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ZOOLOGY SYLLABUS FOR III SEMESTER ZOOLOGY - PAPER - III CYTOLOGY, GENETICS AND EVOLUTION

Unit - I

1. Cytology - I

- 1.1 Definition, history, prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells.
- 1.2 Electron microscopic structure of eukaryotic cell.
- 1.3 Plasma membrane –Different models of plasma membrane.

Unit - II

2. Cell organelles

- 2.1 Structure and functions of Endoplasmic Reticulum
- 2.2 Structure and functions of Golgi apparatus
- 2.3 Structure and functions of Lysosomes
- 2.4 Structure and functions of Ribosomes
- 2.5 Structure and functions of Mitochondria
- 2.6. Chromatin Structure and significance, Chromosomes Structure, types, functions

Unit - III

3.1 Genetics – I

- 3.1.1 Structure of DNA (Watson & Crick model)
- 3.1.2 Replication of DN
- 3.1.3 Types of RNA.

Unit - IV

4.1 Genetics – II

- 4.1.1 Mendel's work on transmission on traits
- 4.1.2 Sex determination
- 4.1.3 Sex linked inheritance
- 4.1.4 Sex limited genes, Sex influenced genes
- 4.1.5 Human karyotyping

Unit - V

5.1 Evolution

- 5.1.1 Origin of life
- 5.1.2 Lamarckism, Darwinism, Neo Darwinism, Hardy-Weinberg Equilibrium.
- 5.1.3 Variations, isolating mechanisms, natural selection
- 5.1.4 Types of natural selection (directional, stabilizing, disruptive)
- 5.1.5 Artificial selection and forces of evolution
- 5.1.6 Speciation (Allopatric and Sympatric)

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ZOOLOGY - PAPER - IV

EMBRYOLOGY, PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

Unit - I

1.1 Embryology

- 1.1.1 Gametogenesis
- 1.1.2 Fertilization
- 1.1.3 Types of eggs
- 1.1.4 Types of cleavages
- 1.2 Formation and functions of Foetal membrane in chick embryo
- 1.3 Development, types and functions of Placenta in mammals

Unit - II

2.1 Physiology - I

- 2.1.1 Elementary study of process of digestion
- 2.1.2 Absorption of digested food
- 2.1.3 Respiration Pulmonary ventilation, transport of oxygen and carbon-dioxide
- 2.1.4 Circulation Structure and functioning of heart, Cardiac cycle
- 2.1.5 Excretion Structure of nephron, urine formation, counter current mechanism

Unit - III

3.1 Physiology - II

- 3.1.1 Nerve impulse transmission Resting membrane potential, origin and propagation of action potentials along myelinated and non-myelinated nerve fibers
- 3.1.2 Muscle contraction Ultra structure of muscle fibre, molecular and chemical basis of muscle contraction
- 3.1.3 Endocrine glands Structure, secretions and the functions (of hormones) of pituitary, thyroid, parathyroid, adrenal glands and pancreas
- 3.1.4 Hormonal control of reproduction in a mammal

Unit - IV

4.1 Ecology - I

4.1.1 Meaning and scope of Ecology

- 4.1.2 Ecosystem abiotic and biotic factors
- 4.1.3 Nutrient cycles Nitrogen, carbon and phosphorus
- 4.1.4Components of Ecosystem (Example:lake), food chains and food web, energy flow in ecosystem

Unit - V

5.1 Ecology - II

- 5.1.1 Habitat and ecological niche
- 5.1.2 Community interactions Mutualism, commensalism, parasitism, competition, predation
- 5.1.3. Population studies

5.2 Zoogeography

- 5.2.1 Zoogeographical regions
- 5.2.2 Study of physical and faunal peculiarities of Oriental, Australian and Ethiopian regions
- 5.2.3. Biodiversity in India, Threatened species in India.

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR III SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - III

CYTOLOGY, GENETICS AND EVOLUTION

Periods: 24 Max. Marks: 50

I. Cytology

- 1. Preparation of temporary slides of Mitotic divisions with onion root tips
- 2. Observation of various stages of Mitosis and Meiosis with prepared slides
- 3. Mounting of salivary gland chromosomes of Chiranomous

II. Genetics

- 1. Study of Mendelian inheritance using suitable examples
- 2. Study of human karyotypes

III. Evolution

- 1. Study of fossil evidences
- 2. Study of homology and analogy from suitable specimens and pictures
- 3. Phylogeny of horse with pictures
- 4. Darwin's finches (pictures)
- 5. Visit to natural history museum and submission of report

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ZOOLOGY PRACTICAL SYLLABUS FOR IV SEMESTER

ZOOLOGY - PAPER - IV

EMBRYOLOGY, PHYSIOLOGY AND ECOLOGY

Periods: 24 Max. Marks: 50

I. Embryology

- 1. Study of T.S. of testis, ovary of a mammal
- 2. Study of different stages of cleavages (2, 4, 8 cell stages)
- 3. Study of chick embryos of 18 hours, 24 hours, 33 hours and 48 hours of incubation

II. Physiology

- 1. Qualitative tests for identification of carbohydrates, proteins and fats
- 2. Qualitative tests for identification of ammonia, urea and uric acid
- 3. Study of activity of salivary amylase under optimum conditions
- 4. Study of prepared slides of T.S. of duodenum, liver, lung, kidney, spinal cord, bone and cartilage

III. Ecology

- 1. Determination of pH of given sample
- 2. Estimation of dissolved oxygen of given sample
- 3. Estimation of total alkalinity of given sample
- 4. Estimation of salinity of given sample