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**B.Sc. As Per NEP
Botany Courses for Semester 1**

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Minor Course- Semester 1

BTE204-1C - BASICS OF BOTANY

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Gain knowledge of type of cells, structure and function of eukaryotic cells.
- Understand Life cycles of Cryptogamic plants i.e. Algae and Fungi
- Understand internal structure of Phanerogamic plants, general characteristics and functions of various kinds of plant tissues.

TEACHING AND EVALUATION SCHEME:

Subject Code	Subject Title	Teaching Scheme		Credits	Examination Scheme			Total Marks
		Theory Per Week	Practical Per week		Hrs.	Max Marks		
						Mid Term	End Term	
BTE204-1C	Basics of Botany	2	4	4	2.5	50	50	100

Teaching Hours: 15

Unit-1 : Cell Biology and Anatomy

- The Cell theory, Types of cells on the basis of Nucleus (Akaryota, Prokaryota & Eukaryota).
- Comparison of ultra-structure of typical Prokaryotic & Eukaryotic cell as well as Plant cell and Animal cell.
- Structure & function of Plasmodesmata.
- Kinds of plant tissues:
 - Meristematic tissues: Definition, General characteristics and types with functions (Apical meristems , Intercalary meristems , Lateral meristems)
 - Simple tissues: Definition, General characteristics and types with functions (Parenchyma, Collenchyma and Sclerenchyma fibres).
 - Complex tissues: Definition, General characteristics and types with functions (Xylem, Phloem).
 - Epidermal tissues: Definition, General characteristics and types (Epidermis, Stomata, Trichomes, Motor cells, Cystolith, Sphaeroraphides, Velamen tissues, Periderm and Lenticel)

Teaching Hours: 15

Unit-2 Biology of Cryptogams (Algae & Fungi)

- General characters of Algae, Economic importance of Algae (as food, fodder and fertilizer)
- Life history of *Spirogyra* with reference to Systematic position with reasons (according to Smith), Habit, Habitat, Vegetative structure and Reproduction.
- General characters of Fungi, Economic importance of Fungi (as food and medicine).
- Life history of *Mucor* with reference to Systematic position with reasons (according to Ainsworth), Habit, Habitat, Vegetative structure and Reproduction.



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Practical's:

Teaching Hours: 30

1. To study the various shape of eukaryotic cells through permanent / temporary slides: Amoeba, Paramecium, Human RBC, Nerve cell, Spirogyra and Onion leaf scale.
2. To study the various types of cells on the basis of Nucleus through micrographs / charts:
Akaryota - Bacteriophage, Prokaryota - Cyanophycean cell & Eukaryota - Animal & Plant cell.
3. To study the Structure of Plasmodesmata through permanent / temporary slide from Date Palmseed.
4. To study the Life history of *Spirogyra* through:
Mountings - Thallus and Reproductive structure
Permanent Slides of - Thallus and Reproductive structure
5. To study the Life history of *Mucor* through:
Specimen - Bread / Roti with *Mucor*
Mountings - Mycelium and Asexual and sexual Reproductive structures
Permanent Slides of – Mycelium, Asexual and sexual Reproductive structures
6. To study the various types of Simple (parenchyma, collenchyma and sclerenchyma) and Complex tissues (thickenings in vessels / tracheids and sieve tube) from Sunflower and *Cucurbita* stems (T.S. and L.S.) through fresh and permanent preparations.
7. To study the Epidermal tissue system through permanent / temporary slides:
 - Uniseriate epidermis(Sunflower leaf) and Multiseriate epidermis(Banyan / *Nerium* leaf).
 - Stomata structure (Dicot- *Hibiscus* & Monocot-Maize).
 - Trichomes [Unicellular-stellate (*Abutilon*); Multicellular-unbranched (*Tridax*) & branched (*Withania*); Glandular (*Datura*).
 - Motor cells in Maize leaf.
 - Cystolith in Banyan leaf.
 - Sphaeroraphides in *Nerium* leaf.
 - Velamen tissue in aerial root of Orchid.
 - Permanent slides of Periderm and Lenticel structure- *Tinospora*



Multidisciplinary Course- Semester 1

MDC212-1C - FUNDAMENTALS OF BOTANY

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Teaching Hours: 15

Unit-1 : Cell Biology and Anatomy

- The Cell theory, Size, Shape and structure of Eukaryotic cells (Plant cell and Animal cell).
- Structure & function of Plasmodesmata.
- Ultra-structure of Nucleus and chromosome, Chromosome shape depends upon the position of centromere.
- Kinds of plant tissues:
 - Meristematic tissues: Definition, General characteristics and types with functions (Apical meristems, Intercalary meristems, Lateral meristems)
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