



BSc ZOOLOGY

PROJECT SYLLABUS















First Degree Programme

Semester VI

Zoology Project and Field study

Course Code - ZO1647

No. of credit - 4

Project

Aim of the course: To develop an aptitude for research in Zoology

Objective of the course: To inculcate proficiency to identify appropriate research topicand presentation

Specifications

Topics of biological interest can be selected for the project. Project is to be done by group not exceeding 10 students. Every student should submit typed (A4 paper, 12 Font, 1.5 Space), spirally bind project report duly attested by the supervising teacher and the Head of the Department on the day of practical examination before a board of two Examiners for ESE. The viva-voce based on the .project is conducted individually. Project topic once chosen, shall not be repeated by any later batches of students. List.of projects submitted year wise is to. be maintained in a register and submitted before the examiners if requested. Supervising teachers are not suppose to guide topics involving biological samples and measurements on humans, unless there is clearence from the University level Ethical Committee.

The project report may contain the following sections:

- 1. Preliminary (Title page, declaration, certificate of the supervising teacher, content etc.);
- 2. Introduction with relevant literature review and objective
- 3. Materials and Methods
- 4. Result
- 5. Discussion
- 6. Conclusion / Summary
- 7. References

Field Study and Study tour

A total of eighteen hours (I hour/week) has to be allotted to field study in the fifth semester. Study tour of minimum 4 days is compulsory. Students are directed to visit one research institute and one wild life sanctuary / museum / zoo, preferably within the state of Kerala.