

BARRACKPORE RASTRAGURU SURENDRANATH COLLEGE

Department of Zoology ACADEMIC CALENDER_CBCS

Session 2018-2019

Zoology (Core)

Semester I : ZOOACOR01T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Non-Chordates

Faculty: Dr. Debratna Mukhopadhyay

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	<p>Protista, Parazoa and Metazoa</p> <p>General characteristics and Classification up to classes</p> <p>Study of <i>Euglena</i>, <i>Amoeba</i> and <i>Paramecium</i></p> <p>Life cycle and pathogenicity of <i>Giardia intestinalis</i>, <i>Leishmania donovani</i>, <i>Entamoeba histolytica</i> and <i>Plasmodium vivax</i></p> <p>Locomotion and Reproduction in Protista</p> <p>Evolution of symmetry and segmentation of Metazoa</p>		19 classes	12	7				
Unit 2:	<p>Porifera</p> <p>General characteristics and Classification up to classes</p> <p>Canal system and spicules in sponges</p>		7 classes		7				

Unit 3:	Cnidaria General characteristics and Classification up to classes Metagenesis in <i>Obelia</i> Polymorphism in Cnidaria Corals and coral reefs: types, formation, distribution, conservation significance		12 classes		2	10			
Unit 4:	Ctenophora General characteristics		4 Classes			4			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 5:	Platyhelminthes General characteristics and Classification up to classes Life cycle and pathogenicity of <i>Fasciola hepatica</i> and <i>Taenia solium</i>		10 Classes				4	6	
SEM- 1 FIELD EXCURSION (October): 1 week (4 lecture hours)							4		
Unit 6:	Nemathelminthes General characteristics and Classification up to classes Life cycle, and pathogenicity of <i>Ascaris lumbricoides</i> , <i>Ancylostoma duodenale</i> and <i>Wuchereria bancrofti</i> Parasitic adaptations in helminths Origin and evolution of parasitic helminths		8 Classes					2	6
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester I : ZOOACOR01P (Lab, 2 credits= 60 classes): Non-Chordates I Lab (Practical)

Faculty: Dr. Debratna Mukhopadhyay

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1.	Study of whole mount of <i>Euglena</i> , <i>Amoeba</i> and <i>Paramecium</i> , Binary fission and Conjugation in <i>Paramecium</i>		8 classes	8					
2.	Examination of freshwater pond water collected from different places for diversity of protists in it.		8 classes	4	4				
3.	Study of <i>Sycon</i> (T.S. and L.S.), <i>Hyalonema</i> , <i>Euplectella</i> , <i>Spongilla</i>		4 classes		4				
4	Study of <i>Obelia</i> , <i>Physalia</i> , <i>Millepora</i> , <i>Aurelia</i> , <i>Tubipora</i> , <i>Corallium</i> , <i>Alcyonium</i> , <i>Gorgonia</i> , <i>Metridium</i> , <i>Pennatula</i> , <i>Fungia</i> , <i>Meandrina</i> , <i>Madrepora</i>		14 classes		8	6			
5	One specimen/slide of any Ctenophore		2 Classes			2			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4			
SEM- 1 FIELD EXCURSION (September/October): 1 week (8 lecture hours)						4	8		
Project Report on any related topic on pond water protozoan or invertebrate diversity/ life cycles of mosquitoes, butterfly/moth etc /coral and coral reefs.									
6	Study of adult <i>Fasciola hepatica</i> , <i>Taenia solium</i> and their life cycles (Slides/microphotographs)		8 Classes					8	
7	Study of adult <i>Ascaris lumbricoides</i> and its life stages (Slides/micro-photographs)		8 Classes						8

Semester I ZOOACOR02T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Ecology

Faculty: Dr. Sandip Pal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Introduction to Ecology History of ecology, Autecology and synecology, Levels of organization, Laws of limiting factors, Study of Physical factors, The Biosphere.		4 classes	4					
Unit 2:	Population Unitary and Modular populations Unique and group attributes of population: Demographic factors, life tables, fecundity tables, survivorship curves, dispersal and dispersion. Geometric, exponential and logistic growth, equation and patterns, r and K strategies Population regulation - density-dependent and independent factors Population Interactions, Gause's Principle with laboratory and field examples, Lotka-Volterra equation for competition.		20 classes	8	12				

Unit 3:	Community Community characteristics: species diversity, abundance, dominance, richness, Vertical stratification, Ecotone and edge effect. Ecological succession and one example of it.		12 classes		4	8			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 4:	Ecosystem Types of ecosystem Food chain: Detritus and grazing food chains, Linear and Y-shaped food chains, Food web, Energy flow Ecological pyramids Ecological efficiencies Nutrient and biogeochemical cycle		14 classes			6	4	4	
SEM- 1 FIELD EXCURSION (October): 1 week (4 lecture hours)							4		
Unit 5:	Applied Ecology Wildlife Conservation (in-situ and ex-situ conservation). Management strategies for tiger conservation; Wild life protection act (1972)		10 classes					4	6
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester I : ZOOACOR02P (Lab, 2 credits= 60 classes): Ecology Lab (Practical)

Faculty: Dr. Sandip Pal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	1. Study of life tables and plotting of survivorship curves of different types from the hypothetical/real data provided		12 classes	12					
2.	Determination of population density of a natural/hypothetical population. Study of species diversity of a community by quadrat or any other suitable sampling method and calculation of Shannon-Weiner diversity index for the same community.		16 classes	4	16				
3.	3. Study of an aquatic ecosystem: Sampling of Phytoplankton and zooplankton, Measurements of temperature, turbidity/penetration of light, determination of pH, and Dissolved Oxygen content (Winkler's method), Chemical Oxygen Demand and free CO ₂ .		16 classes			8		8	
MID SEM EXAM (September) (8 hours)						8			
4	Excursion: Visit to a National Park/Wild life sanctuary/ any other Protected Forests within West Bengal. Report (including the actual field diary) on the study of the landscape and habitat features, Types of Forests, Major Flora and Fauna, Man-animal conflicts and other problems, Management and conservation measures		16 classes				8		8

GE COURSES

Semester I: ZOOHGEC01T: Animal Diversity Theory (Credits 4)

Faculty: Dr. Papri Saha & Supratick Seal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:50	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Kingdom Protista		3classes	3					
Unit 2:	Phylum Porifera		3 classes	3					
Unit 3:	Phylum Cnidaria		3 classes		3				
Unit 4:	Phylum Platyhelminthes		3 Classes		3				
Unit 5:	Phylum Nematoda		3 Classes		3				
Unit 6:	Phylum Annelida		3 Classes			3			
Unit 7	Phylum Arthropoda		5 Classes			5			
MID SEM I exam (September)						4			
Unit-8	Phylum Mollusca		3 Classes				3		
Unit-9	Phylum Echinodermata		4 Classes				2	2	

Unit-10	Protochordates		2 Classes	2					
Unit-11	Agnatha		2 Classes	2					
Unit-12	Pisces		3 Classes	2	1				
Unit-13	Amphibia		3 Classes		3				
Unit-14	Reptiles		4 Classes					4	
Unit-15	Aves		3 Classes				3		
Unit-16 als	Mammals		3 Classes					2	1
	Preparation (Remedial/Tutorial)								9
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester I ZOOHGEC01P :Animal Diversity Lab(Credits 2) (Practical):

Faculty: Dr. Papri Saha & Supratick Seal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	Spot identification		24 classes	12	12				
2.	Study of male and female <i>Ascaris</i>		12 classes		4	8			
MID SEM EXAM (September) (4 hours)						4			
3.	Identification of poisonous and non-poisonous snakes		12 classes			4	8		
4	An “animal album”		12 classes					8	4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): 4 hours									4

Semester II ZOOACOR03T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Non-Chordates II

Faculty: Dr. Debratna Mukhopadhyay

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	January (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	February (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	March (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	April (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	May (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	June (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Introduction to Coelomates Evolution of coelom and metamerism		2 classes	2					
Unit 2:	Annelida General characteristics and Classification up to classes Excretion in Annelida		4 classes	4					
Unit 3:	Arthropoda General characteristics and Classification up to classes Vision and Respiration in Arthropoda Metamorphosis in Insects Social life in bees and termites		16 classes	2	12	2			
Unit 4:	Onychophora General characteristics and Evolutionary significance		4 Classes			4			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 5:	Mollusca General characteristics and Classification up to classes Respiration in Mollusca Torsion and detorsion in Gastropoda Pearl formation		12 Classes			4	8		

	in bivalves Evolutionary significance of trochophore larva								
Unit 6:	Echinodermata General characteristics and Classification up to classes Water-vascular system in Asteroidea Larval forms in Echinodermata Affinities with Chordates		12 Classes				4	8	
	Hemichordata General characteristics of phylum Hemichordata. Phylogenetic relationship with non-chordates and chordates (only recent concept)*		10 classes					4	6
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester II ZOOACOR03P (Practicals, 2 credits = 60 classes): Non-Chordates II Lab

Faculty: Dr. Debratna Mukhopadhyay

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	January (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	February (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	March (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	April (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	May (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	June (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	Study of following specimens: <i>Annelids - Aphrodita, Nereis, Heteronereis, Sabella, Serpula, Chaetopterus, Pheretima, Hirudinaria</i> Arthropods - Limulus, Palamnaeus, Palaemon, Daphnia, Balanus, Sacculina, Cancer, Eupagurus, Scolopendra,		20 classes	12	8				

	<i>Julus, Bombyx, Periplaneta</i> , termites and honey bees Onychophora - <i>Peripatus</i> Molluscs - <i>Chiton, Dentalium,</i> <i>Pila, Doris, Helix, Unio, Ostrea,</i> <i>Pinctada, Sepia, Octopus,</i> <i>Nautilus</i> Echinodermates - <i>Pentaceros/Asterias, Ophiura,</i> <i>Clypeaster, Echinus, Cucumaria</i> and <i>Antedon</i> Hemichordates- <i>Saccoglossus</i>							
2.	Digestive system, septal nephridia and pharyngeal nephridia of earthworm 3. T.S. through pharynx, gizzard, and typhlosolar intestine of earthworm		12 classes		8	4		
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4		
3.	Mount of mouth parts and dissection of digestive system and nervous system of <i>Periplaneta</i> 5.		12 classes		8	4		
4	To submit a Project Report (mostly literature review) on any related topic to larval forms (crustacean, mollusc and echinoderm)		16 classes			4	8	4
5	Revision and Checking Project Report							4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): Central Grand Viva								

Semester II ZOOACOR04T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Cell Biology
Faculty: Dr. Sujata De Chaudhuri

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	January (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	February (3 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 12	March (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	April (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	May (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	June (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Overview of Cells Prokaryotic and Eukaryotic cells, Virus, Viroids, Mycoplasma, Prions		8 classes	8					
Unit 2:	Plasma Membrane Various models of plasma membrane structure Transport across membranes: Active and Passive transport, Facilitated transport Cell junctions: Tight junctions, Desmosomes, Gap junctions Extracellular Matrix-Cell Interactions		10 classes		10				
Unit 3:	Endomembrane System Structure and Functions: Endoplasmic Reticulum, Golgi Apparatus, Lysosomes		4 classes		2	2			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 4:	Mitochondria and Peroxisomes Mitochondria: Structure, Semi-autonomous nature, Endosymbiotic hypothesis Mitochondrial Respiratory Chain, Chemi-osmotic hypothesis Peroxisomes		4 Classes			4			
Unit 5:	Cytoskeleton Structure and Functions: Microtubules,		4 Classes			4			

	Microfilaments and Intermediate filaments								
Unit 6:	Nucleus Structure of Nucleus: Nuclear envelope, Nuclear pore complex, Nucleolus Chromatin: Euchromatin and Heterochromatin and packaging (nucleosome)		10 Classes				10		
	Cell Division Mitosis and Meiosis Cell cycle and its regulation Cancer (Concept of oncogenes and tumor suppressor genes) Mechanisms of cell death: brief overview		10 classes				2	8	
Unit 7:	Cell Signaling Cell signalling transduction pathways; Types of signaling molecules and receptors GPCR and Role of second messenger (cAMP)		10					4	6
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester II ZOOACOR04P (Practicals, 2 credits = 60 classes): Cell Biology Lab
Faculty: Dr. Sujata De Chaudhuri

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	January (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	February (3 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 12	March (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	April (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	May (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	June (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	Preparation of temporary stained squash of onion root tip to study various stages of mitosis		12 classes	8	4				
2.	Study of various stages of meiosis (in pre-prepared slides and/or in photographs obtained from websites).		12 classes		8	4			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4			
3.	Preparation of permanent slide to show the presence of Barr body in human female blood cells/cheek cells.		12 classes			4	8		
4	Preparation of permanent slide to demonstrate: a. DNA by Feulgen reaction b. Mucopolysaccharides by PAS reaction c. Proteins by Mercurobromophenol blue/Fast Green		16 classes				4	12	
5	Cell viability study by Trypan Blue staining		8						8
END SEM EXAM (December/January): Central Grand Viva									

GE COURSES

Semester II: ZOOHGEC02T, Physiology and Biochemistry Theory (Credits 4)

Faculty: Dr. Papri Saha & Supratick Seal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:50	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Nerve and muscle		8classes	3					
Unit 2:	Digestion		5 classes	3					
Unit 3:	Respiration		5 classes		3				
Unit 4:	Excretion		5 Classes		3				
Unit 5:	Cardio vascular System		6 Classes		3				
Unit 6:	Reproduction and Endocrine glands		7 Classes			3			
Unit 7	Carbohydrate: Structure and Metabolism		8 Classes			5			
MID SEM I exam (September)						4			
Unit-8	Lipid: Structure and Metabolism		5 Classes				3		
Unit-9	Protein: Structure and Metabolism		5 Classes				2	2	
Unit-10	Enzymes		4 Classes	2					
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester II ZOOHGEC02P: Physiology and Biochemistry Lab (Credits 2)

Faculty: Dr. Papri Saha & Supratick Seal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	Preparation of Haemin Crystals		8 classes	8					
2.	Identification of Histological tissues		12 classes	4	8				
3.	Qualitative tests for carbohydrates		16 classes		8	8			
MID SEM EXAM (September) (4 hours)						4			
4	Quantitative estimation of Proteins		16 classes			4	8	4	
5	Study of salivary amylase		8 Classes					4	4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): 4 hours									4

Semester III

ZOOACOR05T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Chordates

Faculty: Dr. Sujata De Chaudhuri

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Introduction to Chordates General characteristics and outline classification of Phylum Chordata		2 classes	2					
Unit 2:	Protochordata General characteristics and classification of sub-phylum Urochordata and Cephalochordata up to Classes. Metamorphosis in Ascidia Chordate Features and Feeding in Branchiostoma		8 classes	8					
Unit 3:	Origin of Chordata Dipleurula concept and the Echinoderm theory of origin of chordates Advanced features of vertebrates over Protochordata		4 classes	2	2				
Unit 4:	Agnatha General characteristics and classification of cyclostomes up to order		2 Classes		2				

Unit 5:	Pisces General characteristics and classification of Chondrichthyes and Osteichthyes up to Subclasses Accessory respiratory organ, migration and parental care in fishes Swim bladder in fishes. Classification up to Sub-Classes		10 Classes		10				
Unit 6:	Amphibia General characteristics and classification up to living Orders Metamorphosis and parental care in Amphibia		6 Classes		2	4			
Unit 7:	Reptilia General characteristics and classification up to living Orders Poison apparatus and Biting mechanism in Snake		6 Classes			6			
Unit 8:	Aves General characteristics and		6 Classes			4	2		

	<p>classification up to Sub-Classes</p> <p>Exoskeleton and migration in Birds</p> <p>Principles and aerodynamics of flight</p>								
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 9:	<p>Mammals</p> <p>General characters and classification up to living orders</p> <p>Phylogenetic significance of Prototheria</p> <p>Exoskeleton derivatives of mammals</p> <p>Adaptive radiation in mammals with reference to locomotory appendages</p> <p>Echolocation in Microchiropterans and Cetaceans</p>		10 Classes			6	4		
Unit 10:	<p>Zoogeography</p> <p>Zoogeographical realms,</p> <p>Plate tectonic and Continental drift theory,</p> <p>Distribution of birds and mammals in different</p>		6 Classes				4	2	

	realms								
Revision									4
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester III

ZOOACOR05P (Practicals, 2 credits= 60 classes): Chordates Lab

Faculty: Dr. Sujata De Chaudhuri

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	<p>Protochordata <i>Herdmania, Branchiostoma,</i> Colonial Urochordates;</p> <p>Sections of Balanoglossus through proboscis and branchiogenital regions,</p> <p>Sections of Amphioxus through pharyngeal, intestinal and caudal regions,</p> <p><i>Herdmania</i> spicules</p>		8 classes	8					
2.	<p>Agnatha <i>Petromyzon, Myxine</i></p>		2 classes	2					
3.	<p>Fishes <i>Scoliodon, Sphyrna, Pristis, Torpedo, Chimaera, Mystus, Heteropneustes, Labeo, Exocoetus, Echeneis, Anguilla, Hippocampus, Tetraodon, Anabas, Flat fish</i></p>		10 classes	2	8				

4	Amphibia Ichthyophis/Ureotyphlus, Necturus, Bufo, Hyla, Alytes, Salamandra		4 classes		4				
5	Reptilia Chelone, Trionyx, Hemidactylus, Varanus, Uromastix, Chamaeleon, Ophiosaurus, Draco, Bungarus, Vipera, Naja, Hydrophis, Zamenis, Crocodylus Key for Identification of poisonous and non-poisonous snakes		16 Classes		4	12			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4			
6	Aves Study of six common birds from different orders (Stork, Owl/Falcon, Sun Bird, Jacanna, Duck)- types of beaks and claws		4 Classes				4		
7	Mammalia Sorex, Bat (Insectivorous and Frugivorous), Funambulus, Loris, Herpestes, Erinaceous		4 Classes				4		
8	Mount of weberian ossicles of Mystus or Grass Carp, Pecten from Fowl head, Dissection of Fowl head/ Power point presentation on study of any two animals from two different classes by students (may be included if dissections		12 Classes					8	4

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Project Report Checking									4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): Central Grand Viva									

Semester III

ZOOACOR06T (Theory, 4 credits= 60 classes): Physiology: Controlling and Coordinating Systems

Faculty: Dr. Sandip Pal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Tissues Structure, locations, classification and functions of epithelial tissues, connective tissues, muscular tissues and nerve tissues		6 classes	6					
Unit 2:	Bone and Cartilage Structure and types of bones and cartilages, Ossification		4 classes	4					
Unit 3:	Nervous System Structure of neuron, resting membrane potential, Origin of action potential and its propagation across the myelinated and unmyelinated nerve fibers; Types of synapse, Synaptic transmission and		10 classes	2	8				

	Neuromuscular junction; Reflex action and its types								
Unit 4:	Muscular system Histology of different types of muscle; Ultra structure of skeletal muscle; Molecular and chemical basis of muscle contraction; Characteristics of muscle fiber		10 Classes		8	2			
Unit 5:	Reproductive System Histology of testis and ovary; Physiology of Reproduction		6 Classes			6			
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 6:	Endocrine System Histology and function of pituitary, thyroid, pancreas and adrenal; Classification of hormones; Mechanism of Hormone action; Signal transduction pathways for Steroidal and Non steroidal hormones; Hypothalamus (neuroendocrine gland) - principal nuclei involved in neuroendocrine control of anterior pituitary and endocrine system; Placental hormones		24 Classes			6	8	8	2
Revision									4
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester III

ZOOACOR06P (Practicals, 2 credits= 60 classes): Physiology: Controlling and Coordinating Systems) Lab

Faculty: Dr. Sandip Pal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2credits	Lectures/ Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/H ours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/ Hours: 8
1.	Recording of simple muscle twitch with electrical stimulation (or Virtual)		12 classes	12					
2.	Preparation of temporary mounts: Squamous epithelium, Striated muscle fibers and nerve cells		16 classes		16				
3.	Study of permanent slides of Mammalian skin, Cartilage, Bone, Spinal cord, Nerve cell, Pituitary, Pancreas, Testis, Ovary, Adrenal, Thyroid		16 classes			12	4		
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4			
4	Microtomy: Preparation of permanent slide of any five (lung, salivary gland, stomach, small intestine, large intestine only) mammalian (white rat) tissues		16 classes				4	8	4

Revision									4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): Central Grand Viva									

Semester III GE Courses ZOOHGEC03T: Insect, Vectors and Diseases Theory (Credits4)

Faculty:Dr. Papri Saha & Supratick Seal

Paper Units	Course Content	Credit-4 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours:60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
Unit 1:	Introduction to Insects General Features of Insects, Morphological features, Head – Eyes, Types of antennae, Mouth parts with respect to feeding habit		6 classes	6					
Unit 2:	Concept of Vectors Brief introduction to Vectors (mechanical and biological), Reservoirs, Host-vector relationship, Adaptations as vectors, Host specificity		6 classes	6					
Unit 3:	Insects as Vectors		8 classes		8				

	Detailed features of insect orders as vectors– Diptera, Siphonoptera, Siphunculata, Hemiptera								
Unit 4:	Dipteran as Disease Vectors Study of important Dipteran vectors– Mosquitoes, Sand fly, Houseflies Study of mosquito-borne diseases – Malaria, Dengue, Chikungunya, Viral encephalitis, Filariasis Control of mosquitoes		20 Classes		8	12			
Unit 5:	Siphonaptera as Disease Vectors Fleas as important insect vectors; Host-specificity of fleas; Study of Flea-borne disease– Plague, Typhus fever s; Control		8 Classes			2	6		
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (2 hours)						2			
Unit 6:	Siphunculata as Disease Vectors Human louse (Head, Body and Pubic louse) as important insect vectors; Control of human louse		6 Classes				2	4	
Unit 7			6 Classes					4	2

	Hemiptera as Disease Vectors Bugs as insect vectors; Blood-sucking bug; Chagas disease, Bed bugs as mechanical vectors, Control and prevention measures								
Revision									4
END SEM EXAM (December): 1 week (2 Lecture hours)									2

Semester III ZOOHGE C03P: Insect Vectors and Diseases Lab (Credits 2)

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Paper Units	Course Content	Credit: 2 credits	Lectures/Teaching Hours: 60	July (3 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 12	August (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	September (4 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 16	October (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	November (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8	December (2 weeks) Lectures/Hours: 8
1.	Mounting and Study of different kinds of mouth parts of insects		12 classes	12					
2.	Spot identification of following insect vectors through permanent slides/photographs: <i>Aedes</i> , <i>Culex</i> , <i>Anopheles</i> , <i>Pediculus humanuscapitis</i> , <i>Pediculus humanuscorporis</i> , <i>Phthiruspubis</i> , <i>Xenopsylla cheopis</i> , <i>Cimex lectularius</i> , <i>Phlebotomus argentipes</i> , <i>Musca domestica</i>		16 classes		16				

3.	Study of different diseases transmitted by above insect vectors		16 classes			12	4		
MID SEM EXAM (September) 1 week (4 hours)						4			
4	Submission of a project report on any one of the insect vectors and disease transmitted		16 classes				4	8	4
Revision									4
END SEM EXAM (December/January): Central Grand Viva									