(Placoid / Ctenoid / Cycloid)

III. Identification and comment on spotters - A to F [6X4 = 24M]

IV. Class Records. [05 M]

Scheme of Valuation

- I. Identification of the system -02M; Flag labeling -06M (Minimum 06 labels)
- II. Mounting -3M; Diagram & Comments -02M
- III. Identification with classification -01M; Diagram & Comments -02 M
- IV. Identification -01 M; comments -02 M.

Scheme of Internal Assessment Marks:

Theory:

Sl.	Particulars	IA
No.		Marks
1	Attendance	05
2	Internal Tests (Minimum of Two)	10
3	Assignments /Seminar / Case Study / Project work / Reports on -	05
	Field visits made for observation and collection of data etc.,	
	TOTAL Theory IA Marks	20

Practicals:

Sl.	Particulars	IA
No.		Marks
1	Practical Test	05
2	Active participation in practical classes (Attendance)	05
	TOTAL Theory IA Marks	10