

**Course Structure FOR
Choice Based Credit System of
B.Sc. (Zoology) Program with effect from 2020-21
School of Science, UPRTOU, Prayagraj**

Semester	Course Code	Title of Paper	Credits	Max. Marks
I	UGZY -101	Animal Physiology	2	100
	UGZY -101P	Practical Work	2	100
II	UGZY -102	Diversity of Animal life	2	100
	UGZY -102P	Practical Work	2	100
III	UGZY -103	Genetic and Cell Biology	2	100
	UGZY -103P	Practical Work	2	100
IV	UGZY -104	Hemichordata and Chordata	2	100
	UGZY -104P	Practical Work	2	100
V	Discipline Centric Elective Course			
	DCEZY -105	Animal distribution and ecology	2	100
	DCEZY -106	Taxonomy and Evolution	2	100
	DCEZY -107P	Practical Work	2	100
	Skill Enhancement Course			
	SBSZY-03	Economic zoology and environmental biology	4	100
VI	Discipline Centric Elective Course			
	DCEZY -108	Developmental Biology	2	100
	DCEZY -109	Molecular Biology and Genetic Engineering	2	100
	DCEZY -110P	Practical Work	2	100
Total Credit			36	1500

UGZY-101

Animal Physiology

Physiological processes in mammals with special references to man

Unit-1: Physiology of Digestion:

- Nutrition – Carbohydrates, Lipids, Proteins, Vitamins and Minerals
- Feeding Mechanism
- Digestive Tract and process of Digestion
- Digestive Enzymes, its Regulation and Control
- GIT System
- Absorption of products of Digestion

Unit-2: Physiology of Respiration:

- Respiratory System
- Modes of Respiration
- Structural Organization of Lungs and other Respiratory Structures
- Process of Gaseous Exchange
- Hemoglobin,
- Respiratory Gases and its Transport
- Regulation of Respiration

Unit-3: Circulatory System – Composition of body Fluids, Blood plasma:

- General plan of Circulatory Systems (Circulation)
- Structure of Mammalian Heart
- Excitation of Heart
- Cardiac Output
- Blood Vessels, Arteries, Veins and Capillaries
- Blood Flow
- Lymphatic System
- Haemostatic Mechanisms

Unit-4: Excretion

- Nitrogen Excretion with Formation of Ammonia
- Ammonotelic, Ureotelic , Urecotelic Animals
- Glomerular Filtration
- Reabsorption and Secretion in Renal Tubules
- Function and Regulation of Vertebrate Kidney

Unit-5: Osmoregulation:

- Functional Principles of Osmoregulation and membrane permeability
- Problems of Osmoregulation
- Osmoregulation in Aqueous (Fresh, Marine) and Terrestrial Environment

Unit-6: Nervous System:

- Nervous System and Nerve Cells
- Nerve Impulse, Action Potential
- Conduction of Nerve Impulse
- Synaptic Transmission, Chemical Synaptic Transmission, Post Synaptic Potential
- Neurotransmitters
- Neural Circuits

Unit-7: Muscle:

- Structure of Vertebrate Skeletal Muscle
- Mechanism and Control of Muscle Contraction
- Initiation of Muscle Contraction
- Cardiac and Smooth Muscle

Unit 8: Physiology of Endocrine System:

- Hormonal Control Mechanism
- Chemical Nature, Synthesis and Storage of Hormones
- Secretion of Hormones
- Steroid
- Thyroid and Peptide Hormones
- Neuroendocrine Connection
- Hypothalamus and Pituitary
- Regulation of Hormones
- Pheromones

UGZY-102

Diversity of Animal Life

Unit 1:

- General Characters and Classifications of protozoa up to Classes
- Locomotory Organelles
- Locomotion in Protozoa.
- Viruses- a Border Line Case between Living and Non Living things.
- Acellular and Cellular Organisms
- Prokaryotes and Eukaryotes
- Biology of Flagellated Protozoans, Amoeboid Protozoans, Spore Forming Protozoans, Ciliated Protozoans and Parasitic Protozoans

Unit- 2:

- Body Organisation
- Characteristic of Metazoa
- Symmetry: Asymmetrical, Spherical, Radial, Biradial, Bilateral
- Development patterns – Cleavage, Fate of Blastopore and Germ Layers
- Body Cavity – Pseudocoelom and Coelom
- Origin and Evolution of Metazoa
- Syncytial theory, Colonial Theory, Polyphyletic Theory

Unit-3:

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- General Characteristics and Classification of Porifera, Cnidaria, Ctenophora, Platyhelminthes and Nematoda coral reefs, polymorphism in celenterates
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Unit-4:

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- Characteristic features and Classification of Annelida , Arthropoda, Mollusca
 - Torsion and Detorsion in mollusca.
 - Echinodermata- Laval forms in Echinodermata

Unit-5:

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- Comparative Forms and Functions
 - Locomotion : Significance of Hydraulic Pressure in Locomotion, Locomotion in Coelenterates, Flatworms, Nematoda, Annelida & Arthropoda
 - Mollusca – Foot in mollusca as a Creeping and Crawling organ, burrowing Organ , Leaping organ and Swimming organ
 - Ambulance system in Echinodermata
 - Feeding and Digestion in Sponges, Coelenterates
 - Structure and function of Protonephridia , Metanephridia, Malpighian Tubules and Coelomoducts of Molluscs
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Unit-6:

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- Respiratory System – Respiratory organs, Process of Respiration , Respiratory Pigments
 - Circulatory System – Open and closed type of Circulatory System
 - Organosation of Nervous System – Nerve Cell , Neuroglia , Ganglia
 - Nervous Syatem in Platyhelminthes , Annelida , Arthropoda and Mollusoa

Unit-7:

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- Reproductive Sytsem – Formation of Special Reproductive Unit
 - Asexual Reproduction – The Gemmules, Regeneration, Autotomy and Regeneratio
 - Epitoky, Polarity and Regeneration
 - Prevalence and its Significance
 - Sexual Reproduction and its Patterns. Sexual Dimorphism, The Reproductive Organs
 - Mating and Fertilization, Ovipary , Vivipary , Ovovivipary , Hermaphroditism
 - Parthenogenesis and Metagenesis

Unit-8:

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- Adaptations and Behavioural Patterns
 - Colonial forms among Protozoans and Metozoans
 - Adaptive Radiations in Annelida , Arthropoda and Mollusca
 - Flight in Insects , Migration in Insects

UNIT-9:

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- Social organization in insects – Advantage and disadvantage of Social Behavior
 - Kinds of Honey Bees , Production of Honey, Composition of Honey, Honey Production in India
 - Industrial Products – Silk , Lac, Bees Wax, Pearl, Sponge , Dyes and Pigments

Unit-10:

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- Parasitic PLatyhelminthes – Nematoda
 - Parasitic Nematoda
 - Economic importance of Arthropods : in agriculture, soil facility, pollination, post management, food chain, scavenger

UGZY-103
Genetics and Cell Biology

Unit 1:

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- Genetic Variation, Molecular basis of genetic information
 - Human Chromosomes and Human Chromosomal Abnormalities
 - Sex Linkage and Determination in Drosophila and Man
 - Sex Chromatin Bodies
 - Dosage Compensation and Lyon's hypothesis

Unit-2:

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- Blood group and haemoglobin, Genetics in Man Inborn Errors of Metabolism in Man
 - DNA and RNA structure
 - Harchey chase experiment
 - Replication of DNA – Messelson and Stahl's Experiment

Unit-3:

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- DNA Polymerase and *in Vitro* DNA synthesis
 - Transcription
 - Genetic Code
 - Gene Cloning Experiment

Unit-4:

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- Definition and history of Cell Biology
 - Microscopy – Light Microscopy and Electron Microscopy (Fundamental of TEM and SEM)
 - Principle of Fixation, Staining and Autoradiography

Unit-5:

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- Cell Cycle – Mitosis and Meiosis , Nucleus , Nuclear Membrane and Nucleolus
 - Structure and Function of Plasma Membrane (Passive Transport and Active Transport)

Unit-6:

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- Endoplasmic Reticulum – Morphology, Ultrastructure
 - Types of Endoplasmic Reticulum
 - Smooth ER and Rough ER
 - Origin of ER
 - Function of ER
 - Ribosomes – Occurrence and Distribution
 - Types Of Ribosomes
 - 70s Ribosomes
 - 80s Ribosomes
 - Structure of Ribosomes
 - Dissociation and Reconstitution of Ribosomes

Unit-7:

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- Golgi Body – Occurrence , Distribution , Morphology , Chemical Composition , Origin and Function
 - Lysosomes – Chemical Composition , Lysosomal Enzymes , Lysosomal Membrane
 - Kinds of Lysosomes – Primary and Secondary Lysosomes
 - Origin and Function of Lysosomes
 - Lysosomes and Disease

Unit-8:

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- Origin of Mitochondria
 - Mitochondria – Morphology, Chemical Composition
 - Function of Mitochondria
 - Mitochondria as Semi Autonomous Organelles

UGZY-104
Hemichordata and Chordata

Unit-1:

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- Hemichordata-
 - General Characters of Hemichordata and Affinities of *Balanoglossus*
 - Cephalochordata-
 - Classification and Detailed Study (Habits, Morphology, Anatomy and Physiology) of *Branchiostoma*

Unit-2:

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- Urochordata-
 - Classification and Detailed Study (Habits, Morphology, Anatomy, Physiology and Post Embryonic Development) of *Herdmania*

Unit-3:

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- Pisces-
 - Classification and Detailed Study (Habits, Morphology, Anatomy and Physiology) of *Scoliodon*
 - General Characters and Classification of Amphibia and reptilian up to Order with examples

Unit-4:

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- General Characters and Classification of aves up to Order with Examples, Flying Adaptations in birds

Unit-5:

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- Comparative Anatomy of Vertebrates-
 - Histology , Comparative Study Of Integument And Skeleton

Unit-6:

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- Digestive System-
 - Brief Account of Alimentary Canal And Digestive Glands in vertebrates
 - Respiratory System-
 - Brief Account of Gills and Air Sacs, Swim Bladder

Unit-7:

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- Circulatory System-
 - Evolution Of Heart And Aortic Arches in vertebrates
 - Urinogenital System-
 - Succession Of Kidney , Evolution Of Urinogenital Ducts

Unit-8:

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- Nervous System-
 - Comparative Account Of Brain
 - Sense Organs-
 - Types Of Receptors

DCEZY-105
Animal Distribution And Ecology

Unit-1:

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- Animal Distribution – Geological and Geographical Distribution of Animals , with their Characteristic Fauna

Unit-2:

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- Fossils
 - Barriers and Dispersals

Unit-3:

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- Ecology – Definition, Branches of Ecology , Significance of Ecology For Man
 - Growth of Animal Ecology,
 - Desert Ecology
 - Pollution Ecology

Unit-4:

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- Various Zone of Atmosphere
 - Hydrosphere (Water) – Physical and Chemical Properties Of Water
 - Effect of Factor of Aquatic Environment On Aquatic Organisms
 - Lithosphere (Soil) – Process of Soil Formation
 - Soil Types, Morphology of Soil
 - Physical and chemical, Properties of Soil
 - Soil Fauna and Flora

Unit-5:

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- Ecological Environment, Factors (Biotic and abiotic) and Limiting Factors
 - Component of Ecosystem , Tolerance Range And Limiting Factor , Tropic Level

Unit-6:

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- Ecological Pyramids
 - Energy Flow
 - Food Chain and Food Web
 - Biogeochemical Cycle

Unit-7:

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- Population Dynamics – Density , Natality , Mortality , Age Distribution , Population Distribution
 - Population Growth – Factors Affecting Biotic Potential , Carrying Capacity
 - Population Regulation

Unit-8:

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- Adaptation of Animals In Deserts and Fresh Water

Unit-9:

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- Wildlife Conservation – Defining Wildlife , Threats to Wildlife , Measures For Conservation of Wild Life

DCEZY -106
Taxonomy and Evolution

Unit-1:

- Principle of Systematics and Taxonomy
- Biological Species Concept
- Taxonomy practices

Unit-2:

- Evidences of evolution from classification (taxonomy),
- Comparative anatomy, connecting link, homology, analogy and vestigial organ

Unit-3:

- Evidences of evolution from comparative embryology,
- comparative physiology and biochemistry

Unit-4:

- Objectives of classification, Theories of classification, grouping and ranking, diversity of individuals, principle of hierarchy, population taxonomy, information retrieval

Unit-5:

- Taxonomic and non-taxonomic attributes, modern concepts in taxonomy.

Unit-6:

- Definitions, Uses and application of international code of zoological nomenclature

Unit-7:

- *Elementary statistics, Mean, Median and Mode, Measures of dispersion variation, Standard deviation)*

Unit-8:

- *Origin of life, synthetic theory of evolution, selection, mutation, migration, genetic drift, mimicry isolation and speciation*

SBSZY-03
Economic Zoology and Environment Biology

Unit-1:

- Protozoa-
 - Protozoan Parasitic Diseases Of Man And Domestic Animals With Special Reference To Zoonotic Significance Of Entamoeba histolytica Plasmodium
 - Protozoa And Soil Fertility

Unit-2:

- Platyhelminthes-
 - Life Cycle And Zoonotic Significance of Diphyllbothrium latum
- Aschelminthes-
 - Life Cycle And Zoonotic Significance of Dracunculus medinensis

Unit-3:

- Arthropoda-
 - Life Cycle And Zoonotic Significance of Representative Tick And Mite
 - Beneficial And Harmful Insects

Unit-4:

- Plant And Stored Grain Pests And Role of Insecticides In Their Control
- Interrelationship of Mosquito With Malaria , Yellow Fever , Dengue , Encephalitis And Dermatobia , Their Prevention And Control
- Biological Control of Insect Pests

Unit-5:

- Aquaculture-
 - Its Basic Concepts , Management and Economics(Including Pearl Fishery)

Unit-6:

- Air Pollution-
 - Nature of Pollutants , Their Sources and Effects On Humans , Plants And Animals And Their Control

Unit-7:

- Water Pollution-
 - Sources , Consequences And Control
- Soil Pollution-
 - Sources , Nature And Harmful Effects

Unit-8:

- Environmental Health –
 - Animal In Relation To Human Health
 - Water In Relation To Human Disease
 - Urbanisation Stress And Health
 - Behaviour Patterns Of Health And Disease

UGZY-108
Developmental Biology

Unit-1:

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- **Asexual Reproduction** : The Morphogenetic Processes And The Stages (Blastema ,Blastogenesis ,And Blastozooides), The Kinds (Fission , Budding , Gemmule Formation) And Comparion Between Blastogegeesis And Embryogenesis

Unit-2:

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- **Sexual Reproduction** : Gametogenesis (Spermatogenesis And Oogenesis) Maturation Of Gametes : Vitellogenesis

Unit-3: Parthenogenesis :

Unit-4: Metamorphosis : The Morphogenetic Processes And Cauation In Amphibians And Insects , Tissue Reactivity

Unit-5:Induction Process , Factors Controlling Moulting In Insect

Unit-6: Regeneration : The Morphogenetic Process In Regeneration ,Ability Of Regeneration In Different Group Of Animal , Amphibian Limb Regeneration

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- Regeneration In Hydra , Histology Of Regeneration Process (Metaplasia) Field, Polarity And Gradient , Factors Influencing Regeneration (Stimulation , Suppression)

Unit-7: Growth And Ageing : Concept Of Growth , Degrowth And Cell Death , Mechanism Of Growth

Unit-8: Growth Curve And Their Interpretation , Type Of Cell Growth , Ageing

Molecular Biology & Genetic Engineering

Unit-1

Eukaryotic genome and its organization, unique and repetitive DNA, recombination and chromosome mapping in bacteria and virus, Molecular basis of gene regulation in prokaryotes inducible repressible system.

Unit-2:

- Introduction to Basic Concepts In Immunology
- Components of Immune System
- Principles of Innate and Adaptive Immune System
- Haemopoiesis
- Cells of Immune System and Organs(Primary And Secondary Lymphoid Organs)of The Immune System

Unit-3:

- Basic Properties of Antigens
- B And T Cells
- The Immune System and disease, HIV
- Antigen Antibody Interactions as Tools for Research and Diagnosis

Unit-4:

- Gene Regulation in Heterokaryons and Somatic Cells
- Somatic Hybridization And Studies In Malingnancy
 - Antibodies-
- Structure, Classes And Functions Of Antibodies
- Monoclonal Antibodies
- Structure And Function Of MHC

Unit-5:

- The Immune System And Disease
 - General Introduction To Vaccines
- Various Types Of Vaccines

Unit-6:

- Scope of Genetic Engineering
- Restriction Enzymes And Their Uses In Gene Cloning
- Nucleotide Sequencing Isolation And Ananalysis Of mRNA and cDNA Probes and Their Synthesis

Unit-7:

- In Vitro Synthesis of Recombinant DNA And Gene Cloning Techniques
- Non Coding Intervening Sequences Within Eukaryoticgenes
- Application Of Recombinant DNA Technology
- Microinjecting Gene Into Animal Oocytes , Eggs And Embryos