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Lesson Plan

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Course	B.Sc. (P) Life Sciences	Semester	III
Paper	Plant Cell and Developmental Biology	Academic Year	2023-2024

Learning Objectives

To understand the basics of plant cell structure, development, growth and organisation of plant body.

Learning Outcomes

On completion of the course, the students will

- become familiar with the structure and functions of various components of plant cell
- understand the processes of cell growth and its regulation
- comprehend the structure, organization and functions of various tissues of the plant organs
- get acquainted with the reproductive processes in the life cycle of angiosperms
- appreciate the interactions between the developmental pathways resulting in the differentiation of plant body
- recognise the importance of plant developmental biology in the improvement and conservation of plants.

Week No.	Theme/ Curriculum
1. (21 st -27 th Aug 23)	Unit 1 Structure of plant cell, Structure and functions of cell organelles: cell wall (primary and secondary wall) (Dr. Ekta Singh) Unit-4 Flower development (ABCDE model) (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
2. (28 th -3 rd Sept 23)	
1 /	Structure and functions of cell organelles: nucleus, chloroplast (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	Anther and its wall layers (ontogeny not to be included), microsporogenesis and microgametogenesis. (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
3(4 th -10 th Sept 23)	Structure and functions of cell organelles mitochondria, dictyosomes. (Dr. Ekta Singh)
4(11 th -17 th Sept 23)	pollen wall (intine, exine), male germ unit (Dr. Isha Gunwal) Structure and functions of cell organelle - endoplasmic reticulum (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	Ovule: General structure, megasporogenesis (monosporic, bisporic, tetrasporic) and megagametogenesis (only Polygonum type) (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
5(18 th -24 th Sept 23)	UNIT-2 Growth through primary meristems (<i>discuss briefly</i>). (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	ultrastructure and significance of female germ unit (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
6(25 th -1 th Oct 23)	Growth through secondary meristems (discuss briefly). (Dr. Ekta Singh)

	UNIT-5
	Pollination types (Self and Cross; agencies of pollination not to be included)-(Dr. Isha Gunwal)
7(3 rd -8 th oct 23)	Organisation of shoot apex (Tunica-Corpus theory, Waiting meristem theory) and Organisation of root apex (Körper-Kappe theory) (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	Pollen-pistil interactions with brief overview of incompatibility. (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
8(9 th -15 th oct 23)	UNIT-3
	Structure and functions of simple tissues. (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	pollen tube pathway, pollen tube entry into ovule and embryo sac (porogamy, mesogamy and chalazogamy) (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
9(16 th -22th Oct 23)	Structure and functions of complex tissues. (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	Double fertilization (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
10 (23th-29 th Oct 23)	Structure of stem, root and leaf (dicot and monocot). (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	UNIT-6 Endosperm structure (Free nuclear, Cellular and Helobial type, <i>one example of each</i>) and functions (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
11 (30 th -5 th Nov 23)	Brief mentioning of anomalous secondary growth in stem of Salvadora/Bignonia (Dr. Ekta Singh) development of embryo from zygote in monocot.
12 (6 th -12 th Nov 23)	(Dr. Isha Gunwal) Brief mentioning of anomalous secondary growth in stem of <i>Dracaena</i> .
12 (0 -12 1107 23)	(Dr. Ekta Singh)
	development of embryo from zygote in dicot. (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
13 (13 th -19 th Nov 23)	Epidermal system: classification of stomata (Metcalfe and Chalk) (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	Development of embryo from zygote in monocot and dicot (Dr. Isha Gunwal)
14(20 th -26 th Nov 23)	Internal Assessment Test
15(27 th -3 rd Dec 23)	Trichomes. (Dr. Ekta Singh)
	development of seed (general account only) (Dr. Isha Gunwal)

16(4 th -6 th Dec 23)	Revision of all the topics		
	Suggested Readings		
Books	1. Beck, C.B. (2010). An Introduction to Plant Structure and Development. Second edition. Cambridge University Press, Cambridge, UK.		
	2. Dickison, W.C. (2000). Integrative Plant Anatomy. Harcourt Academic Press, USA		
	3. Fahn, A. (1974). Plant Anatomy. Pergamon Press, USA		
	4. Mauseth, J.D. (1988). Plant Anatomy. The Benjammin/Cummings Publisher, USA		
	5. Esau, K. (1977). Anatomy of Seed Plants. John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Delhi.		
	6. Taiz, L., Zeiger, E., Moller, I.M., Murphy, A. (2015). Plant Physiology. 6th edition. Sinauer Associates, Sunderland. USA.		
	7. Hopkins, W.G., Huner, N.P.A. (2009). Introduction to Plant Physiology. Fourth edition, John Wiley & Sons, Inc. USA.		
	8. Bhojwani, S.S., Bhatnagar, S.P., Dantu, P.K. (2015). The Embryology of Angiosperms, 6th edition. New Delhi, Delhi: Vikas Publishing House.		
	9. Johri, B.M. (1984). Embryology of Angiosperms. Netherlands: Springer-Verlag.		
	10. Raghavan, V. (2000). Developmental Biology of Flowering plants. Netherlands: Springer.		
	11. Shivanna, K.R. (2003). Pollen Biology and Biotechnology. New Delhi, Delhi: Oxford and IBH Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd.		
Online Resources (If Any)			
As	ssignment and Class Test Schedule for Semester		

Assignments: Submission by 10th November 2023

Class Test: On the date as notified by the College