

Odisha Board Class 11 Biology Syllabus

Biology **Ist year Science (Theory)**

Unit I: Diversity in living world

Unit II: Structural organization in animals and plants

Unit III: Cell structure and function

Unit IV: Plant physiology

Unit V: Human physiology

I. Diversity in Living World

(Periods 10)

- a. What is living? Biodiversity; Need for classification; three domains of life; Taxonomy and Systematics; Concept of species and taxonomical hierarchy; Binomial nomenclature; Tools for study of Taxonomy- Museum, Zoos, herbaria, Botanical gardens.
- b. Five Kingdom classification; Salient features and classification of Monera, Protista and Fungi into major groups; Lichens; Viruses and Viroids.
- c. Salient features and classification of plants into major groups-Algae, Bryophytes, Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms and Angiosperms (three to five salient and distinguishing features and at least two examples of each category); Angiosperms- classification up to class, characteristic features and examples.
- d. Salient features and classification of animals- non-chordates up to phyla level and chordates up to classes level (three to five salient features and at least two examples).

II. Structural Organization in Animals and Plants

(Periods 12)

- a. Morphology and modification in plants; Tissues; Anatomy and functions of different parts of flowering plants- Root, stem, Leaf; inflorescence- cymose and racemose; flower, fruit and seed (To be dealt along with the relevant practical of the Practical Syllabus).
- b. Animal tissues (epithelial, connective, muscular, nervous); Morphology, anatomy and functions of different systems (digestive, circulatory, respiratory, nervous and reproductive) of an insect (cockroach). (Brief account only).

III. Cell Structure and Function

- a. Cell theory and cell as the basic unit of life; Structure of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cell; Plant cell and animal cell; Cell envelope, cell membrane, cell wall; Cell organelles structure and function; Endomembrance system- endoplasmic reticulum, Golgi bodies, lysosomes, vacuoles; mitochondria, ribosomes, plastids, microbodies; Cytoskeleton,, cilia, flagella, centrioles (ultra structure and function); nucleus' nuclear membrane, chromatin, nucleolus.
- b. Chemical constituents of living cells: Biomolecules- structure and function of proteins, carbohydrates, lipid, nucleic acids; Enzymes-types, properties, enzyme action. Cell division: Cell cycle, mitosis, meiosis and their significance.

IV. Plant Physiology

(Period 16)

a. Transport in Plants: Movement of water, gases and nutrients; Cell to cell transport- Diffusion, facilitated diffusion, active transport; Plant-water relations- Imbibition, water potential, osmosis, plasmolysis; Long distance transport of water- Absorption, apoplast, symplast, transpiration pull, root pressure and guttation; Transpiration Opening and closing of Stomata; Uptake and translocation of mineral nutrients, Transport of food, phloem transport, Mass flow hypothesis; Diffusion of gases (brief mention).

b. Mineral Nutrition: Exchange of gases; Cellular respiration- glycolysis, fermentation(anaerobic), TCA cycle and electron transport system (aerobic); Energy relation - Number of ATP molecules generated; Amphibolic pathways; Respiratory quotient.

c. Plant growth and Development: Seed germination; Phases of plant growth and plant growth rate; Conditions of growth; Differentiation, dedifferentiation and redifferentiation; Sequence of developmental process in plant cell; Growth regulators-auxin, gibberellin, cytokinin, ethylene, Abscisic acid (ABA); Seed dormancy; Vernalisation; Photoperiodism.

V. Human Physiology

(Periods 30)

a. Digestion and Absorption: Alimentary canal and digestive glands; Role of digestive enzymes and gastrointestinal hormones; Peristalsis, digestion, absorption and assimilation of proteins, carbohydrates and fats; Calorific value of proteins, carbohydrates and fats (brief account); Egestion; Nutritional and digestive disorders- PEM, indigestion, constipation, vomiting, jaundice, diarrhoea.

b. Breathing and Respiration: Respiratory organs in animals (tracheal, bronchial, cutaneous, pulmonary); Respiratory system in humans; Mechanism of respiration (breathing) and its regulation in humans- Exchange of gases, transport of gases, Respiratory volumes; Disorders related to respiration- Asthma, Emphysema, Occupational respiratory disorders.

c. Body fluids Circulation: Composition of blood, blood groups, coagulation of blood; Composition of lymph and its function; Human circulatory system- Structure and working of human heart, blood vessels; Cardiac cycle, cardiac output, ECG; Double circulation; Regulation of cardiac activity. Disorders of circulatory system- Hypertension, Coronary artery disease, Angina pectoris, Heart failure.

d. Excretory products and their elimination: Modes of excretion- Ammonotelism, ureotelism, uricotelism; Human excretory system- structure and function; Mechanism of Urine formation, Osmoregulation: Regulation of kidney function- Renin-angiotensin, Atrial Natriuretic Factor, ADH and Diabetes insipidus; Role of other organs in excretion; Disorders- Uraemia, Renal failure, Renal calculi, Nephritis; Dialysis and artificial kidney.

e. Locomotion and Movement: Types of movement- ciliary, flagellar, muscular; Skeletal muscle- contractile proteins and muscle contraction; Skeletal system and its functions (To be dealt with the relevant practical of Practical Syllabus); Joints; Disorders of muscular and skeletal system- Myasthenia gravis, Tetany, Muscular dystrophy, Arthritis, Osteoporosis, Gout.

f. Neural control and Coordination: Neuron and nerves; Nervous system in humans- central nervous system (brain, spinal cord), peripheral nervous system and visceral nervous system; Generation and conduction of nerve impulse; Reflex action; Sensory perception; Sense organs; Elementary structure and function of eye and ear.

g. Chemical coordination and Regulation: Endocrine glands and hormones; Human endocrine system- Hypothalamus, Pituitary, Pineal, Thyroid, Parathyroid, Adrenal, Pancreas, Gonads; Mechanism of hormone action (Elementary Idea); Role of hormones as messengers and regulator, Hypo- and hyperactivity and related disorders (Common disorders e.g. Dwarfism, acromegaly, cretinism, goiter, exophthalmic goiter, diabetes, Addison's disease).

(NB: Ib, c; IIa; III and IV units are to be taught by Botany Faculty. Ia, d; IIb; V units are to be taught by Zoology Faculty.)

