DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

CURRICULUM PLAN 2022-2023 (ODD SEMESTER)

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Semester III

Biofertilizers (Practical)

(BHSE3) Skill-Enhancement Elective Course-SEC

Topic	Approximate Schedule (Monthwise)	Assignment/Class Test/Presentation	Suggested Reading
1. Isolation of Anabaena from Azolla leaf 2. Study of Rhizobium from root nodules of leguminous plants by Gram staining method 3. Test for pH, NO ₂ , SO ₄ , Cl and organic matter of different composts 4. Observation of mycorrhizae from roots.	August-September, 2022	Practical record checking	Vayas,S.C, Vayas, S., Modi, H.A. (1998). Bio- fertilizers and organic Farming. Nadiad, Gujarat: Akta Prakashan.
5. Isolation of arbuscular mycorrhizal spores from rhizospheric soil 6. Spots, Specimen /photographs of earthworm, <i>Azolla</i> , arbuscules, vesicles 7. Biocontrol photographs - pheromons trap, <i>Trichoderma</i> , <i>Pseudomonas</i> , Neem etc: Identification and application 8. Photographs of biocompost methods.	October, 2022	Practical record checking	

9. Projects on any topic	November-	Practical record	
mentioned in the	December, 2022	checking	
syllabus, with		Revision of Syllabus	
Rhizobium technology,		Mock Test	
AMF			
technology, Organic			
farming,			
vermicomposting,,			
biocompost, Azolla			
culture.			