

**A.S.D.GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE FOR (W),(A), KAKINADA  
DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY**

**I B.Sc., BOTANY HONOURS - 2024-2025**

Semester - I

**Course I INTRODUCTION TO CLASSICAL BIOLOGY**

**Course Code: BSCB24101**

**Course Outcomes :**

**CO1:** Understand the principles of Nomenclature, classification, conservation of Biodiversity, causes, effects and prevention of environmental pollution.

**CO2:** Understand the plant taxonomic, physiological and reproductive processes and apply the knowledge of Economic Botany for entrepreneurship.

**CO3:** Understand the animal classification, physiology, embryonic development and apply the knowledge gained in Economic Zoology to grow into Entrepreneurs.

**CO4:** Differentiate prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, understand the basic structure and functions of cell organelles, basic concepts of Molecular Biology and Origin of life.

**CO5:** Comprehend the chemical principles of Chemistry and apply them in daily life and develop responsibility towards environment by applying the concepts of Green Chemistry.

**Course:II INTRODUCTION TO APPLIED BIOLOGY**

**Course Code: BSCB24102**

**Course Outcomes :**

**CO1:** Understand the history, ultrastructure, diversity and importance of microorganisms.

**CO2:** Understand the structure and functions of macromolecules.

**CO3:** Acquire the knowledge on biotechnology principles and its applications in food and medicine.

**CO4:** Compare the techniques, tools and their uses in diagnosis and therapy.

**CO5:** Demonstrate the bioinformatics and statistical tools in comprehending the complex biological data.

**BOTANY SEMESTER II - Course –III**  
**NON-VASCULAR PLANTS (Algae, Fungi, Lichens and Bryophytes)**  
**Course Code: BOT24201**

**Course Outcomes :**

- CO 1 :** Compile the general characteristics of algae and their significance in nature.
- CO 2:** Compare and contrast the characteristics of different groups of Algae
- CO 3 :** Summarize the important features of fungi and their economic value.
- CO 4 :** Distinguish the characteristics of different groups of fungi.
- CO 5 :** Explain the diversity among non-vascular plants and to get awareness on origin and evolution of life.

**BOTANY SEMESTER II - Course -IV**  
**ORIGIN OF LIFE AND DIVERSITY OF MICROBES**

**Course Code: BOT24202**

**Course Outcomes :** On the completion of the course the student should be able to

- CO 1 :** To get awareness on importance of microbes in nature and agriculture. Illustrate diversity of viruses, multiplication and economic value.
- CO 2 :** Discuss the general characteristics, classification and economic importance of special groups of bacteria.
- CO 3 :** Explain the structure, nutrition, reproduction and significance of eubacteria.
- CO 4 :** Evaluate the interactions among soil microbes.
- CO 5 :** Compile the value and applications of microbes in agriculture

**BOTANY SEMESTER III – Course -V**  
**Vascular Plants**  
**(Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms and Taxonomy of Angiosperms)**

**Course code: Bot 23301**

On successful completion of this practical course, student shall be able to:

- CO 1 .:** Infer the evolution of vasculature, heterospory and seed habit in Pteridophytes
- CO 2 .:** Illustrate the general characteristics of Gymnosperms along with their uses
- CO 3 .:** Discuss about some Taxonomic aids and their applications in plant systematics
- CO 4 .:** Compare and contrast the vegetative and floral characteristics of some angiospermic families
- CO 5 :** Evaluate the economic value of plant species from the families under the study

## **BOTANY SEMESTER III – Course -VI**

### **Plant Pathology and Plant Diseases**

**Course code: Bot 23302**

- CO 1 :** Identify major groups of plant pathogens and classify plant diseases.
- CO 2 :** Explain various stages in infection, plant pathogenesis and responsible factors
- CO 3 :** Elaborate the preventive and control measures for plant diseases
- CO 4 :** Discuss about some diseases of field crops and their management
- CO 5 :** Discuss about some diseases of horticultural crops and their management

## **BOTANY SEMESTER III – Course -VII**

### **Plant Breeding**

**Course code: Bot 23303**

- CO 1 :** Compare and contrast the methods of reproduction and also pollination mechanisms
- CO 2 :** Design appropriate pollination method for a given crop plant.
- CO 3 :** Recommend the best possible breeding method for a crop species.
- CO 4 :** Propose the steps for production of hybrid varieties of crop plants
- CO 5 :** Apply molecular techniques to develop a tailored plant variety

## **BOTANY SEMESTER III – Course -VIII**

### **Plant Biotechnology**

**Course code: Bot 23304**

- CO 1 :** Explain the scientific techniques and tools used in plant tissue culture laboratories
- CO 2 :..** Appraise the applications of plant tissue culture in agriculture and horticulture sectors
- CO 3 :** Acquire skills related to various aspects in plant tissue culture.
- CO 4 :** Evaluate the role of transgenic plants in solving certain plant related beneficiary issues
- CO 5 :** Justify the role of plant biotechnology in bioenergy and phytoremediation

**BOTANY SEMESTER IV Course -IX**  
**Anatomy and Embryology of Angiosperms.**  
**Course code: Bot 23401**

- CO 1 :** Categorize various tissues and evaluate their role in plants  
**CO 2 :..** Explain anomalous secondary growth in some plants and justify the value of timber plants.  
**CO 3 :** Summarize the events in micro-sporogenesis and development of male gametophyte  
**CO 4 :** Discuss the events in mega-sporogenesis and development of female gametophyte  
**CO 5 :** Propose the incidents in embryogenesis of an angiospermic plant species

**BOTANY SEMESTER IV Course -X**  
**Plant Ecology, Biodiversity and Phytogeography**  
**Course code: Bot 23402**

- CO 1 :** Explain the interactions among the biotic and abiotic components in an ecosystem  
**CO 2 :..** Summarize the characteristics of a population and a community.  
**CO 3:** Anticipate the environmental problems arising due to climate change.  
**CO 4 :** Assess the value of biodiversity and choose appropriate conservation strategy.  
**CO 5 :** Make a survey on the distribution of various plant groups in a specified geographical area.

**BOTANY SEMESTER IV Course -XI**  
**Plant Resources and Utilization**  
**Course code: Bot 23403**

- CO 1:** Explain the significance of plants in human nutrition.  
**CO 2:** List out different plant products used by human beings.  
**CO 3:** Evaluate the commercial plant products and their utilization  
**CO 4:** Discuss the uses of medicinal and aromatic plants for human health care.  
**CO 5 :** Appraise the importance of timber and non-timber products for value added products

**BOTANY SEMESTER V**  
**Course 6A : PLANT PROPAGATION**

- CO 1 :** Make use of different plant propagation structures for plant multiplication.
- CO 2 :** Assess the benefits of Asexual Propagation of Certain economically valuable plants  
Apomictics and Adventive Polyembryony
- CO 3 :** Demonstrate Skills related to Vegetative Propagation Techniques such as Cutting,  
Layering,
- CO 4 :** Evaluate and use a suitable Propagation technique for a given plant species
- CO 5 :** Demonstrate Skills related to Vegetative Propagation Techniques such as Grafting &  
Budding

**BOTANY SEMESTER V**  
**Course -7A: Seed Technology**

- CO 1 :** Explain the causes for seed dormancy and methods to break dormancy.
- CO 2:** Understand critical concepts of seed processing and seed storage  
procedures.
- CO 3 :** Acquire skills related to various seed testing methods.
- CO 4 :** Identify seed borne pathogens and prescribe methods to control them.
- CO 5 :** Understand the legislations on seed production and procedure of seed  
certification

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