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Preface

Secondary Level Education in Nepal aims to produce skillful healthy citizens familiar with national customs, culture, social heritage and democratic values who can actively take part in the economic development of the country. So, the main aim of this level is to produce skilled manpower who can make special contribution to the country's all-round development, and at the same time, to produce conscious citizens with essential knowledge and skills to be ready for university education. The process of developing and revising school level curricula in Nepal is being continued in line with this objective.

In this connection, in order to bring relevant changes in secondary level curricula as per the recommendations of School Sector Development Plan (SSDP), some subjects, i. e. Plant Science, Animal Science, Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering and Civil Engineering have been introduced under Technical and Vocational stream. According to this provision, the curricula of these subjects have been prepared, and they are being implemented. Considering the situation that the curricula of these subjects are not easily available at present, they have been published for the wider circulation. This curriculum, revised in 2078 B. S., is one of them.

Revising school level curricula is a continuous process and the role of teachers, parents and scholars is vital in making it more effective in future. Therefore, the Curriculum Development Centre always anticipates constructive suggestions from all the persons concerned.

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Agriculture Extension and Computer Science

Grade: 9

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

Extension education provides awareness about social systems and values, gender equity and social inclusion, dissemination of technical knowledge, etc. to the student while applying agriculture extension for community development. This course provides opportunity to understand the basic concept of education and extension education, their principle, philosophy, objective, method, system and practices etc. and apply the agriculture knowledge to the farming community. Extension education disseminates the new technology to the needy people. Similarly, computer science curriculum aims to develop awareness of how do the computers work and how they are used in the school, workplace, at home, and in the community.

This curriculum comprises the fundamental principles and practices, an introduction, communication, basic sociological concept, extension program planning, monitoring and evaluation, group and rural leadership, gender and development, introduction to computer, computer operating system, application of software, computer networks and topologies, internet and electronic mail (Email). The subject matters will be delivered using both the conceptual and practical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective readings and group works as along with the practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise learning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

1. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Acquire general knowledge and skills of agriculture extension in Nepalese context
2. Explain the role of extension worker, social system/norms/values and gender concept
3. Apply agriculture extension for the agricultural promotion in the country

4. Describe the importance of farmers' organizations and groups for agriculture and community development
5. Develop a sense of information technology culture and appreciate the range and power of computer applications
6. Develop an awareness of how computers work and how they are used in the school, workplace, at home and in the community
7. Appreciate the role of computers in the everyday life and the impacts on society and the people
8. Use common computer software to accomplish the assigned tasks

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| Section A (Agriculture Extension) | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Define extension education 1.2. Discuss the importance of education in our context 1.3. Define the formal and non-formal education 1.2. Explain the objective and importance of extension education 1.4. Point out the role of extension in agriculture development |
| 2. | Communication | 2.1. List out the steps in extension teaching-learning process 2.2. Describe the method of communication (individual, group and mass) 2.3. Define RRA and PRA 2.4. Explain the role of extension worker in transfer of technology |
| 3. | Basic sociological concept | 3.1. Define sociology and rural sociology 3.2. Discuss terminologies related to sociological point of view 3.3. Discuss the concept and history of social mobilization in Nepal 3.4. Discuss the objective of social mobilization in extension process |

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| 4. | Extension program planning, monitoring and evaluation | <p>4.4. Define program planning</p> <p>4.5. State the principles and importance of program planning</p> <p>4.6. Differentiate between monitoring and evaluation</p> <p>4.7. Discuss on diffusion and adoption process</p> <p>4.8. Meaning and importance of need-based training</p> |
| 5. | Group and rural leadership | <p>5.1. Define group</p> <p>5.2. Explain the procedure of group formation and discuss its role in extension</p> <p>5.3. Understand the concept of cooperatives clearly</p> <p>5.4. Explain the types of leader</p> <p>5.5. State the characteristics of a good leader</p> <p>5.6. Define motivation</p> <p>5.7. Explain the factors affecting motivation</p> |
| 6. | Gender and development | <p>6.1. Introduce the gender concept, gender segregation, stratification and discrimination</p> <p>6.2. Differentiate between gender equity and equality</p> <p>6.3. Identify gender needs and state its importance in rural context</p> <p>6.4. Discuss the role of gender in development</p> <p>6.5. Clear the concept of WID, WAD, GAD</p> |
| Section B (Computer Science) | | |
| 7. | Introduction to computer | <p>7.1. Illustrate the computer system: its hard and software</p> <p>7.2. Get familiarized with the with the history of computer</p> <p>7.3. Understand the capabilities and limitations of computers and their applications</p> <p>7.4. Explain different types of computers on the basis of data and size</p> <p>7.5. Describe the generations of computers with their features</p> |
| 8. | Computersystem | <p>8.1. Get familiarized with all the hardware parts of computer</p> <p>8.2. Describe the basic components of a computer system (input, output, processor and storage)</p> |

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| | | 8.3. Illustrate the concept of RAM and ROM) 8.4. Illustrate different storage devices of computer 8.5. Explain computer software with their types |
| 9. | Operating system | 9.1. Introduce operating system 9.2. Describe GUI with its feature 9.3. Introduce open-source operating system with examples |
| 10. | Multimedia | 10.1 Introduce multimedia 10.2 Describe the component of multimedia. (text, audio, video, image, animation) 10.3 Describe and demonstrate the applications of multimedia |
| 11. | Computer networks and topologies | 11.1 Illustrate computer networks 11.2 Describe the types of networks (LAN, MAN, WAN) 11.3 Explain different types of topologies 11.4 Discuss the use of communication in daily life |
| 12. | Internet and its application | 12.1 Introduce internet 12.2 Define web browser, website, web page, home page, search engine and email 12.3 Illustrate/describe the application of internet: 12.3.1 Search engine 12.3.2 Email 12.3.3 E-commerce 12.3.4 E-banking 12.3.5 E-governance |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Section A (Agriculture Extension and communication) | | | |
|---|--------------|---|------|
| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Introduction to education, formal and non-formal education and their importance in our context 1.2. Definition, objective and importance of extension education | 4 |

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| | | 1.3. Role of extension in agriculture development 1.4. History of agriculture extension in Nepal. | |
| 2. | Communication | 2.1. Concept and steps in extension teaching-learning process 2.2. Method of communication (individual, group and mass) 2.3. Role of extension education in transfer of technology | 4 |
| 3. | Basic sociological concept | 3.1. Definition and importance of sociology and rural sociology 3.2. Terminologies related to sociological theories and practices: family, group, community, social structure, social custom, social norms and values, social process, social culture and belief, institution, social stratification (i.e. caste, class, gender, age), society and socialization 3.3. Concept and history of social mobilization in Nepal 3.4. Objective of social mobilization in extension | 5 |
| 4. | Extension program planning, monitoring and evaluation | 4.1. Principles and importance of program planning 4.2. Program monitoring and evaluation 4.3. Meaning of diffusion and adoption | 3 |
| 5. | Group and rural leadership | 5.1. Concept, principle and types of group 5.2. Procedure of group formation and its role in extension 5.3. Meaning and types of leader and leadership 5.4. Characteristics of a good leader 5.5. Meaning of motivation and factors affecting motivation | 5 |

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|----|------------------------|---|---|
| 6. | Gender and development | 6.1. Introduction to gender concept: gender segregation, and discrimination 6.2. Identifying the gender needs and its importance in rural context 6.3. Role of gender in development 6.4. Concept of WID, WAD, GAD | 6 |
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Section B (Computer Science)

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------------------|---|------|
| 7. | Introduction to computer | 7.1. Concepts of computer and its application. 7.2. History of computer 7.3. Capabilities and limitation of computers 7.4. Types of computers (data: analog, digital, hybrid); (size: micro, mini, mainframe and super) 7.5. Generations of computers and their features | 4 |
| 8. | Computer system | 8.1. Familiar with all hardware parts with CPU of computer and dismantle 8.2. Basic components of a computer system (input, output, processor and storage) 8.3. Memory (primary and secondary, RAM, ROM) 8.4. Storage devices: magnetic tape, magnetic disks: Hard disk and floppy disks (winchester disk), optical disks: CD, VCD, CD-R, CD-RW, DVD, DVD-RW, blue ray disc, flash drives, SD/MMC memory cards | 6 |
| 9. | Operating system | 9.1. Introduction of operating System 9.2. Windows operating system, introduction to GUI and its feature working with a window environment and window application program 9.3. Introduction to open sources operating system with examples | 6 |

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| 10. | Multimedia | 10.1. Introduction to multimedia 10.2. Components of multimedia(text. audio. video, image, animation) 10.3. Application of multimedia | 9 |
| 11. | Computer networks and topologies | 11.1. Introduction of computer networks and topologies 11.2. Types of networks (LAN, MAN, WAN,) 11.3. Topologies of LAN (ring, bus, star, mesh and hybridtopologies) 11.4. Use of communication in daily life | 6 |
| 12. | Internet and itsapplication. | 12.1 Introduction to internet. 12.2. Introduction to web browser, website, web page, home page 12.3. Application of internet 12.3.1. Search engine 12.3.2. Email 12.3.3. E-commerce 12.3.4. E-banking 12.3.4. E-governance | 6 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

Practical and project works are the integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more practical works relevant to their context and students' needs.

| Unit | Grade 9 | | |
|------|-----------------------------------|--|------|
| | Section A (Agriculture Extension) | | |
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Identify and prioritize the farmers' problems by using PRA/RRA | 5 |

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| 2. | Communication | 2.1 | Practices on the development of visual aids such as posters, charts, pamphlets, flash cards and graphs | 6 |
| 3. | Basic sociological concept | 3.1 | Learn to develop questionnaire to generate quantitative information from the farmers | 8 |
| 4. | Extension program planning, monitoring and evaluation | 4.1 | Conduct impact study of rural and community development program in Nepal | 7 |
| 5. | Group and rural leadership | 5.1 | Interview with successful farmers' group to find out leadership skills | 7 |
| 6. | Gender and development | 6.1 | Differentiate between the changes in women farmer's group before and after involving in new production activity. | 6 |
| Section B (Computer Science) | | | | |
| 7. | Introduction to computer | 7.1 | Visit to computer lab and identify different devices. | 3 |
| 8. | Computersystem | 8.1 | Identify different hardware of computer | 3 |
| 9. | Operatingsystem | 9.1 | Work with GUI and its feature working with a window environment and window application program | 3 |
| 10. | Applicationof software | 10.1 | Install various application software like MS office and utility software like antivirus | 3 |
| 11. | Computer networks and topologies | 11.1 | Work with Microsoft office package especially word, excel and power point. | 8 |
| 12. | Internet and electronic mail (Email) | 12.1 | Create gmail, yahoo or hot mail account and download e-books, PDF files related to computers using internet | 5 |
| Total | | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course aims to blend both theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge and skills required for the students in this subject. So, its facilitation process differs from the traditional method of delivery. The methods and strategies that enable to enrich the students with practical skills are much used in the course during the delivery of course content. A facilitator encourages and assists students to learn for themselves engaging in different activities with practical tasks. To achieve the entire objectives of this syllabus, the teacher must use different techniques and process during teaching. In particular, the teacher can make use of the following methods and strategies for the learning facilitation:

- Class room instruction
- Group discussion
- Demonstration
- Problem solving
- Presentation
- Case study
- Visual(chart) preparation
- Practical works
- Project works
- Field study
- Group works and pair works
- Exploration and explanation

7. Student' Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of the learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student' learning is going on. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment, etc., are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

a. Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation carries 50 percent weightage. Internal evaluation consists of practical activities i.e. practical works and projects works (35%); marks from trimester examinations (10%), and classroom participation (5%). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by the teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Main activities | Activities in detail | Marks |
|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1. | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2. | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | 5 marks in first and second semester each | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external examiners. Evaluation of experiment will focus both on the product of work and the skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their works either individually or on group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external examiner.

b. External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Question paper for examination will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's Taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating and creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 9

Subjects : Agriculture Extension and Computer Science

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|--|------------|--------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 3 |
| 2 | Communication | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 3 | Basic sociological concept | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 4 | Extension programplanning, monitoring and evaluation | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 5 | Group and rural leadership | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 6 | Gender and development | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 7 | Introduction to computer | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 8 | Competer system | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 9 | Operating system | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 10 | Multimedia | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 11 | Computer networks and topologías | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 12 | Internet and its application. | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| | Total | 64 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Principle of Agronomy

Grade: 9

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This course explains the role of soil and climatic factors in crop production and the basic principles underlying the successful crop production. This syllabus provides the overview of agriculture and agronomy, weather and climate, tillage, seed and seed quality, cropping system, soil fertility and soil productivity, soil erosion, weed management, irrigation and drainage in relation to field crop production.

This curriculum comprises the fundamental principles encompassing introduction to agronomy, climate, farm mechanization, cropping system, water management, weed management, hill, rainfed and organic agriculture, manure and fertilizer. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and practical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective readings and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical works. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise learning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Explain the climate, tillage and plant nutrients affecting the growth, development and yield of the field crops
2. Identify the crops ready for harvesting and harvest subsequent storage techniques
3. Identify tools and equipment used in tillage and other agricultural operations
4. Apply manure and fertilizer and water in the field for successful crop production
5. Enable to identify the major need for appropriate management practices of the crops and apply them as per the need
6. Demonstrate the knowledge for seed production of field crops
7. Explain the problems and characteristics of hill, rainfed and organic agricultural systems

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|--------------------------|--|
| 1. | Introduction to agronomy | 1.1. Define agriculture and agronomy 1.2. Differentiate subsistence agriculture and commercial agriculture 1.3. Discuss the importance of agronomy in Nepalese context 1.4. Classify agronomical crops based on various characteristics |
| 2. | Climate and Ecozones | 2.1. Define climate and weather 2.2. Discuss the different types of climates 2.3. Understand the climate of Nepal, climatic zones in relation of agriculture 2.4. Describe the effect of climate on crop production 2.5. Define climate change, global warming and their effect on crop production 2.6. Discuss the changing status of Nepalese agriculture and rural society |
| 3. | Fundamental of soil | 3.1. Definition and properties of soil 3.2. Discuss the essential plant nutrients and their functions |
| 4. | Tillage | 4.1. Define tillage, its type and its importance. 4.2. Demonstrate & application of different tillage operations. |
| 5. | Manure and fertilizer | 5.1. Understand elements, nutrients and plant nutrition in relation to crop production 5.2. Define manures and fertilizers and with their nutrient contents: inorganic fertilizers and organic manures. 5.3. Understand the process of green manuring crops with its importance and other biofertilizers. |
| 6. | Cropping System | 6.1. Define cropping system and cropping pattern 6.2. Define cropping scheme and crop rotation and plan crop rotation in your locality 6.3. Understand cropping systems farming systems and in different ecological zones of Nepal and in your locality |

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| 7. | Water and Weed management | <p>7.1. Irrigation</p> <p>7.1.1 Discuss the importance of water in crop life.</p> <p>7.1.2 Understand the water supplement to crop and define irrigation</p> <p>7.1.3 Explain the different types of irrigation system practiced in Nepal</p> <p>7.1.4 Draw a table for critical stages of moisture requirement in major agronomical crops</p> <p>7.2 Drainage</p> <p>7.2.1 Define drainage and drainage system</p> <p>7.2.2 State the objective and importance of drainage in crop production</p> <p>7.2.3 Discuss the adverse effect of poor drainage in crop production</p> <p>7.2.4 Explain rain water harvesting and its technique</p> <p>7.3 Weed</p> <p>7.3.1 Define the weed and write down the losses by weeds and benefits from them</p> <p>7.3.2 Discuss the management technique of weeds</p> |
| 8. | Farm Mechanization | <p>8.1 Define farm mechanization and understand the tractor</p> <p>8.2 Understand various types of the ploughs and their function</p> <p>8.3 Understand the working mechanism of seed drill and seed cum fertilizer drill and rice planter machines</p> <p>8.4 Discuss the possibilities of farm mechanization in your locality and in Nepal</p> <p>8.5 Understand the harvester and its works</p> |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------------------|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction to agronomy | 1.1 Definition of agriculture, agronomy subsistence agriculture, commercial agriculture. | 6 |

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|-----|-----------------------|--|----|
| | | 1.2 Importance of agronomy and its role in Nepalese context 1.3 Agronomical classification of field crops | |
| 2. | Climate and ecozones | 2.1 Definition of climate, weather and agro-meteorology 2.2 Types of climatic season. 2.3 Classification of different climatic zones 2.4 Effect of climatic factor on crop production 2.5 Introduction to climate change and global warming | 9 |
| 3. | Fundamental of soil | 3.1 Definition of soil 3.2 Properties of soil 3.3 Essential elements of plant and their major function & deficiency symptom. | 8 |
| 4. | Tillage | 4.1 Define tillage 4.2 Purpose and importance of tillage 4.3 Types of tillage | 5 |
| 5. | Manure and fertilizer | 5.1 Point out importance and nutrient contents of organic manures 5.2 Define green manuring crops with its importance and nutrient contents 5.3 Explain the different types of green manuring crops used in crop production 5.4 Define chemical fertilizers with its importance and nutrient contents | 10 |
| 6 . | Cropping system | 6.1 Definition of cropping system& cropping pattern 6.2 Mono cropping 6.3 Mixed & relay cropping 6.4 Inter& multiple cropping 6.5 Cropping scheme & crop rotation 6.6 Cropping intensity, cropping index | 5 |

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| 7. | Water and weed management | 7.1 Irrigation 7.1.1 Importance of water in crop life 7.1.1 Introduction to irrigation 7.1.3 Different irrigation systems in crops production 7.1.4 Critical stages of moisture requirement of major agronomical crops | |
| | | 7.2 Drainage 7.2.1 Concept, objective and importance of drainage and drainage system in crop production 7.2.2 Water logging in crop production 7.2.3 Rain water harvesting and its technique 7.3. Weed management 7.3.1 Definition of weed 7.3.2 Losses and benefits of weeds 7.3.3 Managements of weeds: prevention and control 7.3.4 Physical, cultural, biological and chemical methods of weed control with their relative advantages and disadvantages | 12 |
| 8. | Farm mechanization | 8.1 Concept and usage of farm mechanization 8.2 Tractor and farm machines with their advantages and disadvantages. 8.3 Seed drill, seed cum fertilizer drill machine 8.4 Tools and machine use in tillage operations 8.5 Harvester | 9 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the subject. Similarly, involving in a project work fosters the self-learning of students in both the theoretical and practical contents. As this subject emphasizes on enriching the students with both theoretical and practical knowledge and skills, some practical and project works are suggested for them. However, the tasks presented here

are the samples only. A teacher can assign the extra practical and project works as per the students' need or specific context.

| Unit | Grade 9 | | |
|-------|--------------------------|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction to agronomy | 1.1 Identify plants and seeds of common agronomic crop | 3 |
| | | 1.2 Get exposure to government and private farms to impart the knowledge of modern farming techniques. | 5 |
| | | 1.3 Conduct sampling for seed testing and test of seed for germination | 3 |
| | | 1.4 Identification of healthy and diseased seeds | 3 |
| | | 1.5 Identify common insects and diseases of the major crops | 3 |
| 2. | Climate | 2.1 List the different agronomical crops cultivated in different climatic zones | 2 |
| 3. | Tillage | 3.1 Identification various tools and equipment | 2 |
| | | 3.1 Practice of different tillage operations | 3 |
| 4. | Manure and fertilizer | 4.1 Be familiar with manure and fertilizers. | 5 |
| | | 4.2 Prepare the composts. | 6 |
| | | 4.3 Calculate the amount of manure and fertilizer for different crops | 3 |
| | | 4.4 Apply manure and fertilizer in the field as per the time and methods in available crop. | 6 |
| 5. | Cropping system | 5.1 Get exposure to intercropping plots (practice of maize+soyabean) | 3 |
| 6. | Water & weed management | 6.1 Exercise the practice of surface irrigation | 4 |
| | | 6.2 Get familiar with the practices of erosion control methods | 4 |
| | | 6.3 Identify the important weeds of agronomic crops | 3 |
| | | 6.4 Practice the application of weedicides | 2 |
| 7. | Seed and seed production | 7.1 Visit to seed production site | 1 |
| | | 7.2 Practice seed sampling for test of seed | 1 |
| | | 7.3 Conduct seed testing (Germination, vigor processing, grading, cleaning, etc.) | 2 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Learning facilitation process is the crux of the teaching and learning activity. One topic can be facilitated through two or more than two methods or processes. The degree of usage will be based on the nature of the content to be facilitated. However, a teacher should focus on the methods and techniques that are more students-centered and appropriate to facilitate the learning. The following facilitation methods, techniques and strategies will be applied while conducting the teaching learning process:

- Lecture
- Demonstration
- Presentation
- Audio/visual class
- Case study
- Practical works
- Project works
- Field study
- Discussion
- Group works and pair works
- Questionnaire
- Observation method
- Assignment and presentation

8. Student' Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student' learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment, etc. are some of the ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

a. Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation covers 50 Percent weightage which consistsof practical activities i.e.

practical works and projects works (35%), marks from trimester examinations (10%), and classroom participation (5%). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Mani activities | Activities in detail | Marks |
|-------|-----------------|--|-------|
| 1. | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2. | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5. | Internal exam | 5 marks in first and second semester each | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external examiners. Evaluation of experiment will focus both on the product of work and skills and competencies of student in using apparatus.
- Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external examiner.

b. External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Question paper in examination will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's Taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating and creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 9

Subjects : Principle of Agronomy

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction to agronomy | 6 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 5 |
| 2 | Climate and ecozones | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| 3 | Fundamental of soil | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 4 | Tillage | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 5 | Manure and fertilizer | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| 6 | Cropping System | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 7 | Water and Weed management | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 8 | Farm Mechanization | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| | Total | 64 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Basic Horticulture

Grade: 9

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This course provides the basic knowledge and skills on general horticulture in Nepalese prospective. This course comprises status of horticultural development in Nepal, factors affecting horticultural crop production and measure to manage them, general introduction to various types of horticultural enterprises, orchard establishment and management, basic of plant propagation and its methods, growth and development of horticultural plants.

This curriculum comprises the fundamental and conceptual principles and practices of horticulture, an introduction to climate, home garden, organic farming, orchard management, plant growth and development, Plant growth Regulators, Harvesting and post-harvest handling of fruits and preservation of fruits. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

- Acquire general knowledge about horticulture and classify horticultural crops
- Understand climatic factors and their impact on horticultural crops.
- Design home garden
- Understand concept of organic farming
- Plan, organize and establish a new orchard
- Perform intercultural operation
- Demonstrate the use of PGRs on horticultural crops
- Determine proper stage of flowering
- Perform post-harvest management.

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|--------------------|--|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Define horticulture and explain its branches 1.2 Explain the importance & scope of horticulture 1.3 List out tropical, sub-tropical and temperate fruit crops found in Nepal 1.4 Classify horticulture plants 1.4.1 Classify fruits 1.4.2 Classify vegetables 1.4.3 Classify flowers |
| 2. | Climate | 2.1 Elaborate the climate and whether 2.2 Discuss the various environmental factors affecting fruit production |
| 3. | Home garden | 3.1 Define home garden 3.2 Show difference between home garden & kitchen garden 3.3 Discuss the selection criteria of fruit crop for home garden |
| 4. | Organic farming | 4.1 Define organic farming 4.2 State the principle of organic farming 4.3 Explain the merits and demerits of organic farming |
| 5. | Orchard management | 5.1 Define orchard 5.2 List the factors to be considered while establishing an orchard 5.3 Design orchard layout 5.4 Differentiate training and pruning 5.5 Discuss the different methods of training and pruning 5.6 Understand and gather the concept of soil management practice to maintain soil fertility 5.7 Discuss the importance of liming in orchard 5.8 Discuss the irrigation and drainage methods in orchard 5.9 Explain mulching techniques in orchard |

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| | | <p>5.10 List out point to be considered in soil fertility management in the locality</p> <p>5.11 Define Windbreak, crop rotation, alley cropping, sod culture and contour cropping</p> |
| 6. | Plant growth and development | <p>6.1 Define dormancy and explain its causes</p> <p>6.2 Describe the methods of breaking dormancy</p> <p>6.3 Define germination and list out its type</p> <p>6.4 Discuss about the on flowering and vernalization</p> <p>6.5 Describe Maturity, juvenility, fruiting, fruit ripening, fruit drop, ripening and senescence</p> <p>6.6 Recall the various types of senescence</p> |
| 7. | Plant growth Regulators | <p>7.1 Define plant growth regulators</p> <p>7.2 Explain the types and functions of PGRs</p> <p>7.3 Point out the importance and commercial use of PGRs in fruit crops</p> |
| 8. | Harvesting and post-harvest handling of fruits | <p>8.1 List out the point to be considered for maturity judgment of fruits</p> <p>8.2 Explain the harvesting techniques of fruits crops</p> <p>8.3 Discuss the post-harvest handling techniques of fruits crops</p> <p>8.4 Point out the precautions to be applied at storage and marketing of food crops</p> |
| 9. | Preservation of fruits | <p>9.1 Describe different principles of preservation of fruits crops</p> <p>9.2 Explain the canning and bottling technique in fruits</p> <p>9.3 Make clear the concept of drying and dehydration</p> |
| 10. | Advanced horticulture | <p>10.1 Explain protected cultivation</p> <p>10.2 Discuss the importance and problems of protected cultivation</p> <p>10.3 Be familiar with hydroponics and aeroponics</p> |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|-------------------------------------|---|------|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Meaning & definition of horticulture and its branches 1.2 Importance & scope of horticulture 1.3 Classification of horticulture plants 1.3.1 Classification of fruits 1.3.2 Classification of vegetables 1.4.3 Classification of flowers | 7 |
| 2. | Climate | 2.1 Concepts of climate & weather 2.2 Environmental factors affecting horticultural crops production <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature • Light • Rainfall and humidity • Wind • Snow • Hailstorm • Soil moisture | 5 |
| 3. | Home garden and small scale farming | 3.1 Definition of home garden, difference between home garden & kitchen garden 3.2 Basis of crops selection for home garden | 3 |
| 4. | Organic farming | 4.1 Concept and definition of organic farming 4.2 Principle of organic framings 4.3 Methods of organic farming 4.4 Advantages and disadvantages of organic farming | 4 |
| 5. | Orchard management | 5.1 Introduction to orchard 5.2 Training and pruning of fruits crops 5.3 Methods of training and pruning 5.5 Soil management practice to maintain soil fertility in orchard 5.6 Mulching techniques 5.7 Soil fertility management 5.8 Windbreak | 12 |

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|--------------|--|--|-----------|
| | | 5.9 Alley cropping 5.10 Sod culture 5.11 Contour cropping | |
| 6. | Plant growth and development | 6.1 Dormancy 6.1.1 Causes of dormancy 6.1.2 Methods of breaking dormancy 6.2 Germination and its type 6.3 Flowering 6.3.1 Photoperiodism 6.3.4 Vernalization 6.5 Maturity 6.6 Juvenility 6.7 Fruiting 6.7.1 Fruit setting 6.7.2 Fruit drop 6.7.3 Fruit ripening 6.7.4 Fruit senescence and its type | 12 |
| 7. | Plant growth Regulators | 7.1 Meaning and definition of plant growth regulators 7.2 Types and functions of PGRs 7.3 Importance and commercial use of PGRs in fruit crops | 6 |
| 8. | Harvesting and post-harvest handling of fruits | 8.1 Maturity judgment of fruits 8.2 Harvesting and harvesting techniques 8.3 Post-harvest handling techniques 8.4 Storage 8.5 Marketing | 8 |
| 9. | Preservation of fruits | 9.1 Principles of preservation 9.2 Canning and bottling | 4 |
| 10. | Advanced horticulture | 10.1 Protected cultivation, its importance and problems 10.2 Hydroponics 10.3 Aeroponics | 3 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical and project works are integral parts of reinforcing the students' learning. So, the new curriculum provisions the practical and projects works as a part of the curriculum. Some of the sample practical and project works are suggested herewith. However, a teacher can adapt them or use similar other project works as per their students need and the specific context.

| Unit | Grade 9 | | |
|--------------|--|---|-----------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Identification of Fruits & plantation crops | 2 |
| 2 | Home garden | 2.1 Preparation of seed bed/nursery bed for home garden. | 2 |
| 3 | Organic farming | 3.1 Visit to nearest organic farm | 2 |
| 4 | Orchard management | 4.1 Application of Fertilize/manure of fruit trees | 3 |
| | | 4.2 Prepare Bordeaux mixture/paste | 5 |
| | | 4.3 Lay-out orchard | 5 |
| | | 4.3 Perform Training and pruning of fruit and plantation crop | 5 |
| | | 4.4 Practice cutting/layering/grafting | 10 |
| 5 | Plant growth and development | 5.1 Perform method of breaking seed dormancy | 3 |
| 6 | Plant growth Regulators | 6.1 Study the ripening of banana | 5 |
| 7 | Harvesting and post-harvest handling of fruits | 7.1 Identification of harvesting and post-harvest handling tools/equipment of fruit crops | 2 |
| 8 | Preservation of fruits | 8.1 Study the equipment/tools used for preservation | 4 |
| | | 8.2 Perform dehydration and water loss in different fruits | 6 |
| | | 8.3 Prepare jam/jelly/ketchup/juice/squash/pickles | 10 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Learning facilitation process is the crux of the teaching and learning activity. One topic can be facilitated through two or more than two methods or processes. The degree of usage

will be based on the nature of the content to be facilitated. However, a teacher should focus on methods and techniques that are more student-centered and appropriate to facilitate the learning. The following facilitation methods, techniques and strategies will be applied while conducting the teaching learning process:

- Presentation
- Demonstration
- Case study
- Exhibition method
- Practical works
- Project works
- Problem solving
- Assignment and presentation
- Field study
- Discussion
- Group works and individual works
- Questionnaire
- Exploration

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| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
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Specification Grid

Grade: 9

Subjects : Basic Horticulture

Time : 2 hrs.

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| 2 | Climate | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 3 | Home garden and small scale farming | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 4 | Organic farming | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 5 | Orchard management | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 6 | Plant growth and development | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 7 | Plant growth Regulators | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 8 | Harvesting and post-harvest handling of fruits | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 9 | Preservation of fruits | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 10 | Advanced horticulture | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | Total | 64 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Plant Protection

Grade: 9

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This course provides the brief introduction of the insects, diseases, and weeds as the enemies of plant which significantly reduce the crop yield. Similarly, the course also describes about the details of pesticides like pesticide classification, mode of actions, pesticide formulations, toxicity level of pesticide, safe use of pesticide, pesticide poisoning symptoms and first aid practices, methods of pesticide application, pesticide spraying techniques, etc.

This curriculum comprises concept and fundamental principles and practices, an introduction, insects, diseases, weeds, pesticides, plant protection appliances, plant pest management overall and crop wise, and mushroom cultivation. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with the National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses both on theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practice weightage. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise learning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Develop conception different terms used in plant protection
2. Identify the insects and their classification.
3. Identify the diseases and their classification.
4. Identify weeds and their effect on crop production.
5. Identify pesticides, their types and application method
6. Be familiar with the plant protection appliances
7. Distinguish between IPM and Non-IPM techniques.
8. Identify mushrooms and their types.

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|-------------|---------------------|---|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Define the term: pest, insect, disease, pathogen, micro-organism, rodent, nematode, disorder, pesticide, weed, entomology and pathology |
| 2.. | Insects | 2.1 Write down the characteristic features of insect 2.2 Illustrate the life cycle of different insect 2.3 Define metamorphosis 2.4 Classify insects on the basis of different aspects: like feeding habit, nature of damage etc. 2.5 List out the natural enemies of insect-pests |
| 3. | Diseases | 3.1 Define diseases and write their symptoms. 3.2 Classify Infectious and noninfectious diseases. 3.3 Understand about disease cycle. 3.4 Understand fungi, bacteria, nematode, virus etc. 3.5 Write down the factors responsible for disease development. 3.6 Explain plant disease epidemiology. |
| 4. | Weeds | 4.1 Define weed 4.2 Discuss the different types of weeds 4.3 Discuss the effect of weed on crop production |
| 5. | Pesticides | 5.1 Define pesticide 5.2 Give the examples of insecticide, fungicide, nematicide, antibiotic, rodenticide, herbicide etc. 5.3 Explain the formulation of pesticide 5.4 Calculate the pesticide for application on infected fields. 5.5 Write down the method of pesticides application 5.6 Explain the toxicity of pesticide after use 5.7 State the harmful effect of pesticide: poisoning and pollution 5.8 Discuss the safe use and misuse of pesticide 5.9 Explain pesticide poisoning symptoms and state first-aid measure 5.10 Pesticide rules and regulation in Nepal |

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| 6. | Plant protection appliances | 6.1 Be familiar with plant protection appliances 6.2 Write down the plant protection appliances commonly used in Nepal 6.3 Discuss on the proper handling, care and maintenance of sprayers and duster |
| 7. | Plant pest management | 7.1 Explain the principles of plant pest management: 7.2 Discuss physical mechanical, cultural, biological, chemical, regulatory and genetic method of pest management. 7.3 Explain Integrated pest management (IPM) |
| 8. | Crop management | 8.1 Understand the concepts of ICM (Integrated Crop Management) 8.2 Acquire the concepts, importance and principle of Integrated Pest Management (IPM) 8.3 Be familiar with the concepts, importance and principle Integrated Weed Management (IWM) |
| 9 | Mushroom Cultivation | 9.1 Discuss importance and scope of mushroom cultivation 9.2 List out poisonous and non-poisonous mushroom 9.3 Identify the different types of mushroom available in Nepal. 9.4 Discuss about the cultivation practices of mushroom (oyster, button, shitake) |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Concept and definition of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biotic and abiotic factor in plant protection • Pest • Insect • Disease • Pathogen • Micro-organism • Rodent • Nematode | 6 |

| | | | |
|----|------------|--|-----------|
| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disorder • Pesticide • Weed • Entomology • Pathology | |
| 2. | Insects | 2.1 Definition and characteristic features of insect 2.2 Insect life cycle and metamorphosis 2.3 Classification of insects on the basis of different aspects: Like feeding habit, nature of damage etc. 2.4 Natural enemies of insect | 9 |
| 3. | Diseases | 3.1 Meaning of disease and its symptoms 3.2 Disease cycle 3.3 Introduction to plant pathogen: Fungi, Bacteria, Nematode, Virus etc. 3.4 Disease triangle | 6 |
| 4. | Weeds | 4.1 Definition of weed/types of weeds 4.2 Effect of weeds on crop production: competition for water nutrient, sunlight, air etc. | 5 |
| 5. | Pesticides | 5.1 Definition of pesticide 5.2 Types of pesticides (insecticide, fungicide, nematicide, antibiotic, rodenticide, etc.) 5.3 Forms of pesticide 5.4 Calculation of commercially formulated pesticide 5.5 Methods of pesticide application <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soil application • Foliar application • Fumigation • Seed treatment • Post-harvest treatment 5.6 Harmful effect of pesticide: Poisoning and pollution 5.8 Safe use and misuse of pesticide | 10 |

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|--------------|-----------------------------|--|-----------|
| | | 5.9 Pesticide poisoning symptoms and first-aid measure 5.10 List of banned pesticides in Nepal | |
| 6. | Plant protection appliances | 6.1 Introduction to plant protection appliances 6.2 Plant protection appliances commonly used in Nepal <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sprayers • Dusters 6.3 Proper handling, care and maintenance of above equipment | 5 |
| 7. | Plant pest management | Explanation of the principles of plant pest management: 7.1 Physical method 7.2 Mechanical method 7.3 Cultural method 7.4 Biological method 7.5 Chemical method 7.6 Regulatory method 7.7 Genetic method | 5 |
| 8. | Crop management | 7.1 Definitions and concepts of ICM (Integrated crop management) 7.1.1 concepts, importance and principle of Integrated pest management (IPM) 7.1.2 Concepts, importance and principle Integrated weed management (IWM) | 8 |
| 9. | Mushroom cultivation | 8.1 Importance and scope of mushroom cultivation 8.2 Enumeration of poisonous and non-poisonous mushroom 8.3 Types of Mushroom and its cultivation (oyster, button & shitake) | 10 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical Activities

Practical and project work is an integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested

practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the basic and fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more relevant to their context and students' needs.

| Unit | Grade 9 | | |
|-------|-----------------------------|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Study the General study of common insects and diseases | 3 |
| 2. | Insects | 2.1 General features of common insects | 3 |
| | | 2.2 Life cycle of Arthropoda and insects | 3 |
| | | 2.3 Identify natural enemies of insects | 3 |
| | | 2.4 Identify common harmful and beneficial insects | 3 |
| 3. | Diseases | 3.1 Identify disease symptoms | 3 |
| 4. | Weeds | 4.1 Collect the samples of major weeds of major crops and prepare the herbarium | 3 |
| 5. | Pesticides | 5.1 Identify different pesticides found in Nepal | 3 |
| | | 5.2 Calculate amount of pesticide required | 4 |
| | | 5.3 Formulate and dilute pesticides | 3 |
| | | 5.4 Prepare of Bordeaux mixture | 3 |
| 6. | Plant protection appliances | 6.1 Identify different plant protection appliances. | 3 |
| 7.. | Plant pest management | 7.1 Collect and preserve different insects | 4 |
| | | 7.2 Collect and preserve insect-damaged plant part | 2 |
| | | 7.3 Collect and preserve diseased-plant and plant part | 4 |
| | | 7.4 Practice different method of pesticide application | 3 |
| | | 7.5 Practice of IPM in the field | 3 |
| | | 7.6 Apply indigenous method of pest management | 2 |
| 8. | Mushroom cultivation | 8.1 Visit to nearest the commercial mushroom farm | 3 |
| | | 8.2 Identify poisonous and non-poisonous mushroom | 3 |
| | | 8.3 Cultivate oyster/button/shitake mushrooms. | 3 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course aims to blend both theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge and skills required in the subject. So, its facilitation process differs from the traditional method of

delivery. The practical aspect is much more focused. So, methods and strategies that enable the practical skills in the students are much used in course of content facilitation. A facilitator encourages and assists students to learn for themselves engaging in different activities with practical tasks. To achieve the entire objectives from this syllabus, the teacher must use different techniques and processes while teaching. In particular, the teacher can make use of the following methods and strategies for the learning facilitation:

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- Discussion
- Demonstration and observation
- Problem solving
- Presentation method
- Project works
- Case study
- Practical works
- Field visit
- Visual method
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Subjects : Plant Protection

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| 3 | Diseases | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 4 | Weeds | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 5 | Pesticides | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 6 | Plant protection appliances | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 7 | Plant pest management | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 8 | Crop management | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 9 | Mushroom cultivation | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Industrial Entomology and Fish Culture

Grade: 10

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This course provides the clear concepts of beneficial insects such as honey bees, silkworms, lace insects and biological agents and crop pollinators. Similarly this curriculum also explains the characteristics of cultivable and cultivated fish species and their management practices.

This curriculum comprises of conceptual and fundamental principles and practices, beekeeping, sericulture, fish pond, fish culture system and fish preservation and marketing. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of the National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Identify bee species for keeping purpose
2. Explain life cycle of honey bee
3. Describe insect pests and diseases of honey bees and their control measures.
4. Cultivate suitable variety of mulberry for silkworm
5. Explain life cycle of silkworm
6. Rearing and harvesting of cocoon
7. Understand fish culture and fish farming
8. Rear fish with modern system
9. Identify fish diseases and control methods
10. Protect fish from predators

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| Section A (Industrial Entomology and Fish Culture) | | |
|---|---------------------|---|
| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
| 1. | Beekeeping | 1.1. Define apiculture and state its terminologies. 1.2. Explain the importance and scope of apiculture 1.3. List out different species of bee. 1.4. Illustrate the life cycle of bee 1.5. Point out the colony selection criteria for queen rearing. 1.6. Prepare the hive for baiting 1.7. Explain about colonization and stocking 1.8. Explain about swarming and its management technique 1.9. Describe about comb management 1.10. Acquire knowledge on sign symptoms, prevention and treatment related to different diseases of honeybee. 1.11. Write the technique to handle bee hive. 1.12. Manage the foraging of bee |
| 2. | Sericulture | 2.1. Introduce sericulture 2.2. Discuss the importance and scope of sericulture in Nepal. 2.3. Establish new mulberry garden 2.4. Discuss about site selection and plantation of mulberry plant 2.5. Rear silk worm & produce silk fiber 2.6. Practice to produce mulberry plants from cuttings 2.7. Observe the cocoon quality 2.8. Explain the characteristics of cocoon |
| Section B (Fish Culture) | | |
| 3. | Introduction | 3.1. Discuss the importance and scope of fish culture in Nepal 3.2. Identify indigenous and exotic fish species |

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| 4. | Fish pond | 4.1. Construct fish pond 4.2. Explain about the management of fish pond 4.3. Describe the control measure of aquatic weeds 4.4. List out important fish predators and identify their control measures |
| 5. | Fish culture system | 5.1. Describe the characteristics and cultivation practices of Tilapia, Pangasius, Common Carp and Mangur) 5.2. Describe poly culture of fish with its importance 5.3. Explain common fish disease with its prevention and treatment |
| 6. | Fish preservation and marketing | 6.1. Explain the harvesting method of fish 6.2. Explain about using ice for fish transport 6.3. Explain the fish packaging method 6.4. Describe fish transportation method |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Section A (Industrial Entomology and Fish Culture) | | | |
|---|--------------|--|-------------|
| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
| 1. | Beekeeping | 1.1. Introduction 1.2. Importance and scope 1.3. Varieties/types of bees 1.4. Life cycle 1.5. Bee colony and management 1.6. Selection of hive and baiting 1.7. Colonization and stocking 1.8. Swarming 1.9. Combs and their management 1.10. Pest, predators and disease 1.11. Hives, their types and selection 1.12. Foraging of bees | 20 |

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|----|-------------|--|----|
| 2. | Sericulture | 2.1. Introduction 2.2. Importance and scope 2.3. Mulberry cultivation 2.4. Silkworm rearing 2.5. Young age silkworm rearing 2.6. Late age silkworm rearing 2.7. Introduction of cocoon, cocoon quality, characteristics and classification 2.8. Silk production | 12 |
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Section B (Fish Culture)

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|--------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------|
| 3. | Introduction | 3.1. Definition, importance and scope of fish culture in Nepal 3.2. Indigenous and exotic fish species, their identification | 8 |
| 4. | Fish pond | 4.1. Fish-pond construction 4.2. Management of fish pond 4.3. Aquatic weeds and the control method 4.4. Fish predators and control methods | 10 |
| 5. | Fish culture system | 5.1. Mono culture (Tilapia, Pangasius, Common carp and Mangur) 5.2. Poly culture of fish and its importance 5.3. Common fish disease, prevention and treatment | 7 |
| 6. | Fish preservation and marketing | 6.1. Harvesting method 6.2. Use of ice for fish transport 6.3. Fish packaging method 6.4. Fish transportation method | 7 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their

learning of the theoretical subject content. Similarly, involving in a project work fosters the self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. As this subject emphasizes to develop both theoretical and practical knowledge and skills, some of the practical and project works are suggested for the students. However, the tasks presented here are the samples only. A teacher can assign the extra practical and project works as per the students' need or specific context.

| Unit | Grade 10 | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| | Section A (Industrial Entomology) | | |
| 1 | Beekeeping | 1.1 Identify of different varieties of bees | 2 |
| | | 1.2 Join and separate the colony | 3 |
| | | 1.3 Practice on queen production and management | 3 |
| | | 1.4 Prepare hive and practice its handling | 3 |
| | | 1.5 Familiar with the use of different protective wear and equipment | 2 |
| | | 1.6 Practice on honey and wax extraction | 3 |
| | | 1.7 Identify different diseases and pests | 4 |
| 2 | Sericulture | 2.1 Identify the silkworm | 3 |
| | | 2.2 Perform mulberry cultivation | 3 |
| | | 2.3 Identify different types of cocoon | 2 |
| | | 2.4 Visit and get acquainted with silk rearing industry | 6 |
| Section B (Fish Culture) | | | |
| 3 | Introduction | 3.1 Identify external and internal organs of fish | 2 |
| | | 3.2 Differentiate between the male and female fish | 3 |
| | | 3.3 Differentiate between healthy and diseased fish | 3 |
| 4 | Fish pond | 4.1 Practice layout and design of fish pond | 2 |
| | | 4.2 Identify different equipment and their uses in fish culture, breeding | 2 |
| | | 4.3 Identify planktons and weeds consumed by grass carp | 3 |
| 5 | Fish culture system | 5.1 Perform methods of fish seed stocking, growth checkup, feed, fertilizer and lime application | 3 |
| | | 5.2 Perform water quality test | 2 |
| | | 5.3 Prepare snake trap to control snake | 3 |
| | | 5.4 Prepare of drag net | 2 |

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|--------------|---------------------------------|---|----|
| 6 | Fish preservation and marketing | 6.1 Harvest fish using different methods | 3 |
| | | 6.2 Pack fish in ice for transportation to market | 2 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course aims to blend both theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge and skills required in the subject. So, its facilitation process differs from the traditional method of delivery. The practical aspect is much more focused. So, methods and strategies that enable the practical skills in the students are much used in course of content facilitation. A facilitator encourages and assists students to learn for themselves engaging in different activities with practical tasks. To achieve the entire objectives from this syllabus, the teacher must use different techniques and processes while teaching.

In particular, the teacher can make use of the following methods and strategies for the learning facilitation:

- Demonstration and observation
- Questionnaire
- Exhibition method
- Practical Works
- Audio/Visual aids
- Assignments and presentation
- Project Works
- Problem solving
- Exploration
- Group discussion
- Groupworks and individual works

7. Student' Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student' learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment, etc. are some of the ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

a. Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation covers 50 Percent weightage. Internal evaluation consists of practical activities i.e. practical works and projects works (35%), marks from trimester examinations (10%), and classroom participation (5%). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Mani activities | Activities in detail | Marks |
|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1. | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2. | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | 5 marks in first and second semester each | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external examiners. Evaluation of experiment will focus both on the product of work and the skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their works either individually or on group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external examiner.

b. External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Question paper for

examination will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's Taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating and creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 10

Subjects : Industrial Entomology and fish culture

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|---------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Beekeeping | 20 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 16 |
| 2 | Sericulture | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 3 | Introduction | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 4 | Fish pond | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 5 | Fish culture system | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 6 | Fish preservation and marketing | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Food Crop Production

Grade: 10

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This curriculum provides the theoretical as well as practical knowledge of improved agronomical practices of cereal, oilseed, grain legume and industrial crop production. This course also consists of basic knowledge and skill related to production of major foods and their role in ensuring food security.

This curriculum comprises of conceptual and fundamental principles and Practices, an Introduction, Cultivation of cereal crops, Cultivation of oilseed crops, summer and winter grain legume production. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with the National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both the theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical weightage. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation processes and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Explain the principles of crop husbandry in relation to successful production of major field crops
2. Cultivate the major and minor crops like rice, maize, wheat, oil seeds, pulses and industrial crops.
3. Describe the relationship between crop productivity and cultural practices
4. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of agronomical crops
5. Be familiar with agronomical practices for production of cereals, oil seeds, grain legumes, cash and industrial crops

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|---|---|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Differentiate between subsistence and commercial agriculture 1.2. Classify cereals, oilseeds, grain legumes, cash and industrial crops 1.3. Discuss the importance and scope of agronomical crops in Nepal 1.4. Explain the geographical distribution of agronomical crops in Nepal |
| 2. | Cultivation of cereal crops | 2.1. Cultivate the major and minor cereal crops like rice, maize, wheat, millet, buckwheat, and barley 2.2. Be familiar with agronomical practices for the production of cereal crops |
| 3. | Cultivation of oilseed crops | 3.1. Cultivate oilseed crops like rapeseed, mustard, sunflower, linseed 3.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of oilseed crops 3.3. Be familiar with modern agronomical practices for the production of oilseed crops |
| 4. | Summer and winter grain legume production | 4.1. Cultivate legume crops like lentil, chickpea, cowpea, pigeon pea 4.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of legumes crops 4.3. Be familiar with modern agronomical practices for production of the legume crops |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Definition of food security and sustainable agriculture 1.2. Concept of food security and its importance 1.3. Geographical distribution of agronomical crops in Nepal | 8 |

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|----|---|--|----|
| 2. | Cultivation of cereal crops | <p>Study of the following crops with respect to origin, distribution, area, production, climate, soil, variety, land preparation, manure, field preparation, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pest, disease, harvesting, yield, storage and economics of production: trade/marketing</p> <p>2.1. Rice 2.2. Wheat 2.3. Maize 2.4. Millet 2.5. Buckwheat 2.6. Barley</p> | 24 |
| 3. | Cultivation of oilseed crops | <p>Study of the following crops with respect to origin, distribution, area, production, climate, soil, variety, land preparation, manure, field preparation, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pest, disease, harvesting, yield, storage and economics of production: trade/marketing</p> <p>3.1. Rapeseed 3.2. Mustard 3.3. Sunflower 3.4. Linseed 3.5. Ground nut</p> | 16 |
| 4. | Summer and winter grain legume production | <p>Study of the following crops with respect to origin, distribution, area, production, trade, climate, soil, variety, land preparation, manure, seed treatment, field preparation, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pest, disease, harvesting, yield, storage and economics of production: trade/marketing</p> <p>4.1. Lentil 4.2. Chickpea 4.3. Cowpea 4.4. Pigeon pea</p> | 16 |

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|--------------|--|---------------|-----------|
| | | 4.5. Soyabean | |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical and project works are integral parts of reinforcing the students' learning. So the new curriculum provisions the practical and projects works as a part of curriculum. Some of the sample practical and project works are suggested herewith. However, a teacher can adopt them or use similar other project works as per their students need and specific context.

| Unit | Grade 10 | | |
|--------------|---|---|-----------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Identify seed and plants of agronomical crops and prepare herbarium file | 8 |
| 2. | Cultivation of cereal crops | 2.1 Calculate the doses of fertilizers and apply as basal and top dressing | 9 |
| | | 2.2 Collect/identify weeds of common crops | 4 |
| | | 2.3 Cultivation of major cereal crops | 12 |
| 3. | Cultivation of oilseed crops | 3.1 Collect/identify common insect pests and diseases of oilseedcrops | 6 |
| | | 3.2 Identify/collect weed insect pest and disease of oilseed crops | 6 |
| 4. | Summer and winter grain legume production | 4.1 Calculate and understand the spraying technique of pesticides/herbicide/fungicide to control pests and diseases | 12 |
| 5. | Miscellaneous | 5.1 Collect various agronomical seeds | 7 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

Learning facilitation process is the crux of the teaching and learning activity. One topic can be facilitated through two or more than two methods or processes. The degree of usage will be based on the nature of the content to be facilitated. However, a teacher should focus on methods and techniques that are more student centered and appropriate to facilitate the content. The following facilitation methods, techniques and strategies will be applied while conducting the teaching learning process:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Presentation
- Case study
- Practical works
- Project works
- Field visit and report writing
- Group works and pair works
- Exploration

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| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |

| | | | |
|--------------|---------------|--|-----------|
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5. | Internal exam | 5 marks in first and second semester each | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

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Specification Grid

Grade: 10

Subjects : Food Crop Production

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks | | | | |
|------|---|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|--|--|--|----|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | | | | | |
| 1 | Introduction | 8 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 6 | | | | |
| 2 | Cultivation of cereal crops | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| 3 | Cultivation of oilseed crops | 16 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 |
| 4 | Summer and winter grain legume production | 16 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | | | | | | | | | 50 |

Horticultural Crop Production

Grade: 10

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This curriculum helps to manage the cultivation of potential fruits and plantation crops for commercial production in Nepal. This course also provides knowledge and skills on the principles and practices of vegetable and spice crop production in Nepal.

This curriculum comprises conceptual and fundamental principles and practices of horticultural crops: an introduction, cultivation of tropical fruit crops, cultivation of sub-tropical fruit crops, cultivation of temperate fruit crops, cultivation of cole crops, cultivation of root crops, cultivation of leafy vegetable crops, cultivation of tuber crops, cultivation practices of leguminous crops, cultivation practices of solanaceous crops, cultural practices of bulb crops, cultivation practices of cucurbitaceous vegetable crops, cultivation practices of spices crops and plantation crops. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Acquire general knowledge about horticulture
2. Cultivate the tropical fruits crops
3. Cultivate the sub-tropical fruits crops
4. Cultivate the temperate fruits crops
5. Cultivate the vegetables crops
6. Cultivate the spice crops
7. Cultivate the plantation crops
8. Identify common insect's pests/ disease of horticultural crops
9. Identify method of harvesting, processing and storage of horticultural crops

3. Grade wise Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|---|--|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Define horticulture 1.2. Describe the importance and scope of horticultural crop production in Nepal 1.3. List out the constraints to horticultural crop production and suggest possible remedies |
| 2. | Cultivation of tropical fruit crops | 2.1. Cultivate the tropical crops like mango, papaya, litchi, pineapple, banana 2.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of tropical crops 2.3. Identify the stage of maturity and method of harvesting of tropical fruits crops. |
| 3. | Cultivation of sub-tropical fruit crops | 3.1. Cultivate the sub-tropical crops like mandarin, sweet orange, lime, lemon, pomegranate & kiwi 3.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of sub-tropical crops 3.3. Identify the stage of maturity and method of harvesting of sub-tropical fruits crops. |
| 4. | Cultivation of temperate fruit crops | 4.1. Be familiar with cultivation practices of temperate crops. 4.2. Cultivate the temperate crops like apple, pear, peach, grape 4.3. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of temperate crops. 4.4. Identify the stage of maturity and method of harvesting of temperate fruits crops. |
| 5. | Cultivation of cole crops | 5.1. Cultivate the cole crops like cauliflower, broccoli, cabbage 5.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of cole crops 5.3. Identify the stage of maturity and method of harvesting of cole crops. |
| 6. | Cultivation practices of root crops | 6.1. Cultivate the root crops like radish and carrot 6.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of root crop 6.3. Identify the stage of maturity and method of harvesting of root crops. |

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| 7. | Cultivation practices of leafy vegetable | 7.1. Cultivate the leafy vegetable crops like broadleaf mustard, spinach 7.2. Identify common insects, pest/ diseases of leafy vegetable crops 7.3. Identify the method of harvesting of leafy vegetable crops |
| 8. | Cultivation practice of tuber crops | 8.1. Cultivate the tubercrops like potato and yam 8.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of tubercrops 8.3. Identify the method of harvesting of tubercrops |
| 9. | Cultivation practices of leguminous crops | 9.1. Cultivate the leguminous crops like peas, bean and cowpea 9.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of leguminous crops 9.3. Identify the method of harvesting of leguminous crops |
| 10. | Cultivation practices of solanaceous crops | 10.1. Cultivate the solanaceous crops like chilly, capsicum, tomato, brinjal & okra 10.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of solanaceous crops 10.3. Identify the method of harvesting of solanaceous crops |
| 11. | Cultural practices of bulb crops | 11.1. Cultivate the bulb crops like peas, onion, garlic 11.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of bulb crops 11.3. Identify the method of harvesting of bulb crops |
| 12. | Cultivation practices of cucurbitaceous vegetables | 12.1. Cultivate the cucurbitaceous crops like bitter gourd, bottle gourd, cucumber, watermelon, pointed gourd, pumpkin and squash 12.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of cucurbitaceous crops 12.3. Identify the method of harvesting of cucurbitaceous crops |
| 13. | Cultivation practices of spices | 13.1. Cultivate the spices crops like ginger, coriander, cumin, cardamom, turmeric 13.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of spices crops 13.3. Identify the method of harvesting of spices crops |
| 14. | Cultivation of plantation crops | 14.1. Cultivate the plantation crops like tea, coffee 14.2. Identify common insects, pest/diseases of plantation crops 14.3. Identify the method of harvesting of plantation crops |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|---|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Specific horticulture crops growing area in Nepal 1.2 Potential of horticultural crop production in Nepal 1.3 Constraints in commercial horticultural crop production and possible remedies | 4 |
| 2. | Cultivation of tropical fruit crops | Introduction, uses, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, propagation methods, cultivation practices (system of planting, preparation of pits, irrigation, manuring and fertilization, training and pruning, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 2.1 Mango 2.2 Papaya 2.3 Litchi 2.4 Pineapple 2.5 Banana | 15 |
| 3. | Cultivation of sub-tropical fruit crops | Introduction, uses, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, propagation methods, cultivation practices (system of planting, preparation of pits, irrigation, manuring and fertilization, training and pruning, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 3.1 Mandarin orange 3.2 Sweet orange 3.3 Lime | 5 |
| 4. | Cultivation of temperate fruit crops | Introduction, uses, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, propagation methods, cultivation practices (system of planting, preparation of pits, irrigation, manuring and fertilization, training and pruning, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 4.1 Apple 4.2 Pear 4.3 Grapes | 7 |

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| 5. | Cultivation of cole crops | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 5.1 Cauliflower 5.2 Brocauli 5.3 Cabbage | 5 |
| 6. | Cultivation practices of root crops | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 6.1 Radish 6.2 Carrot | 3 |
| 7. | Cultivation practices of leafy vegetable | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 7.1 Broad leaf mustard 7.2 Spinach | 4 |
| 8. | Cultivation practices of solanaceous crops | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 8.1 Chili/Capsicum 8.2 Tomato 8.3 Potato | 8 |

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| 9. | Cultural practices of bulb crops | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 9.1 Onion 9.2 Garlic | 3 |
| 10. | Cultivation practices of cucurbitaceous vegetables | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 10.1 Bitter gourd 10.2 Bottle gourd 10.3 Cucumber | 5 |
| 11. | Cultivation practices of spices | Introduction, origin and distribution, varieties, soil and climate, nursery bed preparation, cultivation practices (sowing/transplanting, manuring and fertilization, irrigation, intercultural operation), harvesting, common insect pest and disease of 11.1 Ginger 11.2 Coriander 11.3 Cumin 11.4 Cardamom 11.5 Turmeric | 5 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

Practical and project work is an integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the basic and fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more relevant to their context and students' needs.

| Unit | Grade 10 | | |
|-------|--|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Understand the nomenclature of fruits and vegetable crops | 3 |
| | | 1.2 Identify the tools used in horticulture | 2 |
| | | 1.3 Identify of major vegetable and be familiar with the varietal characteristics | 3 |
| 2. | Cultivation of tropical fruit crops | 2.1 Practice on the training and pruning of fruit trees | 5 |
| | | 2.2 Perform manuring and fertilization of fruit crops | 3 |
| 3. | Cultivation of sub-tropical fruit crops | 3.1 Manage the nutrition of tropical fruit crops | 2 |
| | | 3.2 Identify the nutritional deficiencies in fruit crops | 3 |
| 4. | Cultivation of temperate fruit crops | 4.1 Study the bearing habits of fruits crops | 3 |
| 5. | Cultivation of cole crops | 5.1 Prepare the nursery beds and field for cole crops | 5 |
| 6. | Cultivation practices of root crops | 6.1 Perform intercultural operation (thinning, gap filling, weeding, mulching, earthing up staking) of vegetable | 5 |
| | | 6.2 Be familiar with the manuring and fertilization system in rootcrops | 5 |
| 7. | Cultivation practices of leafy vegetable | 7.1 Identify and manage the weeds in leafy vegetable crops | 5 |
| 8. | Cultivation practices of solanaceous crops | 8.1 Practice on the cultivation of solanaceous crops | 10 |
| 9. | Cultural practices of bulb crops | 9.1 Practice on the cultivation of bulb crops | 5 |
| 10. | Cultivation practices of cucurbitaceous vegetables | 10.1 Judge the harvest maturity in cucurbitaceous vegetable crops | 5 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Learning facilitation process is the crux of the teaching and learning activity. One topic can be facilitated through two or more than two methods or processes. The degree of usage will be based on the nature of the content to be facilitated. However, a teacher should focus on methods and techniques that are more student-centered and appropriate to facilitate the learning. The following facilitation methods, techniques and strategies will be applied while conducting the teaching learning process:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Presentation
- Case study
- Practical works
- Project works
- Field visit and report writing
- Group works and pair works
- Exploration

7. Student' Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student' learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment, etc. are some of the ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

a. Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation covers 50 Percent weightage. Internal evaluation consists of practical activities i.e. practical works and projects works (35%), marks from trimester examinations (10%), and classroom participation (5%). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or

created by teachers.

Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Mani activities | Activities in detail | Marks |
|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1. | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2. | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5. | Internal exam | 5 marks in first and second semester each | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external examiners. Evaluation of experiment will focus both on the product of work and the skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their works either individually or on group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external examiner.

b. External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Question paper for examination will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's Taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating and creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 10

Subjects : Horticultural Crop Production

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|--|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 3 |
| 2 | Cultivation of tropical fruit crops | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| 3 | Cultivation of sub-tropical fruit crops | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 4 | Cultivation of temperate fruit crops | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 5 | Cultivation of cole crops | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 6 | Cultivation practices of root crops | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 7 | Cultivation practices of leafy vegetable | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 8 | Cultivation practice of tuber crops | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 9 | Cultivation practices of solanaceous crops | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 10 | Cultural practices of bulb crops | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 11 | Cultivation practices of cucurbitaceous vegetables | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 12 | Cultivation practices of spices | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| | Total | 64 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Floriculture and Nursery Management

Grade: 10

Credit Hrs.: 4

Working Hrs.: 128

1. Introduction

This course is designed to develop necessary skills and knowledge of horticultural techniques required for general nursery management, plant propagation, flower production and landscaping. This course provides various principles and practices in the field of plant propagation, nursery technique and basic principles and practices for the flower cultivation and land beautification for indoor and outdoor gardening.

This curriculum comprises fundamental conceptual and fundamental principles and practices of flower production: an introduction, garden, ornamental plants, introduction to nursery, nursery containers, nursery structures, and propagation from seeds, vegetative propagation. It will be delivered using both the practical and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real-world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with the National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both the theoretical and practical aspects having equal theory and practice. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise learning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Classify ornamental plants and discuss their importance and scope.
2. Design landscape and maintain lawn
3. Describe the cultivation practices of major ornamental plants.
4. Establish nursery for ornamental plants.
5. Develop concepts on nursery container and media mixture.
6. Understand different types of nursery container.
7. Identify the different nursery structure.
8. Practice on different types of propagation.

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|-------------------------|--|
| 1.. | Introduction | 1.1. Define floriculture 1.2. Describe the importance, scope and challenges of floriculture in Nepal 1.3. Classify of ornamental plants |
| 2. | Garden | 2.1. Define garden 2.2. State the scope and importance of garden 2.3. Explain garden types 2.4. Design landscape and maintain lawn 2.5. Describe the principle of landscape design |
| 3. | Ornamental plants | 3.1. Perform the cultivation of gladiolus, rose, carnation, gerbera, tuberose, marigold, chrysanthemum and orchid 3.2. Select plant for indoor gardening 3.3. Practice potting and repotting technique of flower 3.4. Prepare bonsai 3.5. Explain the post-harvest management of flowers and vase life |
| 4. | Introduction to nursery | 4.1. Define nursery with its type. 4.2. Discuss the scope and importance of nursery in Nepal |
| 5. | Nnursery media | 5.1. Point out the characteristics of media 5.2. Discuss the properties and use of media(soil, sand, compost, vermiculite, sphagnum moss) 5.3. Prepare mixture for container growing and treat media |
| 6. | Nursery containers | 6.1. Discuss on nursery containers (clay pots, plastic pots, polyethylene bags) |
| 7. | Nursery structures | 7.1. Prepare hotbed for seedling raising 7.2. Prepare Plastic tunnel 7.3. Acquire the knowledge on greenhouse |
| 8. | Propagation from seeds | 8.1. Illustrate seed viability test 8.2. Explain seed dormancy with its causes and method to breaking seed dormancy 8.3. Prepare seedbed and treat seedbed before sowing 8.4. Mention point to be considered for seedling care |

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| 9. | Vegetative propagation | <p>9.1. Point out reasons for using vegetative propagation</p> <p>9.2. Practice propagation of seedless plant</p> <p>9.3. Explain the various methods of propagation</p> <p>9.4. List out the advantages and disadvantages of cutting</p> <p>9.5. Practice hardwood and semi-hardwood cutting</p> <p>9.6. Define layering with advantages and disadvantages</p> <p>9.7. Explain the different techniques of layering</p> <p>9.8. Perform air layering</p> <p>9.9. Practice grafting and budding</p> <p>9.10. Explain different techniques of grafting and budding</p> |
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1. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|-------------------|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction | <p>1.1. Meaning, importance and scope and challenges of floriculture in Nepal</p> <p>1.2. Current status of floriculture in Nepal</p> <p>1.3. Classification of ornamental plants</p> <p>1.4. Definition of nursery</p> <p>1.5. Importance and scope nurseries</p> | 4 |
| 2. | Garden | <p>2.1. Meaning, scope and importance</p> <p>2.2. Garden types</p> <p>2.3. Concept of landscape gardening</p> <p>2.4. Principle of landscape design</p> <p>2.5. Preparation and maintenance of lawn</p> | 4 |
| 3. | Ornamental plants | <p>3.1. Cultivation with respect to uses, variety, soil and climatic requirement, planting, maturing, training and pruning, disease and insect pest control, harvest and post-harvest of:</p> <p>a. Gladiolus</p> <p>b. Rose</p> <p>c. Carnation</p> | 20 |

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d. Gerbera e. Tuberose f. Marigold g. Chrysanthemum h. Orchid <p>3.2 Indoor gardening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Selection and maintenance b. Pot culture and hanging basket c. Bonsai, its criteria and classification/types d. Post-harvest management of flowers and vase life | |
| 4. | Introduction to nursery | <p>4.1. Definition of nursery with its types</p> <p>4.2. Discussion on the scope and importance of nursery in Nepal.</p> | 1 |
| 5. | Nursery media | <p>5.3. Characteristics of media</p> <p>5.4. Properties and use of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5.4.1. Soil 5.4.2. Sand 5.4.3. Compost 5.4.4. Vermiculite 5.4.5. Sphagnum moss <p>5.5. Mixture for container growing</p> <p>5.6. Treatment of media and mixes</p> | 3 |
| 6. | Nursery containers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 6.1. Clay pots 6.2. Plastic pots 6.3. Polyethylene bags 6.4. Jute bags 6.5. Cemented bags | 3 |
| 7. | Nursery structures | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7.1. Hotbed and cold frame 7.2. Poly tunnel 7.3. Greenhouse and glass house | 5 |

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|--------------|------------------------|---|-----------|
| 8. | Propagation from seeds | 8.1. Advantages and disadvantages 8.2. Collection of seeds 8.3. Seeds: Viability and germination 8.4. Seed dormancy and its causes 8.5. Breaking seed dormancy 8.6. Preparation of seedbed 8.7. Seed bed treatment and sowing 8.8. Care and maintenance of seedling 8.9. Packaging and marketing | 9 |
| 9. | Vegetative propagation | 9.1. Reasons for using vegetative propagation 9.1.1. Propagation of seedless plant 9.1.2. Avoidance of long juvenile phase 9.2. Methods of propagation 9.2.1. Cutting 9.2.1.1. Advantages and disadvantages of cutting 9.2.1.2. Different techniques of cutting 9.2.2. Layering 9.2.2.1. Advantages and disadvantages of layering 9.2.2.2. Different techniques of layering 9.2.3. Grafting and budding 9.2.3.1. Advantages and disadvantages of grafting and budding 9.2.3.2. Different techniques of grafting and budding | 15 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. Similarly, involving in a project work fosters the self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. As this subject

emphasizes to develop both theoretical and practical knowledge and skills, some of the practical and project works are suggested for the students. However, the tasks presented here are the samples only. A teacher can assign the extra practical and project works as per the students' need or specific context.

| Unit | Grade 10 | | |
|-------|------------------------|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1 Identify ornamental plants: seasonal and perennials | 3 |
| | | 1.2 Be familiar with commonly used tools for gardening and lawn making | 3 |
| 2. | Garden | 2.1 Prepare lawn | 3 |
| | | 2.2 Prepare landscape designs for residential / public building / park | 7 |
| | | 2.3 Maintain garden sanitation for ensuring disease and pests management | 3 |
| 3. | Ornamental plants | 3.1 Potting and repotting of ornamental plants | 3 |
| | | 3.2 Perform training / pruning of ornament plants | 3 |
| | | 3.3 Select flowers and perform flower arrangements | 3 |
| | | 3.4 Identify ornamental plants: seasonal and perennials | 3 |
| 4. | Nursery media | 4.1 Prepare nursery / annual beds | 3 |
| | | 4.2 Sow seeds / transplant seedlings | 4 |
| | | 4.3 Perform packaging / handling / marketing of nursery plants | 3 |
| 5. | Nursery containers | 5.1 Prepare media / soil mixture for container grown plants | 3 |
| 6. | Nursery containers | 6.1 Prepare potting mixture | 3 |
| | | 6.2 Prepare plastic tunnels / hotbed | 3 |
| 7. | Nursery structures | 7.1 Treat seed for breaking dormancy | 3 |
| 8. | Propagation from seeds | 8.1 Collect seeds for propagation | 2 |
| 9. | Vegetative propagation | 9.1 Prepare cuttings of ornamental plants | 3 |
| | | 9.2 Prepare soil /air layering | 3 |
| | | 9.3 Prepare grafting/budding | 3 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

Learning facilitation process is determined according to the content to be dealt with in the subject. It is also an art of teacher. The teacher should utilize such teaching methods and techniques that are appropriate to the contents and needs of the students. In facilitating the course, various approaches, methods and techniques are used. To be particular, the following major methods and strategies are used in this subject:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Practical works
- Presentation
- Case study
- Project works
- Field visit and report writing
- Group works and individual works
- Exhibition method

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| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3. | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4. | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
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Specification Grid

Grade: 10

Subjects : Floriculture and Nursery Management

Time : 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 3 |
| 2 | Garden | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 3 | Ornamental plants | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 |
| 4 | Nursery Media | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 5 | Nursery containers | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 6 | Nursery structures | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 7 | Propagation from seeds | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| 8 | Vegetative propagation | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| | Total | 64 | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

English

Grade: 11 and 12

Subject code:

Eng. 003 (Grade 11)

Eng. 004 (Grade 12)

Credit hour: 4

Annual working hour: 128

1. Introduction

English is a lingua franca and is an appropriate international language for Nepal to be connected with global community. It is not only the language of international communication but also a language of higher education, mass media, information and communication technology (ICT), business, tourism, science and medicine. In the context of Nepal, English is necessary for various purposes. To be specific, our learners need English to participate in classroom interactions; to study course materials; to read things for pleasure and general information; to gain access to the world body of knowledge; to read and enjoy a wide range of literary texts, to participate in international meetings, seminars and conferences; to communicate with foreigners in general; to enhance their career development, and many more. English is taught as a compulsory subject from grade one to the bachelors level.

Ministry of Education, Science and Technology (MoEST) has approved the National Curriculum Framework (NCF), 2076 addressing the changed socio-political condition of the country and the current needs of the learners. This grade 11 and 12 English curriculum has been developed in line with the spirit of the new NCF. The present curriculum addresses all four language skills with prime focus on reading and writing skills. It focuses on the types of reading and writing skills that are necessary for the students in their real life. It also includes the language functions which the students need for their further studies and the world of work. A strong grammatical foundation is also given due consideration in this curriculum. This curriculum is based on the principle that learners learn language when they get sufficient opportunity to use it in appropriate contexts. Content should not be detached from the use of language. Content and language should be integrated while teaching. Therefore, the curriculum has focused not only on language and language functions, but also on a variety of fiction and non-fiction texts which provide a meaningful context for language learning. For some students, secondary education serves as a basis for preparation for the university education, whereas for some other students, it may be a preparation for entry into the world of work. This curriculum tries to address the linguistic requirements of both types of students.

This curriculum focuses on both the intensive reading of texts which is intended for

language development in the learners and the extensive reading of texts which is intended for processing content and developing higher order reading and writing skills. Soft skills including critical thinking and creativity of the students have also been given due importance. For this purpose, a wide variety of texts have been included under various themes and topics. This curriculum includes level-wise competencies of students, grade-wise learning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, learning facilitation process and evaluation process.

2. Competencies

This curriculum of Grade 11 and 12 in English language aims at developing the following competencies in the learners:

1. Use both spoken and written English for general and academic purposes in a variety of personal, social and academic contexts.
2. Read a wide variety of texts for information and understanding.
3. Read a variety of literary texts for pleasure and appreciation.
4. Read, reflect and interpret a wide range of texts.
5. Critically analyze and evaluate ideas in a wide range of level appropriate texts.
6. Search, select and manage information from various textual and online sources.
7. Create a variety of writing for different purposes and audiences with appropriate content, style and accuracy.
8. Produce a variety of creative and critical writings.
9. Appreciate diverse cultures.
10. Listen and respond in English with accuracy and fluency
11. Communicate clearly and effectively in a range of situations using verbal and non-verbal communication strategies.

3. Grade-wise Learning Outcomes

The learning outcomes in this curriculum are distributed between grade eleven and twelve based on their levels of difficulty. However, the same learning outcomes may be introduced in grade eleven and consolidated in grade twelve. Therefore, these may go in a sequence and will be addressed in the resource materials and pedagogy.

3.1 Listening

| Listening constructs | Learning outcomes | |
|---|---|---|
| | Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
| 1. Identify and discriminate stress and intonation patterns. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the speaker's attitudes and feelings through their use of stress and intonation. ▪ Show an understanding of differentiating tones (warnings, advice, suggestion, etc.). ▪ Identify the effects of supra-segmental features in a connected speech. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the speaker's attitudes and feelings through their use of stress and intonation. ▪ Identify the speaker's purpose by distinguishing tone and intonation patterns. ▪ Identify the effects of supra-segmental features and phonological processes in a connected speech. ▪ Identify the key words and phrases in the given text. ▪ 1.5 Identify the differences between formal and informal English. |
| 2. Listen to the spoken text and understand its gist and retrieve specific information from it. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the gist of a listening text. ▪ Retrieve specific information from spoken English. ▪ Compare and contrast information. ▪ Show an understanding of the functions of common discourse markers. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the gist, main idea and supporting details of a listening text. ▪ Retrieve specific information from spoken English, and take notes. ▪ Compare and contrast information. ▪ Distinguish between cause and effect. ▪ Interpret information and auditory cues. ▪ Show an understanding of the functions of a wide range of discourse markers. |

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| <p>3. Make inference while listening</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make predictions about the subsequent content using prior knowledge, phonological clues and contextual clues. ▪ Make inference about themes and message of the spoken text from prior knowledge and contextual clues. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make predictions about the subsequent content, actions and events using prior knowledge, phonological clues and contextual clues. ▪ Make inference about purpose, intentions, themes and message of the spoken text from prior knowledge and contextual clues. |
| <p>4. Listen to the spoken text and critically analyse and evaluate the information in it.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Distinguish between facts and opinions in a spoken text. ▪ Draw conclusions from main ideas, specific details, prior knowledge and contextual clues. ▪ Identify the content and organisation of presentations. ▪ Form opinions about ideas presented in listening texts. ▪ Understand the meaning of common idiomatic expressions. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Separate facts from opinions in a spoken text. ▪ Draw conclusions from main ideas, specific details, prior knowledge and contextual clues. ▪ Identify different points of view and make judgment. ▪ Make judgment on the relevance of spoken message. ▪ Evaluate the content and organisation of presentations. ▪ Form and interpret opinions about ideas presented in texts. ▪ Understand and interpret the meaning of common and grade appropriate idiomatic expressions. |
| <p>5. Listen to the spoken text and take note of important information.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Listen to a variety of audio materials (e.g. lectures, conversations, personal accounts, narratives and | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Listen to a variety of audio materials (e.g. lectures, conversations, personal accounts, narratives and |

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| | <p>explanations) and take notes of them.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Restate what has been heard. | <p>explanations) and take notes of them.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Restate what has been heard. |
| 6. Participate actively and effectively in an interaction. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Participate as an active listener in an interaction and discussion. ▪ Ask for clarification and elaboration. ▪ Respond to the speaker with appropriate facial expressions and gestures. ▪ Respect the age, gender, social position and cultural traditions of the speaker. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Participate as an active listener in an interaction and discussion. ▪ Ask for clarification and elaboration. ▪ Respond to the speaker with appropriate facial expressions and gestures. ▪ Respect the age, gender, social position and cultural traditions of the speaker. ▪ Collaborate with others in order to explore and discuss understanding of spoken texts. |
| 7. Listen to instructions, directions and announcements and follow them. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Show an understanding of complex directions and instructions. ▪ Show an understanding of common public announcements e.g. at an airport, at a stadium, etc. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Show an understanding of complex directions and instructions. ▪ Show an understanding of common public announcements e.g. at an airport, at a stadium, etc.. |
| 8. Gain knowledge and understanding of target culture (s) through listening. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify nationality/ background of speaker (s) of listening texts ▪ Demonstrate an understanding of the patterns of interactions from various English speaking cultures. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Demonstrate an understanding of the patterns of interactions from various English speaking cultures. ▪ Analyse the verbal and non-verbal social conventions that characterize the English speaking cultures. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Show an understanding of verbal and non- verbal social conventions that characterize the English speaking culture. ▪ Compare and contrast the practices of both national and international cultures. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Show an understanding of verbal and non- verbal social conventions that characterize the English speaking culture. ▪ Evaluate the practices and values of both national and international cultures. |
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3.2 Speaking

| Speaking constructs | Learning outcomes | |
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| | Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
| 1. Participate effectively in interactions and conversations. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Initiate, maintain and conclude an interaction using appropriate expressions. ▪ Take part in conversations on subjects of common interest. ▪ Speak fluently, accurately and effectively in different situations on a wide range of general or leisure topics. ▪ Understand and respond to what has been said by the other interlocutors in conversation. ▪ Ask questions for clarification and understanding. ▪ Respond to questions. ▪ Present ideas, opinions, experiences and arguments with confidence. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Initiate, maintain and conclude an interaction using both verbal and non-verbal expressions and with confidence. ▪ Take part in relatively long conversation with multiple speakers on subjects of common interest. ▪ Speak fluently, accurately and effectively according to social norms and cultural values in different situations on a wide range of general, academic, vocational or leisure topics. ▪ Understand and respond to what has been said by the other interlocutors in conversation. ▪ Ask questions for clarification and understanding. ▪ Respond to questions in a convincing way. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Respect age, gender, social position of the listener. ▪ Indicate understanding and express certainty or uncertainty. ▪ Make proper use of extra linguistic features such as facial expressions and gestures. ▪ Use common discourse markers. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Respect age, gender, social position and cultural traditions of the listener. ▪ Present ideas, opinions, experiences and arguments with confidence. ▪ Use discourse markers to enable others to follow what is being said. ▪ Respond with suggestions, feedback and different viewpoints. ▪ Change the topic of an interaction as required. ▪ Indicate understanding and express certainty or uncertainty. ▪ Negotiate meaning in communication. ▪ Make proper use of extra linguistic features such as facial expressions and gestures. ▪ Use a wide range of discourse markers. |
| <p>2. Participate effectively in an informal discussion.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Convey message effectively using appropriate language functions. ▪ Comment and put forward point of a view clearly. ▪ Give opinions on the topic of discussion. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Convey message effectively using appropriate language functions and idiomatic expressions. ▪ Comment and put forward a point of view clearly and evaluate alternative proposals. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Comment on another person's opinions or viewpoints. ▪ Express thoughts and ideas using verbal and non-verbal communication strategies. ▪ Respect others' views and ideas. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Give opinions by providing relevant explanations, arguments and comments. ▪ Comment on and judge another person's views and opinions with argument. ▪ Be aware of social etiquette and apply in conversation. ▪ Respect others' views and ideas. |
| 3. Participate effectively in a formal discussion. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Have a discussion on matters related to his/her field. ▪ Ask and reformulate questions as required. ▪ Present a point of view clearly. ▪ Present and respond to arguments. ▪ Take part in informal debates on the issues of current topics and concerns. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Have a discussion on matters related to his/her field. ▪ Ask, reformulate and paraphrase questions as required. ▪ Present a point of view clearly and in a convincing way. ▪ Present and respond to arguments convincingly. ▪ Take part in both formal and informal debates on the issues of current topics and concerns. ▪ Make critical remarks or express disagreement. |
| 4. Give and take an interview. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Actively participate in an interview both as a interviewer and as an interviewee. ▪ Expand the points being discussed. ▪ Check and confirm information. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Actively participate in an interview, including group interview both as a interviewer and as an interviewee. ▪ Expand the points being discussed in a persuasive way. ▪ Check and confirm information. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ask questions and respond to them properly. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ask questions and respond to them properly. |
| 5. Use telecommunications effectively. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use telecommunications such as telephone, Skype and Viber effectively for personal purposes. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use telecommunications such as telephone, Skype and Viber effectively for personal and professional purposes. ▪ Maintain appropriate etiquette and ethics of telecommunications. |
| 6. Narrate a sequence of events or process | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Narrate a sequence of events or processes using appropriate structures and vocabulary. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Narrate a sequence of events or processes using appropriate structures and vocabulary. |
| 7. Use supra-segmental features like stress, tone and intonation for expressing a range of meanings and emotions. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Speak fluently and accurately with acceptable pronunciation, stress and intonation patterns. ▪ Produce utterances with appropriate features of connected speech such as assimilation and elision. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Speak fluently and accurately with acceptable pronunciation, stress and intonation patterns. ▪ Produce utterances with appropriate features of connected speech such as assimilation and elision. |
| 8. Make effective presentations. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Generate ideas and make presentations appropriate to the purpose and audience. ▪ Choose appropriate expressions and registers according to the context/field. ▪ Maintain appropriate posture and eye contact. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Generate ideas and make presentations appropriate to the purpose, audience, time and style. ▪ Choose appropriate expressions and registers according to the context/field. ▪ Use appropriate discourse markers. ▪ Maintain appropriate posture and eye contact. ▪ Use effective presentation skills. |

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| 9. Describe, people, objects, events, etc. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe people, objects, events, etc. using appropriate structures and vocabulary. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe people, objects, events, etc. using appropriate structures and vocabulary. |
| 10. Seek and provide a wide variety of information. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use a range of question forms for seeking and confirming required information. ▪ Give detailed information on different topics. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use a range of expressions for seeking, confirming, checking and elaborating required information. ▪ Give detailed information on different topics. |
| 11. Speak with critical analysis and evaluation. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Express personal opinions to clarify the points expressed. ▪ Present reasons and examples from different sources such as reviews of books, plays and interviews to defend opinions and judgments. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Express personal opinions to clarify the points expressed and persuade the interlocutors. ▪ Present reasons, examples and the details from different sources such as reviews of books, plays and interviews to defend opinions and judgments. |
| 12. Understand and demonstrate inter-cultural understanding. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Express one's own cultural values and practices effectively and clearly. ▪ Express tolerance and respect for the cultural practices of other people. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Express one's own cultural values and practices and compare it with that of others. ▪ Express tolerance and respect for the cultural practices of other people. |

Note: The prescribed language functions should be included while selecting topics and tasks for speaking.

3.3 Reading

| Reading constructs | Learning outcomes | |
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| | Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
| 1. Read the texts intensively for information and understanding. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Scan the text and retrieve specific information from it. ▪ Skim the text and get its main idea/theme. ▪ Identify the topic sentence of a paragraph. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Scan the text and retrieve specific information from it. ▪ Skim the text and get its main idea/theme. ▪ Distinguish between cause and effect and fact and opinions. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Distinguish between cause and effect. ▪ Separate facts from opinions. ▪ Compare and contrast ideas. ▪ Find out main ideas and supporting details. ▪ Deduce the meanings of unfamiliar words and phrases in a given context. ▪ Read the texts and identify the order of events. ▪ Identify explicit as well as implicit information. ▪ Read and interpret the graphic organizers (e.g. Venn diagram, time line, semantic webs, etc.) given in the text to facilitate understanding of grade appropriate reading texts. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare and contrast ideas. ▪ Identify different points of view. ▪ Find out main ideas and supporting details. ▪ Deduce the meanings of unfamiliar words and phrases in a given context. ▪ Read the text and identify the order of events. ▪ Identify explicit as well as implicit information. ▪ Read and interpret the graphic organizers (e.g. Venn diagram, time line, semantic webs, etc.) given in the text to facilitate understanding of grade appropriate reading texts. ▪ Follow the pattern of arguments with the help of the clues available in the text. |
| 2. Read a variety of literary texts for pleasure, appreciation and interpretation. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read and interpret literary texts (e.g. short stories, essays, poems and dramas) from a wide variety of authors, subjects and genres. ▪ Read and respond to literary works that represent a range of social, historical and cultural perspectives. ▪ Interpret multiple levels of meaning such as literal | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read and interpret literary texts (e.g. short stories, essays, poems and dramas) from a wide variety of authors, subjects and genres. ▪ Read and respond to literary works that represent a range of social, historical and cultural perspectives. ▪ Interpret multiple levels of meaning such as literal |

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| | <p>meaning, contextual meaning, figurative meaning and intended meaning in literary texts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyse and evaluate fiction and non-fiction including the effect of diction and figurative language. ▪ Analyse special features of languages that distinguish literary texts from non-literary ones. ▪ Appreciate literary texts of appropriate level. ▪ Determine the themes of literary texts. ▪ Describe the characters of the literary texts. | <p>meaning, contextual meaning, figurative meaning and intended meaning in literary texts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyse and evaluate fiction and non-fiction including the effect of diction and figurative language. ▪ Analyse special features of languages that distinguish literary texts from non-literary ones. ▪ Appreciate literary texts of appropriate level. ▪ Determine the themes of literary texts. ▪ Describe the characters of the literary texts. |
| <p>3. Read the texts and critically analyse, interpret and evaluate the information.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Determine the writer's attitude, perspectives, purposes and intended meaning. ▪ Identify the particular kind of language used in a particular text. ▪ Analyse and synthesize information from different sources by making connections and showing relationships with other texts, ideas and subjects. ▪ Form a variety of questions at different levels about the text. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Determine the writer's attitude, perspectives, purposes and intended meaning. ▪ Identify the particular kind of language used in a particular text. ▪ Analyse and synthesize information from different sources by making connections and showing relationships with other texts, ideas and subjects. ▪ Form a variety of questions at different levels about the text. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read, review and present a critical response to a text. ▪ Express opinions and make judgments about ideas, information, experiences and issues presented in literary and factual texts. ▪ Arrive at conclusion and comment on a given text. ▪ Summarise the texts. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read, review and present a critical response to a text. ▪ Express opinions and make judgments about ideas, information, experiences and issues presented in literary and factual texts. ▪ Arrive at conclusion and comment on a given text. ▪ Summarise the texts. |
| 4. Read the texts closely and understand the structure and organization of the text. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the structure and organization of paragraphs and longer texts by developing an awareness of cohesive devices. ▪ Analyse the organisational patterns of a text (such as chronological, cause-effect, problem-solution and reason-conclusion). ▪ Identify cohesive devices and their referents. ▪ Identify the discourse markers and their functions in the texts. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the structure and organization of paragraphs and longer texts by developing an awareness of cohesive devices. ▪ Analyse the organisational patterns of a text (such as chronological, cause-effect, problem-solution and reason-conclusion). ▪ Identify cohesive devices and their referents. ▪ Identify the discourse markers and their functions in the texts. ▪ Compare the structure of different types of text organization. |
| 5. Read the texts and predict the content and make inference. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read the title and predict the content of the text. ▪ Make predictions about the content of a text while reading based on contextual | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read the title and predict the content of the text. ▪ Make predictions about the content of a text while reading based on contextual clues, |

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| | <p>clues, text features, background knowledge, patterns of relationship of ideas, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make predictions about upcoming events in the narrative texts. ▪ Make inferences from contextual information, writer's viewpoints, implied information, etc. ▪ Use knowledge of the world or background knowledge while reading. | <p>text features, background knowledge, patterns of relationship of ideas, etc.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make predictions about upcoming events in the narrative texts. ▪ Make inferences from contextual information, writer's viewpoints, implied information, etc. ▪ Use knowledge of the world or background knowledge while reading. |
| 6. Read the texts and take notes. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make notes by reading various resources. ▪ Read a text and make notes covering the key points. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make notes by reading various resources. ▪ Read a text and make notes covering the key points. ▪ Organise the notes and write on what has been read. |
| 7. Read and interpret the para-orthographic texts. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interpret and integrate information presented in diagrammatic forms (charts, graphs, tables, maps etc.) ▪ Paraphrase information or ideas of the texts. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interpret and integrate information presented in diagrammatic forms (charts, graphs, tables, maps etc.) ▪ Paraphrase information or ideas of the texts. |
| 8. Read texts and deduce the meaning of unfamiliar lexical items from the context. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Deduce the meaning of unfamiliar lexical items on the basis of contextual, syntactic and semantic clues. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Deduce the meaning of unfamiliar lexical items on the basis of contextual, syntactic and semantic clues. |

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| 9. Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference material. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference materials. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference materials. |
| 10. Read and identify the practices and values of national and target cultures. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read and identify the practices and values of national and target cultures. ▪ Read a variety of texts from both national and international cultures for information and understanding. ▪ Read and compare social, democratic, political and economic issues in both national and international cultures. ▪ Read expository texts on issues affecting social, political, economic and cultural aspects in a given society. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Read and identify the practices and values of national and target cultures. ▪ Read a variety of texts from both national and international cultures for information and understanding. ▪ Read and compare social, democratic, political and economic issues in both national and international cultures. ▪ Read expository texts on issues affecting social, political, economic and cultural aspects in a given society. |

3.4 Writing

| Writing constructs | Learning outcomes | |
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| | Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
| 1. Compose well-formed paragraphs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compose well-formed paragraphs including the appropriate topic sentence, supporting details and a concluding sentence. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compose well-formed paragraphs including the appropriate topic sentence, supporting details and a concluding sentence. |

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| <p>2. Write different kinds of letters and emails with appropriate format and layout.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write different types of personal letters such as letters to friends, and relatives. ▪ Write emails. ▪ Create blogs for expression. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write different types of formal letters such as letters to the editors, complain letters, job application letter, and business letters. ▪ Write emails. ▪ Prepare curriculum vitae (CV) with appropriate format and layout. ▪ Create blogs for expression. |
| <p>3. Write well organised essays on the given topics and the topics of own interest.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write well organised descriptive, narrative, argumentative and expository essays on the given topics and the topics of interest. ▪ Edit the written products. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write well organised descriptive, narrative, argumentative and expository essays on the given topics and the topics of interest. ▪ Edit the written products. |
| <p>4. Write news articles on current issues.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write articles on current issues using appropriate forms and styles. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write articles on current issues using appropriate forms and styles. |
| <p>5. Write formal reports in an appropriate style and format.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write study reports based on project works or mini-researches in an appropriate form and format. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write study reports based on project works or mini-researches in an appropriate form and format. ▪ Narrate an event in a chronological order. |
| <p>6. Narrate a sequence of events and personal experiences.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Narrate an event in a chronological order. ▪ Narrate a personal experience appropriately. ▪ Write stories. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Narrate a personal experience appropriately. ▪ Write biographies of famous national and international people. ▪ Write a travelogue/memoire. |

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| 7. Describe a person or event appropriately. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe a person or event using appropriate structures and vocabularies. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe a person or event using appropriate structures and vocabularies. |
| 8. Summarise a text. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Summarise a text into a short form condensing the information. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Summarise a text into a short form condensing the information. |
| 9. Write a character sketch. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a character sketch of the characters in a text. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a character sketch of the characters in a text with sufficient arguments. |
| 10. Write a book/film review. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a critical review of a book/film. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a critical review of a book/film. |
| 11. Transfer information from tables, graphs and charts to prose and vice versa. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Transfer information from tables, graphs and charts to prose and vice versa. ▪ Describe and interpret tables, charts and graphs clearly. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Transfer information from tables, graphs and charts to prose and vice versa. ▪ Describe and interpret tables, charts and graphs clearly. |
| 12. Prepare communiqué and press release. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Prepare communiqué in a simple and clear form. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Prepare a press release of an organisation. |
| 13. Use the mechanics of writing properly. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a variety of text types using spelling, punctuation, capitalisation, contractions, abbreviations, acronyms, numbers and numerals properly. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Write a variety of text types using spelling, punctuation, capitalisation, contractions, abbreviations, acronyms, numbers and numerals properly. |
| 14. Use various strategies for generating and organising ideas for writing. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use writing strategies such as brainstorming, making mind maps and spider grams for generating ideas. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use writing strategies such as brain-storming, making mind maps and spider grams for generating ideas. ▪ Gather required information for writing from various printed and online sources. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gather required information for writing from various printed and online sources. ▪ Draft interview questions to collect information. ▪ Take notes while reading or interviewing and use the notes for writing. ▪ Use a range of organisational strategies such as clustering, webbing, and mapping to present information. ▪ Critically analyse the sample writings to find out their structure and styles. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Draft interview questions to collect information. ▪ Take notes while reading or interviewing and use the notes for writing. ▪ Use a range of organisational strategies such as clustering, webbing, and mapping to present information. ▪ Critically analyse the sample writings to find out their structure and styles. |
| 15. Apply process approach to writing for producing a variety of creative writings. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply the stages of process approach (i.e. planning, making an outline, preparing the first draft and revising, editing and producing the final draft) for creating a variety of creative writings such as essays, personal experiences and articles. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply the stages of process approach (i.e. planning, making an outline, preparing the first draft and revising, editing and producing the final draft) to create a variety of creative writings such as essays, personal experiences and articles. |
| 16. Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference material. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference materials for drafting, revising and editing their writing. ▪ Develop personal dictionary. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Use an authentic English dictionary, thesaurus, encyclopedia, and academic reference materials for drafting, revising and editing their writing. ▪ Develop personal dictionary. |

Note:

Self-exploration and self-expression/creative writing should be dealt with as an inherent part while interacting with texts.

4. Scope and Sequence

4.1 Reading

The content of reading section is divided into two parts: Part I and Part II. Part I includes a wide variety of contemporary issue-based thematic texts intended for the practice of (a) intensive reading (b) grammar (c) vocabulary (d) listening and speaking (e) writing. Part II is built on the successful exposition of Part I. Part II includes literary genre-based selected texts of different types for reading for pleasure, for both intensive and extensive purposes so as to enable the learners to discern different aspects of literary texts and practise creative writings, which involves expression of imagination.

Part I (Outlines for the selection of texts)

There will be a wide variety of texts on different issues- both local and global of mainly contemporary concerns, which include gender issues, diaspora, science and technology, depletion of natural resources, etc. There will be maximum 21 reading texts of moderate length not exceeding 2000 words and technical terms at each grade. The texts should be taken from various thematic areas that have been proposed below. Around each selected text, specially tailored exercises will be developed for supporting the learners' engagement with the texts.

| S.N. | Thematic areas | Possible topics |
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| 1. | Education and humanity | ethics, human values, moral values, education, spirituality, animal rights, patriotism, responsibility of citizens |
| 2. | Health, sports and adventure | yoga, travelogue, illness, disease, diet, nutrition, epidemics, hygiene, mental health, physical exercise, traditional and alternative medicine, meditation |
| 3. | Media and society | change in communication and pace of life, advertising, bias in media, the Internet, radio and television, telephone, press |
| 4. | History and culture | identity, language, ethnicity, ethnic groups in Nepal, folk literature, folk songs, folk culture/children's literature diaspora, ethics, cultural diversity, beliefs, values and norms, etiquette, historical events, national customs |

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| 5. | Ecology and development | global warming, deforestation, diversity, sustainable development, population, agronomy, forestry, wildlife, weather, ecosystem, food and water, the effect of man on nature, the environment, natural disaster |
| 6. | Science and technology | ethics and science, impact of ICT on society, entertainment, renewable energy |
| 7. | Globalisation and economy | international economy, migration, poverty and famine, global citizenship |
| 8. | Humour and satire | humour, satire |
| 9. | Democracy and human rights | democracy, human rights, gender, law and justice, legal awareness, children's rights, women's rights, rights of senior citizens, non-violence, charity |
| 10. | Home life, family and social relationships | celebrations and social events, friendship, work, family, social acceptance, sex education |
| 11. | Arts, music and creation | painting, arts, music, creation |
| 12. | Fantasy | fantasy, imagination |
| 13. | Career and entrepreneurship | jobs, career, entrepreneurship, problems of unemployment |
| 14. | Power and politics | power, politics, struggle, conflict |
| 15. | War and peace | war, peace |
| 16. | Critical thinking | critical thinking, divergent thinking, logical thinking |

Possible text types for part I

A wide variety of texts will be covered for reading purposes. Reading texts for part I will cover the following types:

- interviews
- book/film reviews
- news reports and articles
- literary writings
- reports
- academic publications
- letters
- essays

- news articles
- biographies/auto-biographies
- product guides
- poems
- blogs
- brochures
- emails
- travelogues/memoire

Part II (Outline for the selection of reading texts)

As mentioned before, this part will consist of different types of creative works that involve the expression of imagination and art so that the students can perceive how language functions differently. These are higher functions. This section will expose the students to a different world of imagination and art. This will encourage them to read more, think more and express with individual artistry. There lies infinite possibility of growing independently. In this part, there will be maximum 20 reading texts of moderate length at each grade.

The genres that will be included in this part along with the number of texts of each genre is given below:

| S. N. | Genres | Number of texts to be included |
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| 1. | Short stories | 7 |
| 2. | Poems | 5 |
| 3. | Essays | 5 |
| 4. | One act plays | 3 |
| Total | | 20 |

Based on the above genres, different types of reading and writing tasks should be developed so that the students can think more independently, work creatively and develop a good foundation for the university level education.

The tasks incorporated in this part will focus on:

- glossary
- literary devices used in the texts
- comprehension questions (short and long: literature-based reading, reading between the lines, appreciation of texts, interpretation of texts)

- writing a summary
- describing the character
- comparing and contrasting
- critical and creative writing

4.2 Writing

| Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
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| 1. Paragraphs | 1. Paragraphs |
| 2. Personal letters (letters to friends and relatives) emails, blogs | 2. Formal letters (letters to the editors, job application, business letters) |
| 3. Essays (descriptive, narrative, argumentative and expository) | 3. Curriculum vitae |
| 4. News articles | 4. Essays (descriptive, narrative, argumentative and expository) |
| 5. Formal reports based on project works or mini-research | 5. News articles |
| 6. Narratives (personal experiences, stories, events, travelogues, memoire) | 6. Formal reports based on project works or mini-research |
| 7. Descriptions (persons, events) | 7. Narratives (personal experiences, stories, events, travelogues, memoire) |
| 8. Summaries | 8. Descriptions (persons, events) |
| 9. Character sketch | 9. Summaries |
| 10. Book/film review | 10. Character sketch |
| 11. Transferring information from para-orthographic texts | 11. Book/film review |
| 12. Communique | 12. Transferring information from para-orthographic texts |
| 13. Mechanics of writing | 13. Press release |
| 14. Writing strategies | 14. Mechanics of writing |
| 15. Process approach to writing | 15. Writing strategies |
| | 16. Process approach to writing |

4.3 Listening and speaking

As far as possible listening and speaking skills will be practised not in isolation but in the context of reading texts in an integrated way. Listening texts will cover the following types in both grades:

- Lectures
- Talks
- Presentations
- Conversations
- Personal accounts (e.g. oral anecdotes, past experiences, etc.)
- Interviews
- Short discussions
- Narratives (e.g. radio dramas)
- Procedures (e.g. instructions and directions)
- Factual accounts (news reports, eye witness accounts)
- Explanations (e.g. how an engine works)
- Expositions (debates, speech, advertisements)
- Public announcements
- Weather forecast

Speaking skill will be linked with the prescribed language functions. The prescribed language functions will be included in the tasks and topics for speaking. Speaking tasks and topics should be linked directly to the reading texts. Speaking tasks will cover the following main areas in both grades:

- conversations/interactions
- formal and informal discussions
- interviews
- telecommunications
- narrating
- making presentations
- describing

4.4. Language functions

The language functions prescribed in this curriculum should be the basis developing tasks for listening and speaking, and the grammar should be linked to the language functions.

| Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
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| 1. Expressing good wishes 1. Giving directions and instructions 2. Expressing agreement/disagreement 3. Expressing decisions, intentions and plans 4. Expressing obligation 5. Requesting and offering 6. Suggesting and advising 7. Describing objects, people and places 8. Asking about opinions/giving opinions 9. Describing experiences 10. Describing hopes, wants and wishes | 1. Expressing feelings, emotions and attitudes 2. Expressing certainty 3. Expressing indifference 4. Making comparisons and contrasts 5. Arguing/defending a point 6. Responding to counter arguments 7. Expressing disappointment 8. Clarifying 9. Describing processes 10. Predicting 11. Expressing degrees of certainty |
| 11. Expressing certainty, probability, doubt 12. Interrupting 13. Generalizing and qualifying 14. Expressing reactions, e.g. indifference 15. Talking about regular actions and activities 16. Encouraging/discouraging 17. Persuading 18. Comparing past and present 19. Narrating past events, actions and experiences 20. Expressing complements 21. Reporting | 12. Expressing necessity 13. Speculating 14. Giving reasons 15. Denying 16. Complaining/criticizing 17. Reminding 18. Summarizing 19. Narrating past events, actions and experiences 20. Reporting 21. Announcing |

4.5 Grammar

The grammar part of the curriculum will include the following topics:

- a. Adjectives and adverbs
- b. Concord/subject verb agreement

- c. Prepositions
- d. Modal auxiliaries
- e. Tense and aspects
- f. Infinitives and gerunds
- g. Conjunctions,
- h. Relative clause
- i. Voice
- j. Reported speech

The grammar should not be taught separately. It should be dealt with in the texts as far as possible.

4.6. Sounds, vocabulary and dictionary use

- a. Sound system of English
 - Consonants
 - Vowels
- b. Vocabulary study-word formation

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| - Stem/root | - Suffixes |
| - Prefixes | - Derivation |
| - Inflexion | - Synonyms/antonyms |
| - Parts of speech | - Idioms and phrases |
| - Nouns-number | - Verb conjugation |
| - Spelling | - Punctuation |
- c. Dictionary use (focus on the use of electronic dictionary)
- d. Idioms and phrasal verbs

The Curriculum has two broad sections : Language Development and literature. The allocation of working hours for language development and literature will be 73 and 55 respectively.

Note: Activities focusing on the specific features of vocabulary e.g. prefixes, suffixes, changing word class, synonyms, antonyms, giving single words, concussing words, etc. should be designed based on the reading texts.

5. Learning Facilitation Process

5.1 Principles of Language Pedagogy

The current grade XI and XII curriculum is based on the following pedagogic principles :

- ***Content and language integrated learning:*** Language learning becomes effective when the learners develop an awareness of some specific content knowledge. Meaningful content relating to the real world helps learners comprehend not only the content itself but also the accompanying language. Integrating content and language is a clear departure from the mere communication towards a meaningful cognition through the language being learnt.
- ***Real world link:*** The principle of real world link is about exposing learners to the realities of the world through meaningful information and knowledge. Simulated and real tasks allow learners to envisage how the English language will be used in their real life.
- ***Diversity as a resource:*** In diverse classrooms, with learners from multilingual and multi-cultural backgrounds, exploiting diversity as a resource helps not only in the teaching learning process but also in creating social cohesion. The content from diverse contexts establishes the pluralistic concept first in the classrooms and later in the real world.
- ***Learning through Information and Communication Technology (ICT):*** With the advent of the ICT, language learning has been more accessible to the learners. The mobile and media technologies allow learners to access learning materials from anywhere and anytime. The use of ICT tools in the classroom pedagogy gives learners more autonomy in different ways.
- ***Learner engagement:*** Language learning becomes enriching as well as fulfilling when learners are fully engaged. Their engagement in the pedagogical process should be ensured with their involvement in the meaningful tasks, projects and out of class activities. Engaged learners are not only successful in developing their language but also become a resource for the class.

5.2 Learning Activities

Based on the above-mentioned pedagogical principles, the following activities have been suggested in order to achieve the competencies of this curriculum:

- Reading and presentation
- Writing projects

- Dramatization, role-play and simulation
- Inquiry-based writing
- Reading for comprehension
- Reading for critical assessment/analysis
- Discussion sessions
- Think - Pair- Share
- RDWS (Read, Discuss, Write and Say/Share)
- Teacher-guided self-study
- Journal writing
- Library visits
- Listening to lyrical poems and songs
- Reciting lyrical poems and songs
- Watching movies (animated/unanimated, comic) and dramas
- Brainstorming and mind mapping
- Quick write/flash writing
- Book/film reviews
- Paraphrasing

5.3 Instructional Materials for Learning Facilitation

Each student must have a textbook. Each teacher should have a teacher's guide and a set of teacher support materials for the appropriate grade, including digital and electronic materials as far as practicable. Teachers should make an extensive and proper use of the board. To make learning easy, effective and interesting, a variety of materials should be used including the following:

- Charts
- Comparison tables
- Role cards
- Newspapers
- Bulletins, brochures
- Pictures/drawings
- Audio-visual materials

- Writing samples (e.g. essay, book/film review, mind mapping, brainstorming, etc.)
- Worksheets
- Flash cards
- Formats (of book review/film review/project work, etc.)
- Dictionaries, computers, audio players and mobile phones
- Multi-media
- Online resources
- Readers
- Additional references
- Sample interpretation/sample summaries/character sketches/poems, etc.

6. Student Assessment

The letter grading system will be used for assessing the students' performance. In order to assess the student's learning achievement as expected by this curriculum, formative as well as summative and internal as well as external assessment will be done.

In order to ensure the learning of the students, informal assessment will be conducted regularly and timely feedback will be provided to the students for improvement. The goal of formative assessment is to help the learners to learn more rather than to check what they have learnt and what they have not. Formative assessment should focus on those areas which pose problems in learning. This can also take the form of remedial teaching. Formative assessment should focus on the development of all the language skills and aspects in the learners. Various classroom activities and techniques should be used to help the learners to learn more. The following techniques/activities can be used as tools for formative assessment:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Observation of students' linguistic behaviour • Anecdotal record • Rating scale • Check lists | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Portfolio • Tests (class, weekly, monthly, trimister) • Project works • Creative works | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Games • Debates • Story telling/retelling • Poetry recitation • Dramatization/simulation |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work sample/written samples • Interviews • Home assignments | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-initiation in learning • Class work | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role play • Group discussion • Journal writing |
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As a part of summative assessment, tests for assessing four skills of language, viz. listening, speaking, reading and writing will be conducted terminally. Listening and speaking tests will be conducted on practical basis. There will be both internal as well as external evaluation as part of summative or final assessment.

6.1 Internal Evaluation: The internal evaluation covers 25 marks. The allocation of marks is as follows:

| S. N. | Areas | Marks |
|-------|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1. | Participation | 3 |
| 2 | Listening test | 6 |
| 3 | Speaking test | 10 |
| 4 | Score from terminal exams | 6 |
| | Total marks | 25 |

6.2 External evaluation: The external evaluation carries 75 marks. The allocation of marks for each language skill and aspect is given below:

| S. N. | Language skills and aspects | Marks |
|-------|-----------------------------|-----------|
| 1. | Reading | 35 |
| 2. | Writing | 25 |
| 3. | Grammar | 10 |
| 4. | Vocabulary | 5 |
| | Total marks | 75 |

6.3 Alternative Evaluation

For the students with disabilities, alternative assessment tools will be used. They are suggested in the test specification grid.

6.4 Elaboration of Internal Assessment

| Areas | Marks | Guidelines for evaluation |
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| 1. Participation | 3 | This covers students' attendance, participation in classroom activities and their performance on classwork, homework and project works assigned to them. The teacher needs to maintain the record of students. |

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| | | The same record is to be consulted to award the marks for this aspect. | | | | |
| 2. Listening test | 6 | <p>1. Listening comprehension</p> <p>Types of sound files:</p> <p>(The sound files may contain: lectures, talks, presentations, poetry, interviews, conversations, short discussions, advertisements, personal accounts (oral anecdotes, past experiences) narratives (e.g. radio dramas), instructions and directions, factual accounts (e.g. eye news reports, eye witness accounts) explanations, public announcements operating instructions, weather forecast)</p> <p>There will be two listening tasks on two different sound files. Each task should consist of three questions.</p> <p><i>Note: The sound files should be authentic and clearly articulated with normal speed of delivery. Each sound file should be of 3 minute maximum in length.</i></p> <p>Listening constructs to be focused:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Specific information Gist Main information and supporting details Specific information and important details <p>Number of sound files: Two sound files each carrying 3 marks will be used.</p> <p>Length of the sound file: Maximum three minutes</p> <p>Types of test items</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>1. Multiple choice</td> <td>3. Matching</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2. Fill in the blanks</td> <td>4. Short answer questions</td> </tr> </table> <p>Alternative test methods for students with speech and hearing difficulties</p> <p>For the students with speech and hearing difficulties, any one of the following types of questions can be asked:</p> | 1. Multiple choice | 3. Matching | 2. Fill in the blanks | 4. Short answer questions |
| 1. Multiple choice | 3. Matching | | | | | |
| 2. Fill in the blanks | 4. Short answer questions | | | | | |

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| | | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Paragraph writing on a given topic 2. Writing a letter 3. Writing a description of the given picture <p>Time: 20 minutes.</p> |
| 3. Speaking | 10 | <p>The speaking test will be administered practically. The test starts with greeting and introducing to make the students feel comfortable. This will not carry any marks. The speaking test consists of the following sections:</p> <p>1. Introduction and interview (3 marks)</p> <p>The students will be asked at least any three questions on their personal affairs and immediate situation. (How are you preparing for the exam? What will you study after grade 12? What's your aim in life? Do you like English? Why?/Why not?)</p> <p>2. Describing pictures (4 marks)</p> <p>The students are given a picture or a set of pictures. They are expected to describe the picture in at least 8 sentences.</p> <p>3. Speaking on a given topic (3marks)</p> <p>The students will be given a topic like; my school, my hobby, my family. They will get one-minute time to think over the topic and then they will speak on the topic. This will also be done individually.</p> <p>Time: 10 to 15 minutes for per student</p> <p>Alternative test methods for students with visual difficulties</p> <p>For the students with visual difficulties, ask them to narrate a sequence of events instead of the task 2 'describing pictures' above.</p> |
| 4. Score from terminal exams | 6 | 3 marks from each terminal exams |

नेपाली

कक्षा : ११ र १२

विषय सङ्केत : Nep. 001 (कक्षा ११)

Nep. 002 (कक्षा १२)

पाठ्यघण्टा : ३

वार्षिक कार्यघण्टा : ९६

१. परिचय

नेपाल बहुजातीय, बहुसांस्कृतिक एवम् बहुभाषिक मुलुक हो। बहुजातीय र बहुसांस्कृतिक विशेषता भएको राष्ट्रमा राष्ट्रिय एकता प्रवर्धन गर्न तथा सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक सम्बन्ध र समन्वय कायम गर्न सम्पर्क भाषाको आवश्यकता पर्दछ। यसका लागि विद्यार्थीमा भाषिक सक्षमताको विकास हुनुपर्दछ। विद्यार्थीमा भाषिक सञ्चार एवम् बोध र अभिव्यक्तिगत सिपको विकास हुनु नै भाषिक सक्षमता हो। नेपाली भाषा विद्यालय तहको शिक्षणको प्रमुख माध्यम, सरकारी कामकाज र नेपाली समाजको साझा सम्पर्कको भाषा हो। पहिलो, दोस्रो एवम् विदेशी भाषाका रूपमा नेपाली भाषाको प्रयोग हुँदै आएको छ। यस दृष्टिले नेपाली भाषाको प्रयोगमा व्यापकता रहेको छ। नेपालमा नेपाली भाषा सामाजिकीकरण, अन्तरभाषिक व्यवहार, सञ्चार, प्रशासन, प्रविधि र मौखिक तथा लिखित व्यवहारको प्रमुख माध्यमका रूपमा रहिआएको छ। नेपाली समाजको बहुलतालाई दृष्टिगत गर्दै सबै प्रकारका ज्ञान र सिप प्राप्त गर्न तथा विभिन्न माध्यमबाट अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय स्तरका ज्ञानसमेत नेपाली भाषामा सिक्न सक्ने बनाउन विद्यालय तहमा नेपाली भाषाको शिक्षण अपरिहार्य छ। त्यसैले विद्यालय तहमा नेपाली भाषालाई अनिवार्य विषयका रूपमा शिक्षण गर्नुपरेको हो। नेपाली भाषा शिक्षणको मुख्य उद्देश्य विद्यार्थीमा नेपाली भाषासम्बद्ध भाषिक सिप एवम् व्यावहारिक र सिर्जनात्मक क्षमताको विकास गराउनु हो।

प्रस्तुत पाठ्यक्रमको उद्देश्य विद्यार्थीमा भाषिक सक्षमता अभिवृद्धि गराउनु हो। (कक्षा ९-१०) पूरा गरेका विद्यार्थीको स्तरलाई ध्यान दिई विद्यालय तहको समाप्तिपछि अन्य क्षेत्रमा लाग्ने तथा उच्च शिक्षामा प्रवेश गर्नेहरूको आधारभूमिका रूपमा नेपाली भाषामा सक्षम बनाउने अभिप्रायले यो पाठ्यक्रम तयार पारिएको हो। माध्यमिक तह (कक्षा ११-१२) पूरा गर्दा विद्यार्थीहरूले नेपाली विषयमा प्राप्त गर्ने तहगत सक्षमता र कक्षागत सिकाइ उपलब्धिलाई यस पाठ्यक्रममा समावेश गरिएको छ। पाठ्यक्रममा विद्यार्थीमा बोध एवम् अभिव्यक्तिगत क्षमताको विकासका लागि उपयुक्त विधा र क्षेत्र निर्देश गरिएको छ। यसमा प्रयोजनपरक भाषिक सिप विकास र कार्यमूलक व्याकरणमा विशेष ध्यान दिइएको छ। तदनुरूपका सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया र मूल्याङ्कन विधि पनि समेटिएका छन्। यस पाठ्यक्रममा निम्नलिखित पक्षहरूलाई प्राथमिकतामा राखिएको छ :

- समयसापेक्ष जीवनोपयोगी एवम् सक्षमतामा आधारित भाषिक सिप
- पाठगत विविधताको प्रस्तुति र कार्यमूलक व्याकरण
- स्तरानुरूपका पाठ्यवस्तुको छनोट एवम् स्तरण
- विद्यार्थीकेन्द्रित सिकाइमा आधारित सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया
- प्रयोजनपरक भाषिक सिप र सिकाइमा जोड
- खोजपरक, परियोजनामूलक तथा सिर्जनात्मक भाषिक अभ्यासमा जोड
- भाषिक सामर्थ्य र सम्पादनका रूपमा भाषिक सिपको विकासमा जोड
- व्याकरणलाई भाषा प्रयोगको आधारका रूपमा सैद्धान्तिकभन्दा रचनात्मक बनाउने प्रयत्न
- स्वतन्त्र पठन र रचना कौशलको विकासमा जोड
- सिपगत सक्षमता परीक्षणमा आधारित भाषिक मूल्याङ्कन

२. तहगत सक्षमता

यस तहका अन्त्यमा विद्यार्थीहरू निम्नलिखित सक्षमता प्राप्त गर्न समर्थ हुने छन् :

१. विविध विषयक्षेत्रका मौखिक सामग्रीको बोध र अभिव्यक्ति
२. विविध विषयक्षेत्रका लिखित सामग्रीको सुरुचिपूर्ण पठन र बोध
३. पाठगत सन्दर्भको अनुमान, घटना, चरित्र र परिवेशको पहिचान, बोध र प्रस्तुति
४. देखेसुनेका, पढेका र अनुभव गरेका विषयवस्तुको मौखिक र लिखित अभिव्यक्ति
५. सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक, राष्ट्रिय एवम् मानवीय मूल्यअनुकूलको लेख्य अभिव्यक्ति
६. दैनिक व्यावहारिक लेखनमा दक्षता प्रदर्शन
७. सिर्जनात्मक र प्रतिक्रियापरक अभिव्यक्ति कौशल
८. अन्तरसांस्कृतिक एवम् भाषिक मूल्यप्रतिको सचेतता र सम्मानजनक भाषिक व्यवहार
९. तार्किक, अन्तरक्रियात्मक एवम् समस्या समाधानमूलक अभिव्यक्ति कौशल
१०. खोज तथा परियोजनामा आधारित लेख र रचनाको सिर्जना
११. समालोचनात्मक चिन्तनसहितको मौखिक र लिखित अभिव्यक्ति

३. कक्षागत सिकाइ उपलब्धि

| | कक्षा : एघार | कक्षा : बाह्र |
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| १. सुनाइ र बोलाइ सिप | १. उच्चरित हुने वर्णहरूको पहिचान गरी शुद्ध उच्चारण गर्न | १. शब्द सुनी अक्षरीकरणसहित शुद्ध उच्चारण गर्न |

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| | <p>२. विविध पाठ, सञ्चार माध्यम र अन्य सामग्री सुनेर तार्किक प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न</p> <p>३. दिइएका विषय वा शीर्षकमा समूहगत छलफल एवम् प्रस्तुतीकरण गर्न</p> <p>४. सन्दर्भअनुसार गति, यति र लय मिलाई मौखिक अभिव्यक्ति गर्न</p> <p>५. देखेसुनेका, पढेका तथा अनुभव गरेका विषयलाई सिलसिला मिलाई प्रस्तुत गर्न</p> <p>६. सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक सन्दर्भ, वक्ताको अवस्था तथा संवेगका आधारमा प्रतिक्रिया दिन</p> | <p>२. विविध पाठ, सञ्चार माध्यम र अन्य क्षेत्रका अभिव्यक्ति सुनेर विश्लेषणात्मक प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न</p> <p>३. दिइएका विषय वा शीर्षकमा समूहगत छलफल एवम् प्रस्तुतीकरण गर्न</p> <p>४. सन्दर्भअनुसार गति, यति र लय मिलाई मौखिक प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न</p> <p>५. देखेसुनेका तथा अनुभव गरेका विषयलाई सिलसिला मिलाई प्रस्तुत गर्न</p> <p>६. सामाजिक सन्दर्भ, प्रसङ्ग, वक्ताको अवस्था, अभिवृद्धि र संवेग तथा भाषाको प्रयोजनपरक भेदका आधारमा शिष्टतापूर्वक प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न</p> <p>७. औपचारिक कार्यक्रममा सहभागी भई आफ्ना विचार प्रभावकारी रूपमा व्यक्त गर्न</p> |
| <p>२. पढाइ सिप</p> | <p>१. लिखित सामग्रीलाई गति, यति, लय मिलाई शुद्धसँग पढ्न</p> <p>२. साहित्यिक तथा प्रयोजनपरक पाठहरू पढी पारिभाषिक/प्राविधिक शब्दलाई वाक्यमा प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>३. पाठमा प्रयोग भएका शब्दको हिज्जे र अर्थबोधका लागि शब्दको शको प्रयोग गर्न</p> | <p>१. लिखित सामग्रीलाई गति, यति, लय मिलाई शुद्धसँग पढ्न</p> <p>२. साहित्यिक तथा प्रयोजनपरक पाठहरू पढी पारिभाषिक/प्राविधिक शब्दको सन्दर्भअनुसार वाक्यमा प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>३. पाठमा प्रयोग भएका शब्दको हिज्जे, उच्चारण, स्रोत, शब्दवर्ग, बनोट</p> |

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| | <p>४. लिखित सामग्रीको सस्वर तथा मौन पठनद्वारा पढाइको गति विकास गर्न</p> <p>५. लिखित सामग्रीका आधारमा सन्दर्भको अनुमान, घटना, चरित्र र परिवेशको बोध गरी पढ्न</p> <p>६. विभिन्न पाठ तथा तिनका विशिष्ट अंशको व्याख्या एवम् समीक्षा गर्न सक्ने गरी पढ्न</p> <p>७. विविध क्षेत्रसँग सम्बन्धित पाठहरू पढी बोध गर्न</p> <p>८. पूर्वानुमान, निष्कर्ष, सारांश, संश्लेषण, प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न सक्ने गरी पाठहरू पढ्न</p> | <p>र अर्थ पहिचानका लागि शब्दको शको प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>४. लिखित सामग्रीको द्रुतपठन गर्न</p> <p>५. लिखित सामग्री भाव विश्लेषण गर्न सक्ने गरी पढ्न</p> <p>६. विभिन्न पाठ तथा तिनका विशिष्ट अंशको व्याख्या एवम् समीक्षा गर्न सक्ने गरी पढ्न</p> <p>७. विविध क्षेत्रसँग सम्बन्धित पाठहरू पढी बोध गर्न</p> <p>८. पूर्वानुमान, निष्कर्ष, सारांश, संश्लेषण, विश्लेषण, गरी प्रतिक्रिया व्यक्त गर्न सक्ने गरी पाठहरू पढ्न</p> |
| <p>३. लेखाइ सिप</p> | <p>१. नेपाली वर्णको पहिचान र वर्गीकरण गरी लेख्न</p> <p>२. वर्णविन्यास र लेख्य चिह्नहरूको शुद्ध प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>३. मौखिक एवम् लिखित अभिव्यक्तिको बुँदाटिपोट गर्न र सारांश लेख्न</p> <p>४. व्यावहारिक लेखन (घरायसी पत्र, निमन्त्रणा, बधाई, शुभकामना, सम्मानपत्र, सूचना, विज्ञापन, श्रद्धाञ्जली, समवेदना) गर्न</p> <p>५. देखेसुनेका, पढेका र अनुभव गरेका विषयवस्तुका बारेमा सिलसिला मिलाएर लिखित वर्णन गर्न</p> | <p>१. शब्दमा रहेका अक्षर संरचना छुट्ट्याई लेख्न</p> <p>२. वर्णविन्यास र लेख्य चिह्नहरूको शुद्ध प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>३. विज्ञान, प्रविधि, सामाजिक शास्त्र, वाणिज्य कानून आदि क्षेत्रसँग सम्बन्धित प्रयोजनपरक लेखन गर्न</p> <p>४. व्यावहारिक लेखन गर्न (व्यावसायिक पत्र, भरपाई, तमसुक, करारनामा, मन्जुरीनामा, मुचुल्का, प्रशासनिक टिप्पणी तथा बैठक निर्णय, विज्ञप्ति, बोलपत्र र सम्पादकलाई चिठी लेखन)</p> |

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| | <p>६. कुनै पनि विषय शीर्षकमा अर्थपूर्ण, क्रमबद्ध तथा प्रभावकारी रूपमा अनुच्छेद रचना गर्न</p> <p>७. पाठको प्रकृतिअनुसार विषयक्षेत्र, संरचना (आदि, मध्य र अन्त्यको शृङ्खला), घटना, चरित्र, परिवेश, भाव, लयबोध गरी लेख्न</p> <p>८. साहित्यिक विधा र पाठहरूको विश्लेषण गर्न र विशिष्ट अंशको व्याख्या गर्न</p> <p>९. लिखित अभिव्यक्तिका क्रममा व्याकरणका आधारभूत नियम पालना गरी लेख्न</p> <p>१०. विभिन्न विधामा आधारित भई निर्देशित र स्वतन्त्र सिर्जना गर्न</p> <p>११. कोशीय प्रविष्टिअनुसार शब्दक्रम मिलाई लेख्न</p> | <p>५. सामाजिक, सांस्कृतिक, राष्ट्रिय एवम् मानवीय मूल्यमा आधारित भई लिखित अभिव्यक्ति दिन</p> <p>६. देखेसुनेका, पढेका र अनुभव गरेका विषयवस्तुका बारेमा सिलसिला मिलाएर लिखित वर्णन गर्न</p> <p>७. पाठको प्रकृतिअनुसार सन्दर्भको अनुमान, संरचना पहिचान, घटना वर्णन, भावबोध, तार्किक विश्लेषण गरी लेख्न</p> <p>८. साहित्यिक विधा र पाठहरूको विश्लेषण गर्न र विशिष्ट अंशको व्याख्या गर्न</p> <p>९. लिखित अभिव्यक्तिका क्रममा व्याकरणका आधारभूत नियम पालना गरी लेख्न</p> <p>१०. विभिन्न विधामा आधारित भई निर्देशित र स्वतन्त्र सिर्जना गर्न</p> <p>११. विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यममा प्रकाशित सामग्री तथा पुस्तक र लेख रचना पढी प्रतिबिम्बात्मक लेखन गर्न</p> <p>१२. कोशीय प्रविष्टिअनुसार शब्दक्रम मिलाई लेख्न</p> |
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| १. | कविता (पद्य) | देशभक्ति | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कविताको संरचना ● विषयको क्रम, भाषा, लय आदिको बोध ● देशभक्ति, संस्कृति र भाषासम्बन्धी पद्यांशको बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कविताको लयबद्ध वाचन ● कवितालाई गद्यमा रूपान्तरण ● कविता सिर्जना (अनुकरणात्मक लेखन) | (अ) नेपाली कथ्य र लेख्य वर्ण (स्वर र व्यञ्जन) को पहिचान (आ) उच्चार्य व्यञ्जन वर्णको पहिचान र प्रयोग (स्थान, प्रयत्न, घोषत्व र प्राणत्व) | ७ |
| २. | कथा | सामाजिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथाको संरचना (विषय, अनुच्छेद योजना, घटनाक्रम, संवाद, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथाका घटनाहरूको टिपोट ● कथाका पात्रहरूको चरित्र वर्णन ● लघुकथा लेखन (अनुकरणात्मक) | (अ) मूल र व्युत्पन्न शब्दको पहिचान (आ) शब्द स्रोत : तत्सम, तद्भव र आगन्तुक शब्द (इ) शब्दकोशीय प्रयोग | ८ |
| ३. | निबन्ध | सांस्कृतिक (आत्मपरक) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निबन्धको संरचना (अनुच्छेद योजना, विषय प्रस्तुतिको क्रम, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● निबन्धमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दको अर्थबोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निबन्धमा वर्णित मुख्य विषयको बुँदाटिपोट र सार लेखन ● स्थानीय समाजमा प्रचलित चाडपर्वको वर्णन गरी निबन्ध लेखन | (अ) पदवर्ग (नाम, सर्वनाम, विशेषण र क्रियापद) को प्रयोगात्मक पहिचान | ७ |

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| | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● तार्किक, अन्तरक्रियात्मक एवम् समस्या समाधानमूलक लेखन | | |
| ४. | जीवनी | (राष्ट्रिय) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● जीवनीको संरचना (जीवन विषयक घटना शृङ्खला, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● जीवनीमा प्रस्तुत घटनाक्रमको वर्णन ● आफ्नो समाजमा प्रतिष्ठित कुनै व्यक्तिको जीवनी लेखन ● जीवनीबाट प्राप्त सन्देश/ शिक्षाको अभिव्यक्ति | (अ) पदवर्ग (नामयोगी, क्रियायोगी, संयोजक, विस्मयादिबोधक र निपात) को प्रयोगात्मक पहिचान (आ) शब्द रूपायन | ७ |
| ५. | पत्र लेखन | घरायसी | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● पत्र लेखनको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, ढाँचा, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● पत्र लेखनमा प्रस्तुत विषयवस्तु र ढाँचाको टिपोट ● विषयको प्रस्तुति ● निर्दिष्ट विषयमा पत्र लेखन ● निमन्त्रणा, बधाई, शुभकामना, अभिनन्दनपत्र, सम्मानपत्र, सूचना, विज्ञापन, श्रद्धाञ्जली, समवेदनाको ढाँचा र शैलीको अध्ययन तथा लेखन अभ्यास | लेख्य चिह्न र तिनको प्रयोग (पूर्णविराम, अर्धविराम, अल्पविराम, कोष्ठक, विकल्पबोधक/तिर्यक्, प्रश्नवाचक, उद्धरण, विस्मयसूचक/उद्गार, निर्देशक, योजक, छुट चिह्न/कागपादे चिह्न, | ८ |

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| ६. | कथा | मनोवैज्ञानिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथाको संरचना (विषय, अनुच्छेद योजना, घटनाक्रम, संवाद, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथाका घटनाहरूको टिपोट ● कथाका पात्रहरूको चरित्र वर्णन ● पढेका नयाँ कथाका बारेमा प्रस्तुति ● लघुकथा लेखन (अनुकरणात्मक) | (अ) वर्णविन्यासको पहिचान र प्रयोग (आ) भाषिक प्रयोगमा पदयोग र पदवियोगको पहिचान र प्रयोग | ८ |
| ७. | निबन्ध | प्राकृतिक (वस्तुपरक) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निबन्धको संरचना (विषय प्रस्तुतिको क्रम, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● निबन्धको शैली र ढाँचाको अध्ययन | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निबन्धमा वर्णित मुख्य विषयको बुँदाटिपोट, सारांश ● प्रकृति तथा वातावरणको वर्णन गरी निबन्ध लेखन ● खोज तथा परियोजनामा आधारित भई समालोचनात्मक चिन्तन सहितको लेखन | उपसर्गद्वारा शब्दनिर्माण (अ) अ, अन, कु, बि, बे, बद, गैर, ना (आ) अति, अधि, अनु, अप, अभि, अव, आ, उत्, उप, दुर, दुस्, नि, निर, निस्, परा, परि, प्र, प्रति, वि, सम्, सु | ७ |
| ८. | लघुनाटक | सामाजि/ मनोवैज्ञानिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● नाटकको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, हाउभाउ, मञ्चीयता, चरित्र, संवाद, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● नाटकका प्रमुख पात्रको चरित्र वर्णन ● नाटकका घटना तथा परिवेशको वर्णन ● नाटकको संवादात्मक अभिनय (विषयको प्रस्तुति, हाउभाउ) | प्रत्ययद्वारा शब्द निर्माण: (क) अक्कड, अत, अन्त, आइ, आई/याई, आउ, आली, आलु, आवट, आहा/याहा, इया, | ११ |

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| | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● संवाद लेखन ● प्रतिवेदन लेखन (कार्यक्रम, भ्रमण, घटना) | (ख) इयार, इलो, ई, उवा, ए, एली, ओ, ओट, औ ली/यौली, पन/पना, ली, ले | |
| ९ | रिपोर्ताज मूलक रचना | स्वास्थ्य, योग तथा चिकित्सा | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● रिपोर्ताजको संरचना (विषय प्रस्तुतिको क्रम, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● रिपोर्ताजमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दको अर्थबोध ● रिपोर्ताजको ढाँचा र शैलीको अध्ययन | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● रिपोर्ताजमा वर्णित मुख्य विषयको बुँदाटिपोट, टिप्पणी लेखन ● स्वास्थ्य, योग र चिकित्साको वर्णन गरी रिपोर्ताज लेखन ● रिपोर्ताजमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दबाट वाक्य रचना ● प्रतिवेदन लेखन ढाँचा र शैलीको अध्ययन र लेखन अभ्यास | प्रत्ययद्वारा शब्द निर्माण: अक, अन, अनीय, इक, इत, ई, ईन/ईण, ईय, क, तर, तम, तव्य, ता, ति, त्व, मय, मान्, वान्, य | ८ |
| १०. | संवादात्मक रचना | कृषि, वन तथा वातावरण | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● संवादको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, हाउभाउ, तर्क, संवाद, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● संवादमा प्रस्तुत विषयवस्तुको टिपोट ● विषयको प्रस्तुति, हाउभाउ ● निर्दिष्ट विषयमा संवाद लेखन तथा मौखिक अभिव्यक्ति र अभिनय ● उद्घोषण, समाचार वाचन, प्रवचन आदिको अभ्यास | समास प्रक्रियाद्वारा शब्द निर्माण (अव्ययीभाव, कर्मधारय, तत्पुरुष, द्वन्द्व, द्विगु, बहुव्रीहि (समास र विग्रहसमेत) | ८ |

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| ११. | दैनिकी रचना | पर्यटन | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निर्दिष्ट पाठको बोध (अनुमान, संरचना पहिचान आदि) ● निर्दिष्ट पाठमा प्रयुक्त प्राविधिक तथा पारिभाषिक शब्दको अर्थबोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निर्दिष्ट पाठसँग सम्बन्धित रचना ● बुँदाटिपोट र सारांश लेखन ● दैनिकी लेखन ● अनुकरणात्मक लेखन | (अ) द्वित्व प्रक्रियाद्वारा शब्द निर्माण (पूर्ण, आंशिक र आपरिवर्तित द्वित्व) (आ) सन्धि र सन्धि भएका शब्दको पहिचान | ८ |
| १२. | वक्तृ-तात्मक रचना | जलस्रोत र ऊर्जा | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● वक्तृताको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, हाउभाउ, तर्क, संवाद, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● वक्तृतामा प्रस्तुत विषयवस्तुको टिपोट ● हाउभाउसहित विषयको प्रस्तुति ● निर्दिष्ट विषयमा वक्तृता लेखन तथा मौखिक अभिव्यक्ति र अभिनय | (अ) उद्देश्य र उद्देश्य विस्तार तथा विधेय र विधेय विस्तार, पहिचान र प्रयोग (आ) व्याकरणात्मक कोटिका आधारमा वाक्य परिवर्तन (लिङ्ग, वचन, पुरुष, आदर) | ९ |
| | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● उद्घोषण, समाचार वाचन, प्रवचन आदिको अभ्यास ● वक्तृता / वादविवाद आयोजना ● विभिन्न ढाँचामा प्रतिवेदन लेखन | (इ) कथन (प्रत्यक्ष, अप्रत्यक्ष) (ई) ध्रुवीयता (करण, अकरण) | ९ |
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| १. | कविता (गद्य कविता) | सामाजिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कविताको संरचना (विषयको क्रम, भाषा, शैलीको बोध आदि)। षा ● गद्य कविताको लयबोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कवितालाई अनुच्छेदमा रूपान्तर ● कविताको लयबद्ध वाचन ● कविता सिर्जनाको अभ्यास | नेपाली अक्षरको पहिचान र उच्चारण अभ्यास | ७ |
| २. | कथा | ऐतिहासिक/ पौराणिक/ सांस्कृतिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथाको संरचना (विषय, अनुच्छेद योजना, घटनाक्रम, संवाद, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कथामा प्रयुक्त घटनाहरूको सिलसिलाबद्ध टिपोट ● निर्देशित वा स्वतन्त्र कथा लेखन अभ्यास ● विद्युतीय तथा सञ्चार माध्यममा प्रकाशित कथाहरूको अध्ययन र प्रभावको प्रस्तुति | पदवर्ग (नाम, सर्वनाम, विशेषण र अव्यय) को पहिचान र प्रयोग | ७ |
| ३. | निबन्ध | नियात्रा | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निबन्धको संरचना (विषय प्रस्तुतिको क्रम, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● निबन्धमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दको अर्थबोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● आफूले गरेको कुनै यात्राको वर्णन ● निबन्ध लेखन ● विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यम र प्रकाशित उपयोगी लेख रचनाहरूको अध्ययन र त्यसबाट प्राप्त विषयवस्तु, सन्देश आदिको प्रस्तुति | (अ) पदसङ्गति (क) लिङ्ग (ख) वचन (ग) पुरुष (घ) आदर (सामान्य, मध्यम, उच्च) (आ) शब्द रूपायन | ७ |

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| | | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● तार्किक, अन्तरक्रियात्मक एवम् समस्या समाधानमूलक लेखन | | |
| ४. | पत्र लेखन (व्यावसयिक) | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● पत्र लेखनको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, ढाँचा, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● पत्र लेखनमा प्रस्तुत विषयवस्तुको टिपोट ● विषयको प्रस्तुति ● निर्दिष्ट विषयमा पत्र लेखन ● भरपाई, तमसुक, करारनामा, मञ्जुरीनामा, मुचुल्का, प्रशासनिक टिप्पणी, बैठक निर्णय, विज्ञापन, सूचना, विज्ञप्ति, बोलपत्र, सम्पादकलाई चिठीको ढाँचा र शैलीको अध्ययन र लेखन अभ्यास ● विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यममा उपलब्ध प्रयोजनपरक सामग्रीको अध्ययन र लेखन अभ्यास | वाक्यको पहिचान र प्रयोग (क) सरल, संयुक्त र मिश्र वाक्यको पहिचान र प्रयोग (ख) निर्धारित कथाबाट सरल, मिश्र र संयुक्त वाक्यको पहिचान र वाक्यान्तरण | ६ |
| ५. | उपन्यासको अंश | सामाजिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● उपन्यास अंशको संरचना (विषय, परिच्छेद योजना, घटना शृङ्खला, पात्र, संवाद, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● शब्दभण्डारको बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● उपन्यास अंशको विषयवस्तु वर्णन ● उपन्यासको अंशका प्रमुख पात्रको चरित्र वर्णन ● उपन्यासको अंशको घटना तथा परिवेशको वर्णन ● आफूले अध्ययन गरेको कुनै एक | क्रियाका काल (भूत, अभूत) पक्ष : अपूर्ण, पूर्ण, अज्ञात, अभ्यस्त (आ) नेपाली वर्णविन्यासको | १४ |

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| | | | | उपन्यासको विषयवस्तु, पात्र, परिवेश, सन्देश आदि बारेमा मौखिक तथा लिखित अभिव्यक्ति | प्रयोगात्मक अभ्यास | |
| ६. | जीवनी | अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> जीवनीको संरचना (जीवन विषयक घटना शृङ्खला, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> जीवनीमा प्रस्तुत घटनाक्रमको वर्णन आफ्नो समाजमा प्रतिष्ठित कुनै व्यक्तिको जीवनी लेखन खोज तथा परियोजनामा आधारित भई समालोचनात्मक चिन्तनसहितको लेखन | क्रियाका भाव : सामान्य, आज्ञा, इच्छा, सम्भावना, सङ्केत | ७ |
| ७. | गीति कविता | सामाजिक /सांस्कृतिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> कविताको संरचना (विषयको क्रम, भाषा, लय आदि) को बोध पद्य र गद्य कविताको लयबोध गजलको संरचना बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> कविताको लयबद्ध वाचन गीति कविता सिर्जना विद्युतीय सञ्चारमा उपलब्ध मुक्तक तथा कवितात्मक सामग्रीको अध्ययन र कक्षामा प्रस्तुति गजलको रचना | उपसर्ग र प्रत्ययद्वारा शब्द निर्माणसम्बन्धी अभ्यास | ७ |
| ८. | कथा | समाज मनोवैज्ञानिक | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> कथाको संरचना (विषय, अनुच्छेद योजना, घटनाक्रम, संवाद, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> कथामा वर्णित घटनाको सिलसिलाबद्ध टिपोट कथाका पात्रहरूको चरित्र वर्णन कथा सिर्जनाको अभ्यास आफूले अध्ययन गरेको कम्तीमा कुनै एक उपन्यासको विषयवस्तु, | द्वित्व र समास प्रक्रियाद्वारा शब्द निर्माणसम्बन्धी अभ्यास | ७ |

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| | | | | पात्र, परिवेश, सन्देश आदि बारेमा मौखिक तथा लिखित अभिव्यक्ति | | |
| ९. | आख्यानमात्मक रचना | सञ्चार, विज्ञान तथा प्रविधि | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● आख्यानको संरचना (विषय, अनुच्छेद योजना, घटनाक्रम, संवाद, भाषा आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● आख्यानमा वर्णित घटनाको सिलसिलाबद्ध टिपोट ● आख्यानका पात्रहरूको चरित्र वर्णन ● कथा सिर्जनाको अभ्यास ● आफूले अध्ययन गरेको कुनै एक आख्यानको विषयवस्तु, पात्र, परिवेश, सन्देश आदि बारेमा मौखिक तथा लिखित अभिव्यक्ति | कारक र विभक्तिको पहिचान र प्रयोग (अ) कारकका सरल र तिर्यक् रूप (आ) कारकका प्रकार : कर्ता, कर्म, करण, सम्प्रदान, अपादान, अधिकरण (इ) विभक्तिको प्रयोग | ६ |
| १०. | संवादात्मक रचना | समाज, संस्कृति र शिक्षा | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● संवादको संरचना (विषय, प्रस्तुतिक्रम, हाउभाउ, तर्क, संवाद, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● संवादमा प्रस्तुत विषयवस्तुको टिपोट ● हाउभाउसहित विषयको प्रस्तुति ● निर्दिष्ट विषयमा संवाद लेखन तथा मौखिक अभिव्यक्ति र अभिनय ● शिक्षा र सांस्कृतिक शीर्षकमा वक्तव्य, समाचार वाचन, प्रवचन आदिको अभ्यास | (क) वाक्य संश्लेषण र विश्लेषण (ख) वाच्य (कर्तृ, कर्म, भाव) को पहिचान र प्रयोग | ६ |

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| ११. | प्रबन्धात्मक रचना | कानून, प्रशासन र व्यवस्थापन | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● प्रबन्धको संरचना (विषय प्रस्तुतिको क्रम, अनुच्छेद योजना, भाषाशैली आदि) को बोध ● प्रबन्धमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दको अर्थबोध | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● प्रबन्धमा वर्णित मुख्य विषयको बुँदाटिपोट, सारांश ● प्रकृति तथा वातावरणको वर्णन गरी प्रबन्ध लेखन ● प्रबन्धमा प्रयुक्त कठिन शब्दबाट वाक्य रचना ● बैठक (माइन्युट) को उपस्थिति तथा निर्णय एवम् भरपाई, मुचुल्का र प्रशासनिक टिप्पणीको नमुना लेखन ● व्यक्तिगत विवरण (बायोडाटा) लेखन | (अ) पदक्रम (क) सामान्य पदक्रम (ख) विशिष्ट पदक्रम (आ) लेख्य चिह्न र तिनको प्रयोग | ६ |
| १२. | रिपोर्ताज-मूलक रचना | अर्थ, उद्योग र वाणिज्य | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● रिपोर्ताज पाठको बोध (अनुमान, संरचना पहिचान आदि) ● रिपोर्ताज पाठमा प्रयुक्त प्राविधिक तथा पारिभाषिक शब्दको अर्थबोध ● विभिन्न पत्रिकामा प्रकाशित रिपोर्ताजको अध्ययन र प्रस्तुति | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● निर्दिष्ट पाठसँग सम्बन्धित रचना ● बुँदाटिपोट र सारांश लेखन ● निर्दिष्ट अनुच्छेदको उत्तर लेखन ● अनुकरणात्मक लेखन ● विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यममा आधारित विविध लेखन अभ्यास | (अ) उक्ति परिवर्तन (आ) उद्देश्य र विधेय विस्तार (इ) शब्दकोशीय प्रयोग | ६ |
| जम्मा | | | | | | ९६ |

द्रष्टव्य :

- (क) विधाको माध्यमबाट विद्यार्थीले बोध, अभिव्यक्ति र भाषातः अवन्तर्गतका विषयवस्तुको सिकाइ गरी भाषिक सिपहरू र भाषिक कार्यहरूमा आवश्यक सक्षमताको विकास गर्नेछन् ।
- (ख) रिपोर्टाजमूलक रचना भनेको कुनै पनि विषयमा गरिएको खोजमूलक र आख्यानात्मक संरचना भएको तथ्यमा आधारित समसामयिक प्रचलित लेखन हो ।
- (ग) पाठ्यपुस्तक विकास गर्दा प्रयोजनपरक रचनाहरूलाई साहित्यिक विधासँग सम्बन्धित पाठहरूको विचमा आवश्यकतानुसार क्रम मिलाएर राख्नुपर्ने छ ।
- (घ) विधाको क्षेत्र तथा क्रम र विस्तृतीकरणमा उल्लेख भएका पाठहरूमा प्रयोग भएका आधारमा उपयुक्तताअनुसार शब्दभण्डारको अभ्यास गराउनुपर्ने हुन्छ । यसका लागि पर्यायवाची शब्द, विपरीतार्थी शब्द, अनुकरणात्मक शब्द, अनेकार्थी शब्द, श्रुतिसमभिन्नार्थक शब्द, सङ्क्षिप्त शब्द, उखान टुक्का, लघुतावाची शब्द, सिङ्गो शब्द, समूहवाचक शब्द, पारिभाषिक/ प्राविधिक जस्ता शब्दहरूको अर्थ र सन्दर्भपूर्ण प्रयोगको अभ्यास गराउनु अपेक्षित छ । पाठमा प्रयुक्त भएका शब्दहरूलाई केन्द्रबिन्दु मानी विभिन्न का शब्दभण्डारको विकास गराउने दृष्टिकोण यसमा राखिएको छ । शब्दका विभिन्न अर्थ सम्बन्धहरू र गत विविधतालाई ख्याल राखी शब्दहरूको अर्थ र सन्दर्भपूर्ण प्रयोगमा जोड दिइने छ । यस क्रममा प्रयुक्त र तत्सम्बन्धी उखान टुक्काहरूको प्रयोगलाई पनि समावेश गरिने छ ।
- (ङ) यस पाठ्यक्रम कार्यान्वयन र शिक्षण सिकाइका क्रममा सिर्जनात्मक सोचाइ/चिन्तन, समस्या समाधान, विद्युतीय सञ्चार सिप, सहकार्य र स्वव्यस्थापन, खोज, अन्वेषण, तार्किकता जस्ता भाषासम्बद्ध जीवनोपयोगी सिपहरूलाई यथासम्भव एकीकृत गरिने छ ।

५. सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया

सिकाइ सहजीकरण पाठ्यक्रमलाई कक्षाकोठामा प्रभावकारी रूपमा हस्तान्तरण गर्ने विधि हो । भाषा शिक्षणमा भाषिक सिपको विकासका लागि सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया अपरिहार्य हुन्छ । भाषा शिक्षणका क्रममा विद्यार्थीलाई सक्रिय गराएर सिकाइलाई विद्यार्थीकेन्द्रित बनाउनुपर्छ । यसका लागि कक्षाकोठामा बहुभाषिक, स्थिति भएमा पहिलो भाषा र दोस्रो भाषाका रूपमा नेपाली शिक्षणका विधिमा ध्यान पुऱ्याउनुपर्छ । सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया पाठ्यक्रमको उद्देश्य, विषयवस्तु, विद्यार्थीको पृष्ठभूमि, स्थानीय स्रोत साधनको उपलब्धता आदिमा निर्भर हुन्छ । यो व्यक्तिगत र सामूहिक अभ्यासमा पनि आधारित हुन्छ । यस पाठ्यक्रममा सिकाइ सहजीकरणका सिपमा आधारित विधागत शिक्षणमा जोड दिइने छ । भाषा शिक्षण भाषाका सिपहरूको शिक्षण हो । भाषाका सुनाइ, बोलाइ, पढाइ र लेखाइ सिपको एकीकृत शिक्षण गरेर नै भाषाको शिक्षण गरिन्छ । साहित्यिक विधा तथा प्रयोजनपरक पाठका माध्यमबाट भाषिक सिपको शिक्षण गर्ने भाषा सिकाइको मूल पक्ष हो । भाषा शिक्षणमा साहित्यिक

विधा र प्रयोजनपरक भेदहरूको निम्नअनुसार उपयोग गरिन्छ :

(क) कविता

कविता भाषाको लययुक्त भेद हो । कविताको शिक्षण गर्दा लयबोध, शब्दार्थ र वाक्यमा प्रयोग, संरचना (आदि, मध्य र अन्त्य) बोध, भावबोध, व्याख्या जस्ता क्रियाकलाप गराउनुपर्दछ । कविता शिक्षण गर्दा पूर्व तयारी, पठन वा श्रवण र पठनपश्चात्का चरणमा बाँडी पठन पृष्ठभूमि, उद्देश्य निर्धारण, प्रश्नको सूची, प्रश्नोत्तर, भावबोध जस्ता क्रियाकलाप गराउनुपर्दछ । यसका लागि नमुना कविता दिई अनुकरणात्मक लेखन गराउने र सिर्जनात्मक अभ्यास पनि गराउनुपर्दछ ।

(ख) कथा

कथा आख्यानात्मक विधा हो । आख्यानात्मक स्वरूपका कारण कथा रुचिपूर्ण हुन्छ । कथा शिक्षण गर्दा उच्चारण, गति, यतिसहित हाउभाउपूर्ण पठन गराइन्छ । कथाबाट कथाकथन, घटना वर्णन, घटना टिपोट, बोध, प्रश्नोत्तर, भाव वर्णन र अनुकरणात्मक तथा स्वतन्त्र सिर्जनात्मक अभ्यास गराउनुपर्छ । पठन क्रियाकलापलाई योजनाबद्ध रूपमा प्रस्तुत गराउन कथा विधा उपयोगी हुन्छ । कथा शिक्षण गर्दा पूर्वपठन, पठन र पठनपश्चात्का चरणमा बाँडी पूर्वानुमान गर्ने, सहकार्यात्मक पठन, छलफल र प्रस्तुतीकरण गर्ने तथा प्रश्न निर्माण गराउने क्रियाकलाप पनि गराउनुपर्छ ।

(ग) निबन्ध

निबन्ध गद्य विधा हो । निजात्मक र वस्तुपरक अनुभूतिका लागि निबन्ध उपयुक्त विधा हो । निबन्ध शिक्षण गर्दा शब्दार्थ र वाक्यमा प्रयोग, पठनबोध, विषयबोध, बुँदाटिपोट, व्याख्या, सारांश, प्रश्नोत्तर, अनुच्छेद लेखन र स्वतन्त्र लेखन जस्ता क्रियाकलाप गराउनुपर्छ । यो लेखाइ सिप विकासका लागि उपयुक्त विधा हो । परियोजना कार्य, घटना अध्ययन, कक्षा छलफल र प्रस्तुतीकरण जस्ता क्रियाकलाप गराएर निबन्ध लेखन क्रियाकलाप गराउनुपर्छ ।

(घ) जीवनी

जीवनी भाषाको गद्य भेद हो । जीवनीबाट विद्यार्थीलाई घटना वर्णन, घटना लेखन, बुँदाटिपोट, प्रश्नोत्तर, सारांश लेखन र जीवनी लेखन जस्ता अभ्यास गराउनुपर्छ । जीवनी लेखनसँगसम्बद्ध गराएर अन्तर्वाता, परियोजना कार्य, घटना अध्ययन जस्ता क्रियाकलाप गराउनुपर्छ । जीवनी शिक्षणबाट मूलतः भाषाका पढाइ र लेखाइ सिपको विकास हुने भए पनि लेखन अभ्याससम्बन्धी क्रियाकलाप बढी प्रभावकारी हुन्छ । यसका लागि नमुना जीवनी प्रस्तुत गर्दै अनुकरणात्मक जीवनीमा अभ्यास गराई स्वतन्त्र अभ्यास गराउनुपर्छ ।

(ड) रूपक

रूपक भनेको अभिनयात्मक विधा हो । यसमा पात्रले परिस्थिति, अवस्था, विषयवस्तु र व्यक्ति विशेषको चारित्रिक भूमिकालाई ध्यानमा राखेर हाउभाउसहित भूमिका निर्वाह गर्छ । यो कथ्य भाषासँग सम्बन्धित भएकाले मौखिक अभिव्यक्तिका माध्यमले व्यक्तिका भावना, चारित्र आदिको प्रदर्शन गरिन्छ । नाटक, एकाङ्की, संवाद, वादविवाद, मनोवाद, वक्तृता आदिका माध्यमबाट रूपकीय प्रस्तुति गरिन्छ । तसर्थ रूपकको प्रकारअनुसार हाउभाउ प्रदर्शन गरी विचारको प्रस्तुतीकरण र व्यवहार गर्ने, अभिनयात्मक ढङ्गबाट अरूले गरेका व्यवहारको अनुकरण गर्ने, जीवन्त रूपमा मौखिक भाषाको प्रयोग गर्ने, तार्किक क्षमताको विकास गर्ने जस्ता क्रियाकलापबाट रूपक शिक्षण गर्नुपर्छ । साथै अभिनयात्मक कलाका अतिरिक्त रूपक विधाबाट अन्य भाषिक सिपको पनि अभ्यास गराउन सकिन्छ ।

(च) प्रयोजनपरक पाठहरू

दैनिक जीवनमा प्रयोगमा आउने विभिन्न समसामयिक का ज्ञान, सिप एवम् विविध प्राविधिक र पारिभाषिक शब्दका माध्यमबाट भाषा सिकाइमा सहजता प्रदान गर्नका लागि यस तहमा प्रयोजनपरक रचनाहरू समावेश गरिएको छ । यसमा सिकारुका दैनिक जीवनयापन र व्यावसायिक क्षेत्रमा आवश्यक पर्ने ज्ञान, सिप, अभिवृद्धि, मूल्य र काम गर्ने तत्परतालाई व्यावहारिक रूपले उपयोग गर्न सक्ने गरी स्वास्थ्य, योग तथा चिकित्सा, कृषि, वन तथा वातावरण, पर्यटन, जलस्रोत र ऊर्जा, सञ्चार, विज्ञान तथा प्रविधि, समाज, संस्कृति र शिक्षा, कानून, प्रशासन र व्यवस्थापन, अर्थ, उद्योग र वाणिज्य जस्ता विषयमा आधारित रचनालाई समावेश गरिएको छ । यस्ता रचनाका माध्यमबाट विद्यार्थीले वाणिज्य, अर्थ, विज्ञान, स्वास्थ्य, कानून, शिक्षा, योग जस्ता विषयको रचनात्मक, प्रयोजनपरक भाषिक प्रयोग र संरचनाको अभ्यास गराइने छ । प्रयोजनपरक पाठहरूलाई रोचक बनाउनका लागि साहित्यिक विधाका रूपमा प्रस्तुत गरिने छ । सिकाइ सहजीकरणका क्रममा विभिन्न प्रयोजनपरक शीर्षक दिई तिनमा अनुकरणात्मक, निर्देशनात्मक र स्वतन्त्र लेखनको अभ्यास गराइन्छ । उदाहरणमा आधारित पाठ वा रचनाको अभ्यास, पाठको मौखिक र लिखित अभिव्यक्ति, समूह छलफल र प्रस्तुतीकरण, परियोजना र खोजमूलक कार्य गराउने अभ्यास गराउनुपर्दछ । त्यस्तै आवश्यकतानुसार प्रचलित र सान्दर्भिक विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यममा उपलब्ध उपयोगी सामग्रीको अध्ययन गरी कक्षामा प्रस्तुत गर्न लगाउनुपर्छ ।

७. विद्यार्थी मूल्याङ्कन प्रक्रिया

मूल्याङ्कन गर्दा निर्माणात्मक र निर्णयात्मक दुई किसिमका प्रक्रिया अपनाइने छ । निर्णयात्मक मूल्याङ्कन गर्दा आन्तरिक र बाह्य गरी दुई तरिका अवलम्बन गरिने छ । निर्णयात्मक मूल्याङ्कनका लागि निर्माणात्मक मूल्याङ्कनमा उपयोग गरिएका विभिन्न प्रक्रिया, साधनहरू तथा तिनको अभिले

खीकरणलाई समेत आधार बनाउन सकिने छ । निर्माणात्मक मूल्याङ्कन शिक्षण सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रियाकै निरन्तरता मानिने भएकाले यसलाई निरन्तर मूल्याङ्कनका रूपमा प्रयोग गर्न सकिन्छ । स्तरोन्नति तथा कक्षोन्नतिका लागि शैक्षिक सत्रको अन्तमा निर्णयात्मक मूल्याङ्कन अन्तिम परीक्षाका माध्यमबाट गरिने छ । निर्माणात्मक वा निरन्तर मूल्याङ्कनमा क्षेत्रीय अध्ययन, परियोजना कार्य, अध्ययन भ्रमण, घटना अवलोकन तथा अध्ययन, सिर्जनात्मक तथा रचनात्मक कार्य, विद्युतीय सञ्चार माध्यममा प्राप्त सान्दर्भिक सामग्रीको अध्ययन र प्रस्तुति, सिकारुका कार्यकलापको निरीक्षण, व्यक्तिगत र सामूहिक छलफल, लिखित परीक्षा, हाजिरीजवाफ, प्रश्नोत्तर, कक्षाकार्यको परीक्षण, भाषिक व्यवहारको निरन्तर अवलोकन र तिनको अभिलेखीकरण जस्ता साधनहरूको उपयोग गरिने छ ।

नेपाली भाषाको मूल्याङ्कनमा सक्षमता र सिकाइ उपलब्धिमा लेखिएका भाषिक सिपको मापन गरिने छ । विद्यार्थीको भाषिक सिपगत सक्षमताको मापनगर्ने प्रश्नहरूको निर्माण गर्दा व्याकरण र शब्दभण्डारसम्बन्धी प्रश्नहरूसमेत भाषिक एकाइ र रचनामा केन्द्रित गरिने छ । व्याकरणको मूल्याङ्कन कार्यमूलक प्रकृतिको हुने छ । प्रश्नहरू विद्यार्थीको भाषिक दक्षताका अतिरिक्त रचनात्मक र समालोचनात्मक क्षमतालाई पनि सम्बोधन गर्ने खालका हुने छन् ।

(क) आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कन

आन्तरिक तथा प्रयोगात्मक मूल्याङ्कनका लागि प्रत्येक विद्यार्थीहरूको कार्यसञ्चयिका फाइल बनाई सोको आधारमा उनीहरूको कार्य र उनीहरूले गरेका कार्य र उनीहरूमा आएको व्यवहार परिवर्तनका अभिलेख राखी सोका आधारमा अङ्क प्रदान गर्नुपर्दछ । सिकाइका क्रममा कक्षाकोठामा कक्षागत शिक्षण सिकाइको अभिन्न अङ्गका रूपमा गृहकार्य, कक्षाकार्य, परियोजना कार्य, सामुदायिक कार्य, सह/अतिरिक्त क्रियाकलाप, एकाइ परीक्षा, मासिक परीक्षा जस्ता मूल्याङ्कन साधनहरूको प्रयोग गर्न सकिने छ । यस्तो मूल्याङ्कनका लागि विद्यार्थीको अभिलेख राखी त्यही अभिलेखका आधारमा सिकाइस्तर निर्धारण गर्न सकिन्छ । आवश्यकतानुसार सुधारात्मक तथा उपचारात्मक शिक्षण सिकाइ क्रियाकलाप सञ्चालन गर्नुपर्छ । विशेष सिकाइ आवश्यकता भएका विद्यार्थीका लागि विषय शिक्षकले नै उपयुक्त प्रक्रिया अपनाई मूल्याङ्कन गर्नुपर्ने छ । यस विषयमा निर्माणात्मक मूल्याङ्कन प्रक्रियाको महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका रहेको हुन्छ । विद्यार्थीहरूले के कति सिके भन्ने कुरा पत्ता लगाई नसिकेको भए कारण पहिचान गरी पुनः सिकाइनुपर्छ । आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनको भार २५% छुट्याइएको छ । यस विषयको आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनमा कक्षा सहभागिता, कक्षा कार्य/परियोजना कार्य, विषयवस्तुको मूल्याङ्कन तथा आन्तरिक परीक्षाबाट प्राप्त विद्यार्थीको सिकाइ उपलब्धिलाई समेटिनु पर्दछ ।

यस खण्डको मूल्याङ्कन विद्यार्थीले व्यक्तिगत तथा समूह कार्य तथा परियोजनाको गुणस्तरको आधारमा विद्यालय तहमा गठन गरिने मूल्याङ्कन समितिले गर्ने छ भने तोकिएको निकायबाट यसको प्राविधिक परीक्षण हुने छ । आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका आधारहरू र अङ्क विभाजन निम्नानुसार हुने छ :

आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनको विस्तृतीकरण

| क्र.सं | क्षेत्र | परीक्षण गर्ने पक्ष | अङ्क भार | मूल्याङ्कनका आधार |
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| १. | सहभागिता | कक्षा सहभागिता | ३ | विद्यार्थीको दैनिक हाजिरीको अभिलेखलाई आधार लिने भाषिक सिप विकासका लागि व्यक्तिगत, युगल र समूहगत आदि कक्षागत सिकाइ सहभागितालाई आधार मान्ने |
| २. | कक्षा कार्य/परियोजना कार्य | कक्षा कार्य/परियोजना कार्य | ६ | सुनाइ, बोलाइ, पढाइ, लेखाइ सिप विकाससम्बद्ध लिखित तथा मौखिक प्रस्तुति, गृहकार्य, कक्षा कार्य वा भाषिक सिप विकाससम्बन्धी परियोजना कार्यको प्रतिवेदन र अन्तर्वार्ता (भाइवा) लाई आधार लिने |
| ३. | विषय वस्तुगत मूल्याङ्कन | (क) सुनाइ | ३ | रेडियो, क्यासेट, मोबाइल वा अन्य विद्युतीय सामग्रीबाट समाचार, संवाद, साहित्यिक अभिव्यक्ति, वा अन्य सन्देशमूलक गद्यांश सुनाएर अनुमान, पूर्वानुमान, प्रश्नोत्तर, शब्दबोध, अर्थबोध, सन्दर्भबोध, भावबोध, कथाकथन, घटना वर्णन, मुख्य बुँदा टिपोट आदिसँग सम्बन्धित प्रश्नहरू सोधी भन्न वा लेख्न लगाउने । वा १५० देखि २०० शब्दसम्मको कुनै गद्यांश वा पद्यांश (अदृष्टांश) सुनाएर अनुमान, पूर्वानुमान, प्रश्नोत्तर, शब्दबोध, अर्थबोध, सन्दर्भबोध, भावबोध, कथाकथन, घटना वर्णन, मुख्य बुँदा टिपोट आदिसँग सम्बन्धित प्रश्नहरू सोध्ने । |

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| | | (ख) बोलाइ (अ) मौखिक वर्णन/ कथा कथन | ३ | कुनै पत्रपत्रिका वा कुनै लिखित सामग्रीबाट १५० शब्दसम्मको गद्यांश वा पद्यांश दिएर गति, यति, लय मिलाएर भावानुकूल सस्वरवाचन गर्न लगाउने । (यसरी वाचन गर्दा स्पष्टता, भाषिक शुद्धता, गति, यति, लय र हाउभाउ जस्ता पक्षमा विशेष ख्याल गर्ने) |
| | | (आ) सस्वर वाचन) | ३ | कुनै पत्रपत्रिका वा कुनै लिखित सामग्रीबाट १५० शब्दसम्मको गद्यांश वा पद्यांश दिएर गति, यति, लय मिलाएर भावानुकूल सस्वरवाचन गर्न लगाउने । |
| ४ | त्रैमासिक परीक्षा | त्रैमासिक परीक्षाको अङ्कबाट | (यसरी वाचन गर्दा स्पष्टता, भाषिक शुद्धता, गति, यति, लय र हाउभाउ जस्ता पक्षमा विशेष ख्याल गर्ने) | पहिलो त्रैमासिक परीक्षाबाट ३ अङ्क र दोस्रो त्रै मासिक परीक्षाबाट ३ अङ्क |
| | जम्मा | | २५ | |

द्रष्टव्य : आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका आधारको विस्तृत विवरण आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कन कार्यविधिको आधार मा हुने छ ।

(ख) बाह्य मूल्याङ्कन

(आ) भाषिक सिप (पढाइ र लेखाइ) कक्षा ११

| क्र.सं | भाषिक सिप (पढाइ र लेखाइ) | विषयक्षेत्र | अङ्कभार |
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| १. | वर्ण पहिचान | व्याकरण | ३ |
| २. | वर्णविन्यास | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ३. | पदवर्ग पहिचान | व्याकरण | २ |

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| ४. | शब्दनिर्माण | व्याकरण | ४ |
| ५. | रूपायन र पदसङ्गति | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ६. | काल, पक्ष, भाव र वाच्य | व्याकरण | ५ |
| ७. | शब्दस्रोत र शब्दकोशीय प्रयोग | व्याकरण | २ |
| ८. | वाक्यान्तरण | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ९. | पठनबोध | प्रयोजनपरक रचना | ८ |
| १०. | बुँदाटिपोट र सारांश | गद्य रचना | २ + ३ = ५ |
| ११. | पाठगत बोध (सन्दर्भमा आधारित छोटो उत्तरात्मक) | कथा, कविता, निबन्ध, जीवनी, रूपक, प्रयोजनपरक रचना | ८ |
| १२. | पाठगत बोध (समीक्षात्मक) | कथा, कविता, निबन्ध, जीवनी, प्रयो जनपरक रचना | ४+४=८ |
| १३. | स्वतन्त्र रचना | निबन्ध | ८ |
| १४. | प्रतिक्रिया लेखन | सामयिक विषय | ४ |
| १५. | व्यावहारिक लेखन | व्यावहारिक लेखन, पत्ररचना | ४ |
| १६. | प्रतिवेदन तथा टिप्पणी लेखन | प्रतिवेदन र टिप्पणी | ५ |
| | जम्मा | | ७५ |

कक्षा १२

| क्र.सं | भाषिक सिप (पढाइ र लेखाइ) | विषयक्षेत्र | अङ्क कभार |
|--------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| १. | अक्षर संरचना | व्याकरण | ३ |
| २. | वर्णविन्यास | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ३. | पदवर्ग पहिचान | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ४. | शब्दनिर्माण | व्याकरण | ३ |
| ५. | कारक र विभक्ति तथा पदसङ्गति | व्याकरण | ४ |
| ६. | काल, पक्ष, भाव र वाच्य | व्याकरण | ५ |
| ७. | वाक्यान्तरण | व्याकरण | ४ |
| ८. | पठनबोध | प्रयोजनपरक रचना | ८ |
| ९. | बुँदाटिपोट र सारांश | गद्य विधा | २+३=५ |

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| १०. | पाठगत बोध (सन्दर्भमा आधारित उत्तरात्मक) | उपन्यास, कथा, कविता, निबन्ध, जीवनी र प्रयोजनपरक रचना | ८ |
| ११. | पाठगत बोध (समीक्षात्मक) | उपन्यास, कथा, कविता, निबन्ध, जीवनी, प्रयोजनपरक रचना | ४+४=८ |
| १२. | स्वतन्त्र रचना | निबन्ध | ८ |
| १३. | प्रतिक्रिया लेखन | प्रतिक्रिया | ४ |
| १४. | व्यावहारिक लेखन | व्यावहारिक लेखन, पत्ररचना | ४ |
| १५. | प्रतिवेदन तथा टिप्पणी लेखन | प्रतिवेदन | ५ |
| | जम्मा | | ७५ |

सामाजिक अध्ययन

कक्षा १२

पाठ्यघण्टा : ३

वार्षिक कार्यघण्टा : ९६ घण्टा

१. परिचय

शिक्षालाई ज्ञान, सिप, अभिवृत्ति, नेतृत्वकला आर्जन गर्ने, समालोचनात्मक विश्व दृष्टिकोणका आधारमा समाजका घटना परिघटनाको व्याख्या गर्ने र समाज रूपान्तरणमा महत्वपूर्ण योगदान गर्ने साधनका रूपमा लिइन्छ। शिक्षालाई समयसापेक्ष बनाउन यसलाई समुदायसँग जोड्नुपर्दछ। व्यक्तिले आफू, परिवार, समाज, राष्ट्र र विश्व परिवेशसँग सामञ्जस्य कायम गर्दै समयानुकूल, स्वच्छ, स्वस्थ र मर्यादित जीवन निर्वाहका लागि क्रियाशील रहन शारीरिक, मानसिक तथा संवेगात्मक व्यवस्थापन गर्नु आवश्यक हुन्छ। मानव जीवनलाई सहज, उन्नत एवम् सुसंस्कृत बनाउन र सामाजिक सम्बन्धहरूलाई न्यायपूर्ण, सौहार्द्रपूर्ण एवम् सहयोगात्मक बनाउँदै लैजान शिक्षाको महत्वपूर्ण भूमिका हुन्छ। समाजलाई समुन्नति र सभ्यतातर्फ अघि बढाउने एउटा प्रभावकारी माध्यमका रूपमा शिक्षालाई लिइन्छ। विश्वमा ज्ञान, विज्ञान र प्रविधिलगायत राजनीति, अर्थतन्त्र, संस्कृति र सामाजिक सम्बन्धहरूमा समेत परिवर्तनहरू आइरहेका हुन्छन्। यस्ता परिवर्तनलाई सम्बोधन गर्न समुदायलाई शिक्षाको पाठ्यक्रमका रूपमा लिई सिकाइका कार्यहरू सञ्चालन गर्नुपर्दछ। विद्यार्थीहरूलाई विद्यालय तहदेखि नै समाज र वातावरणसँग अन्तरक्रिया गर्ने अवसर प्रदान गर्नु पनि आवश्यक छ। यस्तै किशोरकिशोरीमा उत्पन्न हुने द्विविधाहरू व्यवस्थापन गरी कार्यमूलक जीवनमा प्रवेश गर्दा आवश्यक पर्ने जीवनोपयोगी सिपहरू विद्यालय तहमै हासिल गराउनु औचित्यपूर्ण हुन्छ। विद्यालय शिक्षाको राष्ट्रिय पाठ्यक्रम प्रारूप, २०७६ अनुसार कक्षा १२ का विद्यार्थीमा समाजको अध्ययनसहित जीवनोपयोगी सिप विकास गराई मानवीय मूल्य र मान्यतासहित लोकतान्त्रिक समाजमा अनुकूलन हुन सक्ने सक्षम नागरिक तयार पार्ने उद्देश्यले सामाजिक अध्ययनको यो पाठ्यक्रम तयार गरिएको छ।

यस पाठ्यक्रममा समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण, मानवसमाजको उद्भव र विकास, नेपाल र विश्वभूगोल, नेपालको सामाजिक तथा सांस्कृतिक मूल्य मान्यताहरू, नेपाल र विश्वको ऐतिहासिक विकासक्रम, नागरिक सचेतना र संविधान, जीवनोपयोगी सिप, वातावरण र जनसाङ्ख्यिकी जस्ता विषय समेटिएको छ। यस पाठ्यक्रमले ज्ञान, सिप, अभिवृत्ति र मूल्यको विकासमा जोड दिएकाले अध्ययन अध्यापनमा सैद्धान्तिकभन्दा व्यावहारिक र प्रयोगात्मक पक्षमा बढी जोड दिनुपर्ने हुन्छ। यस विषयका लागि साप्ताहिक ३ पाठ्यघण्टा र वार्षिक कुल ९६ कार्यघण्टा छुट्याइएको छ। विषयवस्तुमा ७२ कार्यघण्टाको सैद्धान्तिक तथा २४ कार्यघण्टाको व्यावहारिक अभ्यास समावेश गरिएको छ। मूल्याङ्कनलाई सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रियाको अभिन्न अङ्गका रूपमा प्रयोग गर्नुपर्ने पक्षलाई जोड दिइएको

छ। यसका लागि विद्यार्थीमा आवश्यक सामाजिक अध्ययनको ज्ञान, सिप, अभिवृत्ति र मूल्यहरू हासिल भए नभएको परीक्षण हुने गरी मूल्याङ्कनका विभिन्न विधि तथा साधनहरू निर्माण तथा प्रयोग गर्नुपर्दछ। मूल्याङ्कन प्रक्रियालाई सहजीकरण गर्नका लागि मूल्याङ्कनका आधारसमेत यस पाठ्यक्रममा समावेश गरिएको छ।

यस पाठ्यक्रममा परिचय, विषयगत रूपमा अपेक्षित ज्ञान, सिप, अभिवृत्ति, मूल्य र कार्य तत्परतालाई समेटि त्यसको क्रियात्मक स्वरूपमा सक्षमता निर्धारण गरिएको छ। विषयगत विशिष्टपन र मौलिकतालाई समेटि सिकाइ सहजीकरणका विधि तथा प्रक्रिया प्रस्तुत गरिएको छ। यसमा आन्तरिक र बाह्य मूल्याङ्कनका विधि तथा प्रक्रियासमेत उल्लेख गरी विद्यार्थी मूल्याङ्कनलाई व्यवस्थित गरिएको छ।

२. तहगत सक्षमता

सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयको अध्ययनपश्चात् विद्यार्थीहरूमा निम्नानुसारका सक्षमता हासिल हुने छन् :

१. समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण अवधारणाको विकास र व्यावहारिक अभ्यास
२. मानवसमाजको उद्भव र विकास सम्बद्ध विविधताको विश्लेषण
३. नेपाल र विश्वभूगोलका प्रमुख ऐतिहासिक घटनाहरूको प्रस्तुति
४. नेपालको सामाजिक तथा सांस्कृतिक मूल्य मान्यताहरूको पहिचान गर्दै समावेशीकरण र विविधताको सम्मान
५. नेपाल र विश्वको ऐतिहासिक विकासक्रमको प्रस्तुति
६. नागरिक सचेतना र वर्तमान संविधानका प्रमुख विशेषताहरूको विश्लेषण
७. जीवनोपयोगी शिक्षामा निर्णय प्रक्रिया, समस्या समाधान, सञ्चार, तनाव व्यवस्थापन र अन्तरवैयक्तिक सिप र सम्बन्धको प्रयोग र उपयोग
८. पारिस्थितिक पद्धति, जनसाङ्ख्यिक स्वरूप, बसाइँसराइको गतिशीलता, र यौन तथा प्रजनन शिक्षासम्बन्धी समीक्षात्मक विश्लेषण

३. कक्षागत सिकाइ उपलब्धि

कक्षा १२ को अन्त्यमा विद्यार्थीहरूमा निम्नानुसारका सिकाइ उपलब्धिहरू हासिल हुने छन् :

| एकाइ | विषयवस्तुको क्षेत्र | सिकाइ उपलब्धि |
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| १. | समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण | १.१ सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयको परिचय दिन १.२ सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयको महत्त्व र विकासक्रम बताउन १.३ सामाजिक अध्ययनका सिपहरू (बौद्धिक, सामाजिक सांस्कृतिक, सञ्चार र प्रविधि) को पहिचान गरी दैनिक जीवनमा प्रयोग गर्न |

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| | | <p>१.४ समाज र समुदायको अवधारणा बताउँदै यसका विशेषताहरू चित्रण गर्न</p> <p>१.५ प्राविधिक तथा व्यावसायिक शिक्षाको समाजसँग रहेको सम्बन्ध पहिल्याउन</p> <p>१.६ सामाजिकीकरणको अवधारणा बताउन</p> <p>१.७ सामाजिकीकरणका तत्वहरूको सूची बनाई व्याख्या गर्न ।</p> |
| २. | मानवसमाजको उद्भव र विकास | <p>२.१ मानव समाजको उद्भव र विकास क्रम बताउन</p> <p>२.१.१ ढुङ्गे युगको संस्कृतिको विवेचना गर्न</p> <p>२.१.२ कृषि युगको सुरुआत र विकासक्रमको व्याख्या गर्न</p> <p>२.१.३ औद्योगिक युग र उत्तर आधुनिक युगको निर्माण र प्रभावको विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>२.२ सामाजिक विविधताको अर्थ बताउँदै यसका आयामहरूको विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>२.३ सिप र प्रविधिमा आधारित समाजका विशेषताहरू पत्ता लगाउन</p> <p>२.४ मानव समाजको विकासका विभिन्न चरणहरूसँग आजको मानव समाजको तुलना गर्न ।</p> |
| ३. | नेपाल र विश्व भूगोल | <p>३.१ विश्व मानचित्रमा नेपालको अवस्थिति पत्ता लगाउन</p> <p>३.२ नेपालको भौगोलिक विभाजन (धरातलीय स्वरूप, नदी, हावापानी) लाई नक्साको माध्यमद्वारा देखाउन</p> <p>३.३ प्रशासनिक आधारमा नेपालको विभाजन गरी नक्साद्वारा देखाउन</p> <p>३.४ हावापानी तथा खेतीपातीका लागि नेपालमा पश्चिमी वायु र मनसुनी वायुको प्रभाव पत्ता लगाउन</p> <p>३.५ नेपालको जनजीवनमा भौगोलिक विविधताले पार्ने प्रभावको विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>३.६ नेपालका सन्दर्भमा निम्नलिखित प्राकृतिक स्रोतहरूको वर्तमान अवस्था, सम्भावना र उपयोगिताको विश्लेषण गर्न : भूमि, वन, खनिज, जलस्रोत, नदी, कुण्ड र तालहरू, सौन्दर्य र पर्यटन</p> <p>३.७ अवस्थिति (ध्रुव, अक्षांश, देशान्तर र अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय तिथि रेखा) को आधारभूत अवधारणा बताउन</p> <p>३.८ अक्षांश र देशान्तरका आधारमा समय र दुरीको गणना गर्न</p> |

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| | | <p>३.९ महादेश र महासागरहरूको सामान्य परिचय दिन</p> <p>३.१० भूकम्प, बाढी, पहिरो हिमपहिरो जस्ता विपद्को अवधारणा बताउँदै यसका कारण र परिणामहरूको विवेचना गर्न</p> <p>३.११ माथि उल्लेखित विपद्बाट बच्न अपनाइने सावधानीका उपायहरूको खोजी गर्न</p> <p>३.१२ विपत् व्यवस्थापनमा स्थानीय साधन र सिपको प्रयोग गर्दै अरूलाई सहभागी हुन प्रेरित गर्न र आफू पनि सहभागी हुन</p> |
| ४. | नेपालको सामाजिकतथा सांस्कृतिक मूल्य मान्यताहरू | <p>४.१ नेपालका मौलिक जातजाति, धर्म, संस्कृति, भाषाभाषी, पेसा, चाडपर्व, प्रथा, परम्परा, रहनसहन, मूल्य र मान्यताहरूको खोजी गर्न</p> <p>४.२ नेपालीकला (वास्तुकला, चित्रकला, मूर्तिकला, र काष्ठकला) का विशेषता र महत्त्व बताउन</p> <p>४.३ नेपालमा रहेका भौगोलिक, जातीय, धार्मिक, लैङ्गिक तथा यौनिक अल्पसङ्ख्यकहरूको पहिचान गर्दै राज्यका तर्फबाट उनिहरूका लागि व्यवस्था गरिएको सामाजिक सुरक्षाको व्यवस्था विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>४.४ शारीरिक र मानसिक अपाङ्गता भएका व्यक्तिहरूले सामाजिक सुरक्षाका रूपमा प्राप्त गरेका सेवा सुविधाहरूको खोजी गर्न</p> <p>४.५ ज्येष्ठ नागरिक र उनीहरू प्रतिको सम्मानका लागि राज्यबाट निर्धारण गरिएका नीतिको खोजी गर्दै आफू पनि ज्येष्ठ नागरिकको सम्मानमा लाग्न</p> <p>४.६ नेपालमा सामाजिक सुरक्षासम्बन्धी प्रावधानको विश्लेषण गर्दै यसको व्यावहारिक अभ्यासमा देखिएका कठिनाइहरूको विवेचना गर्न ।</p> |
| ५. | नेपाल र विश्वको ऐतिहासिक विकासक्रम | <p>५.१ किरातकाल, लिच्छविकाल र मध्यकाल (मल्लकाल) को सामाजिक, आर्थिक एवम् राजनीतिक अवस्था चित्रण गर्न</p> <p>५.२ नेपालको आधुनिक इतिहासअन्तर्गत :</p> <p>५.२.१ नेपाल एकीकरण अभियानको चर्चा गर्न</p> <p>५.२.२ राणाशासन कालको सामाजिक र आर्थिक परिवर्तन पत्ता लगाउन</p> |

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| | | <p>५.२.३ वि.सं. २००७ देखि २०१७ सालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रमको वर्णन गर्न</p> <p>५.२.४ वि.सं. २०१७-२०४६ सालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रमको सूची बनाउन</p> <p>५.२.५ वि.सं. २०४६ देखि हालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रमहरूको चर्चा गर्न</p> <p>५.३ औद्योगिक क्रान्ति र विश्वको आर्थिक सामाजिक क्षेत्रमा यसका प्रभावहरूको विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>५.४ विश्वमा लोकतन्त्रको उदय, विकासक्रम र वर्तमान अवस्थाको विवेचना गर्न ।</p> |
| ६. | संविधान र नागरिक सचेतना | <p>६.१ नेपालको संवैधानिक विकासक्रमको चर्चा गर्न</p> <p>६.२ नेपालको संविधान २०७२ का प्रमुख राजनीतिक, कानुनी, आर्थिक र सांस्कृतिक विशेषताहरूको विश्लेषण गर्न ।</p> <p>६.३ नेपालका सन्दर्भमा वालिग मताधिकारको अवधारणा प्रष्ट्याउँदै सङ्घ, प्रदेश र स्थानीय तहको निर्वाचन प्रक्रियाबारे व्याख्या गर्न</p> <p>६.४ नेपालको राष्ट्रिय सुरक्षाको अवधारणा बताउँदै नेपालमा राष्ट्रिय सुरक्षाको वर्तमान अवस्थाको विश्लेषण गर्न</p> <p>६.५ नेपालमा रहेको प्राविधिक तथा व्यावसायिक शिक्षासम्बन्धी नीतिगत र संस्थागत व्यवस्थाको विवेचना गर्न ।</p> |
| ७. | जीवनोपयोगी सिप | <p>७.१ जीवनोपयोगी सिपको व्याख्या गर्न र सामाजिक तथा पेसागत जीवनमा तिनको प्रयोग गर्न</p> <p>७.२ सामाजिक अध्ययन र जीवनोपयोगी शिक्षामा निर्णय प्रक्रिया, समस्या समाधान, सञ्चार, तनाव व्यवस्थापन र अन्तरवैयक्तिक सिप र सम्बन्धको विश्लेषण गरी प्रयोग र प्रस्तुत गर्न</p> |
| ८. | वातावरण र जनसाङ्ख्यिकी | <p>८.१ नेपालमा प्रास्थितिक प्रणाली र जैविक विविधताको अवस्थाको विवेचना गर्न</p> <p>८.२ जलवायु परिवर्तनका कारण, असर र असर कम गर्ने उपायहरूको खोजी गर्न</p> <p>८.३ दिगो विकासको अवधारणा उल्लेख गर्न</p> <p>८.४ नेपालको जनसाङ्ख्याको आकार, बनोट र वितरणको अवस्था पहिल्याउँदै तथ्याङ्कको खोजी, प्रस्तुति र विश्लेषणको प्रया</p> |

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| | | गात्मक अभ्यास गर्न |
| | | ८.५ स्थानीय स्तरमा जन्म, मृत्यु र बसाइँसराइको अवस्थाको सर्वेक्षण गर्दै प्रतिवेदन तयार गर्न |
| | | ८.६ नेपालमा बसाइँसराइको प्रवृत्ति, कारण र आर्थिक सामाजिक प्रभावको खोजी गर्न |
| | | ८.७ नेपालमा सहरीकरणको मापदण्ड, विस्तार र प्रवृत्तिको चर्चा गर्न |
| | | ८.८ नेपालमा जनसङ्ख्या व्यवस्थापनका उपायहरूको खोजी गर्न |
| | | ८.९ किशोरावस्थामा हुने यौनआवेग र संवेगको पहिचान र व्यवस्थापन गर्ने उपयुक्त उपायहरूको खोजी र प्रयोग गर्न । |

४. विषयवस्तुको क्षेत्र र क्रम

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| १. | समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण | १.१ सामाजिक अध्ययनको परिचय महत्व र विकासक्रम १.२ सामाजिक अध्ययनका सिपहरू (वैद्विक, सामाजिक साँस्कृतिक, संचार र प्रविधि) १.३ समाज र समुदायको अवधारणा र विशेषताहरू १.४ प्राविधिक तथा व्यवसायिक शिक्षा र समाजबिचको सम्बन्ध १.५ सामाजिकीकरण अवधारणा, तत्त्वहरू १.६ सामाजिक परिवर्तन र प्रविधिको प्रभाव र प्रयोग १.७ सामाजिक अन्तरक्रिया अवधारणा र व्यावहारिक अभ्यास | १२ |
| २. | मानव समाजको उद्भव र विकास | २.१ मानव जातिको उद्भव र विकास २.१.१ ढुङ्गे युगको संस्कृति २.१.२ कृषि युगको सुरुआत र विकास २.१.३ औद्योगिक युग र उत्तर आधुनिक युगकोनिर्माण र प्रभाव २.२ सामाजिक विविधताको अर्थ रआयामहरू २.३ सिप र प्रविधिमा आधारित समाज | ८ |

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| ३. | नेपाल र विश्व भूगोल | <p>३.१ नेपालको भूगोल</p> <p>३.१.१ विश्व मानचित्रमा नेपाल</p> <p>३.१.२ नेपालको भौगोलिक विभाजन (धरातलिय स्वरूप, नदी, हावापानी)</p> <p>३.१.३ नेपालमा पश्चिमी वायु र मनसुनी वायुको प्रभाव</p> <p>३.१.४ नेपालको भौगोलिक विविधताको जनजीवनमा प्रभाव</p> <p>३.१.५ प्रशासनिक आधारमा नेपालको विभाजन</p> <p>३.१.६ प्राकृतिक स्रोतहरू : भूमि, वन, खनिज, जलश्रोत, नदी, कुण्ड र तालहरू, सौन्दर्य र पर्यटन</p> <p>३.२ विश्वको भूगोल</p> <p>३.२.१ अवस्थिति (ध्रुव, अक्षांश, देशान्तर, अन्तर्राष्ट्रिय तिथि रेखा)</p> <p>३.२.२ महादेश र महासागरहरूको सामान्य परिचय</p> <p>३.२.३ अक्षांश र देशान्तरका आधारमा समय र दुरीको गणना</p> <p>३.३ विपत् व्यवस्थापन : नेपालमा विद्यमान प्रयास र अभ्यास</p> <p>३.३.१ भूकम्प, बाढी, पहिरो हिमपहिरो (अवधारणा, कारण, परिणाम र सावधानीका उपाय)</p> <p>३.३.२ विपत् व्यवस्थापनमा स्थानीय सिपको प्रयोग र जनसहभागिता</p> | १६ |
| ४. | नेपालको सामाजिक तथा सांस्कृतिक मूल्य मान्यताहरू | <p>४.१ नेपालको सामाजिक एवम् सांस्कृतिक अवस्था</p> <p>४.१.१ जातजाति, धर्म, संस्कृति, भाषाभाषी, पेसा, चाडपर्व, प्रथा, परम्परा, रहनसहन, मूल्य र मान्यता</p> <p>४.१.२ नेपालीकला (वास्तुकला, चित्रकला, मूर्तिकला, र काष्ठकला) विशेषता र महत्त्व</p> <p>४.२ नेपालमा समावेशीकरण परिचय र प्रावधान (भौगोलिक, जातीय, धार्मिक, लैङ्गिक तथा यौनिक अल्पसङ्ख्यक, अपाङ्गता)</p> | १२ |

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| | | <p>४.३ जेष्ठ नागरिक र उनीहरूको सम्मान</p> <p>४.४ नेपालमा सामाजिक सुरक्षासम्बन्धी प्रावधान र यसको अभ्यास</p> | |
| ५. | नेपाल र विश्वको ऐतिहासिक विकासक्रम | <p>५.१ नेपालको इतिहास</p> <p>५.१.१ किरातकाल, लिच्छविकाल र मध्यकाल (मल्लकाल) (सामाजिक, आर्थिक एवम् राजनीतिक अवस्था)</p> <p>५.१.२ नेपालको आधुनिक इतिहास :</p> <p>५.१.२.१ नेपाल एकीकरण अभियान</p> <p>५.१.२.२ राणाशासन (सामाजिक, आर्थिक परिवर्तन)</p> <p>५.१.२.३ वि.सं. २००७ देखि २०१७ सालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रम</p> <p>५.१.२.४ वि.सं. २०१७-२०४६ सालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रम</p> <p>५.१.२.५ वि.सं. २०४६ देखि हालसम्मको राजनीतिक घटनाक्रम</p> <p>५.२ विश्वको इतिहास</p> <p>५.२.१ औद्योगिक क्रान्ति र यसका प्रभाव</p> <p>५.२.२ विश्वमा लोकतन्त्रको उदय, विकासक्रम र वर्तमान अवस्था</p> | १४ |
| ६. | संविधान र नागरिक सचेतना | <p>६.१ संविधान र नागरिक सचेतना</p> <p>६.१.१ नेपालको संवैधानिक विकासक्रम र नेपालको संविधान २०७२ का प्रमुख विशेषताहरू (राजनीतिक, कानुनी, आर्थिक र सांस्कृतिक)</p> <p>६.१.२ निर्वाचन प्रक्रिया (सङ्घ, प्रदेश र स्थानीय तह) र बालिग मताधिकार</p> <p>६.१.३ नेपालको राष्ट्रिय सुरक्षाको अवधारणा र वर्तमान अवस्था</p> <p>६.१.४ प्राविधिक तथा व्यवसायिक शिक्षासम्बन्धी नीतिगत र संस्थागत व्यवस्था</p> | १२ |

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| ७. | जीवनोपयोगी सिप | <p>७.१ जीवनोपयोगी सिपको परिचय र यसको वर्गीकरण</p> <p>७.२ निर्णय प्रक्रिया</p> <p>७.२.१ निर्णयको परिचय र प्रकार</p> <p>७.२.२ निर्णय प्रक्रियाका चरण, प्रयोग र अभ्यास</p> <p>७.२.३ निर्णयमा अनिर्णित हुने अवस्थाको पहिचान</p> <p>७.३ समस्या समाधान</p> <p>७.३.१ समस्याको परिचय र पहिचान</p> <p>७.३.२ समस्या समाधानका चरण</p> <p>७.३.३ समस्या समाधानको व्यावहारिक अभ्यास</p> <p>७.४ सञ्चार</p> <p>७.४.१ सञ्चार सिपको पहिचान र प्रकार</p> <p>७.४.२ सञ्चारका अवरोधहरू</p> <p>७.४.३ प्रभावकारी सञ्चार र प्रभावकारी सम्बन्ध</p> <p>७.४.४ प्रभावकारी सञ्चारका माध्यम र अभ्यास</p> <p>७.४.५ सामाजिक सञ्जालको सदुपयोग</p> <p>७.५ तनाव व्यवस्थापन</p> <p>७.५.१ तनावको अर्थ, सिर्जित अवस्था र असर</p> <p>७.५.२ तनाव व्यवस्थापनका उपायहरू : समर्पण, प्रतिरोध र सम्झौता तथा तिनका व्यावहारिक अभ्यास</p> <p>७.५.३ तनाव व्यवस्थापनका रणनीति</p> <p>७.५.४ द्वन्द्व, तनाव, द्वन्द्व रूपान्तरण र व्यवस्थापनको प्रक्रिया र अभ्यास</p> <p>७.५.५ तनाव व्यवस्थापनमा मनोसामाजिक परामर्श, योग र ध्यानको प्रयोग</p> <p>७.६ अन्तरवैयक्तिक सिप र सम्बन्ध</p> <p>७.६.१ अन्तरवैयक्तिक सिपको अर्थ र महत्त्व</p> <p>७.६.२ अन्तरवैयक्तिक सम्बन्ध सुधारका उपाय</p> <p>७.६.३ अन्तरवैयक्तिक सम्बन्ध र सामाजिक सञ्जाल</p> <p>७.६.४ असल नेतृत्वका लागि अन्तरवैयक्तिक सम्बन्ध व्यवस्थापन</p> <p>७.६.५ टोलीकार्य र नेतृत्व विकास</p> | १४ |
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| द. | वातावरण र जनसाङ्ख्यिकी | <p>द.१ पारिस्थितिक पद्धति र वातावरण</p> <p>द.१.१ पारिस्थितिक प्रणाली र जैविक विविधता,</p> <p>द.१.२ जलवायु परिवर्तन</p> <p>द.१.३ दिगो विकास</p> <p>द.२ जनसाङ्ख्यिकी र नेपालको जनसङ्ख्या</p> <p>द.२.१ नेपालको जनसङ्ख्याको आकार, बनोट र वितरण</p> <p>द.२.२ जनसाङ्ख्यिक तत्त्वहरू: जन्म, मृत्यु र बसाइँसराइ</p> <p>द.२.३ नेपालमा बसाइँसराइको प्रवृत्ति, कारण र यसको आर्थिक सामाजिक प्रभाव</p> <p>द.२.४ नेपालमा सहरीकरणको मापदण्ड, विस्तार र प्रवृत्ति</p> <p>द.२.५ नेपालमा जनसङ्ख्या व्यवस्थापनका उपायहरू</p> <p>द.३ यौन तथा प्रजनन शिक्षा</p> <p>द.३.१ किशोर किशोरीहरूका लागि यौनिकता शिक्षा: यौन आवेग र संवेगको पहिचान र व्यवस्थापन</p> | ८ |
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५. प्रयोगात्मक तथा परियोजना कार्यमा समावेश गर्न सकिने केही क्रियाकलापहरू

| एकाइ | विषयवस्तुको क्षेत्र | कार्य घण्टा | नमुना क्रियाकलाप |
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| १. | समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण | २ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● तपाईं बसोबास गर्ने ठाउँमा कक्षा ८, ९ र १० मा अध्ययनरत कुनै पनि भाइबहिनीका १० जना अविभावकहरूलाई भेटी सामाजिक सञ्जालको प्रयोगका कारण उनीहरूका छोराछोरीको सामाजिकीकरण र अध्ययनमा पारेको प्रभावका बारेमा सोधखोज गरी आएको प्रतिक्रियालाई टिपोट गर्नुहोस् र सो प्रतिक्रियाका आधारमा एउटा प्रतिवेदन तयार गर्नुहोस् । |
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| ३. | नेपाल र विश्व भूगोल | ३ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● कक्षाका सबै विद्यार्थीलाई पाँच समूहमा विभाजन गर्नुहोस् । हरेक समूहले तल दिइएका एक/एकओटा काम गर्नुहोस् : हरेक समूहले एउटा ठुलो प्लाइउडको व्यवस्था गर्नुहोस् । सो प्लाइउडमा सेतो रङको चार्टपेपर टाँस्नुहोस् । अब ग्राफ विधिको प्रयोग गरी ६०:३६ आकारमा नेपालको नक्सा बनाउनुहोस् । सो नक्सामा निम्नानुसार विवरण सङ्केतका आधारमा देखाउनुहोस् । समूह १ : नेपालको धरातलीय स्वरूप समूह २ : मुख्य हावापानी क्षेत्र समूह ३ : मुख्य नदी क्षेत्र (कोशी, गण्डकी र कर्णाली) समूह ४ : भौगोलिक विभाजन अनुसार मुख्य पेसाका क्षेत्रहरू समूह ५ : नेपालको राजनीतिक र प्रशासनिक विभाजन ● तपाईं बसोबास गर्ने ठाउँका स्थानीय ज्येष्ठ नागरिकहरूलाई भेटी सो स्थानमा विगतमा आएका विभिन्न प्राकृतिक विपत्हरूका बारेमा सोधखोज गरी ती विपत् व्यवस्थापन कसरी भएका रहेछन् भन्ने तथ्य समेत समेटेर एउटा प्रतिवेदन तयार गर्नुहोस् । |
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| | | | <p>पार्ने, समाधानको प्रयास गर्ने र समाधानका लागि आफूले गरेका प्रयास र त्यसको प्रगतिसम्बन्धी सम्पूर्ण योजना तयार पारी प्रस्तुत गर्नुहोस् ।</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● तपाईंको कक्षाको एक साथीको एउटा सकारात्मक र एउटा सुधारापेक्षी व्यवहार सङ्केत गरी सङ्केत गरिएको व्यवहार सुधारका लागि साथीले गर्नुपर्ने कार्यकलापको सूची बनाई सकारात्मक कार्यलाई यथावत् राख्न र सुधारापेक्षी व्यवहारलाई सुधार गर्न सुझाव दिनुहोस् र साथीले उसको सूचीअनुसारको व्यवहार पालन गरेनगरेको अवलोकन गरी टिपोट तयार गर्नुहोस् अनि साथीको व्यवहारबाट आफूले समेत सुधार गर्नुपर्ने पक्ष समेत टिपोट गर्नुहोस् । ● पछिल्लो १५ दिनमा आफूले सामना गर्नुपरेको तनाव उल्लेख गरी उक्त तनावका कारण र त्यसलाई समाधान गर्न आफूले गरेका प्रयास उल्लेख गरी प्रस्तुत गर्नुहोस् । |
| ८. | वातावरण र जनसाङ्ख्यिकी | ४ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● स्थानीय पालिका कार्यालयमा गएर आफ्नो पालिकाको जन्म, मृत्यु र बसाइँसराइसम्बन्धी तथ्याङ्कहरूको खोजी गर्नुहोस् । प्राप्त तथ्याङ्कलाई तालिका र स्तम्भचित्रमा देखाउँदै प्राप्त आँकडाको विश्लेषण गर्नुहोस् । (पालिका कार्यालयले स्थानीय स्तरमा गर्ने विभिन्न प्रकारका सर्वेक्षण र अध्ययनका बारेमा सोधखोज गरी सो कार्यमा तपाईं आफू पनि संलग्न हुन सक्नुहुन्छ ।) ● नजिकैको सहरमा बसोबास गर्दै गरेका केही व्यक्तिहरूलाई भेटी सहरीकरणका कारणले उनीहरूले भोगेका समस्या तथा कठिनाइहरूका बारेमा सोधखोज गरी 'सहरीकरणका कारणले निम्तिएका समस्या र समाधानका उपायहरू' शीर्षकमा एउटा प्रतिवेदन तयार गर्नुहोस् । |

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| | | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> विषय शिक्षकको सहयोगमा कक्षामा पढ्ने पाँच/पाँच जना साथीहरूको समूह बनाउनुहोस् । किशोरावस्थामा आफुमा के कस्ता यौन आवेग र संवेगहरू देखिएका छन्, साथीहरूबिच छलफल गर्नुहोस् र प्राप्त बुँदाहरूलाई टिपोट गर्दै जानुहोस् । ती आवेग र संवेगहरूलाई के कसरी व्यवस्थापन गर्न सकिन्छ भन्ने बारेमा पनि सहपाठी साथीहरूबिच छलफल गर्नुहोस् । प्राप्त भएका बुँदाहरूलाई माथि जसरी नै टिपोट गर्दै जानुहोस् । प्राप्त भएका बुँदाहरूका आधारमा 'किशोरावस्थामा हुने यौन आवेग र संवेगको पहिचान र व्यवस्थापनका उपायहरू' शीर्षकमा एउटा प्रतिवेदन तयार गर्नुहोस् । आफ्नो समूहको प्रतिवेदनसँग अन्य समूहको प्रतिवेदन के कति मिल्छ, तुलनासमेत गर्नुहोस् । |
| | जम्मा | २४ | |

६. सिकाइ सहजीकरण प्रक्रिया

सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयले विद्यार्थीहरूलाई राष्ट्र र राष्ट्रियताप्रति समर्पित, नागरिक मूल्य मान्यताप्रति सचेत र समसामयिक परिवेशको विश्लेषण र समालोचनात्मक दृष्टिकोणसहितको नागरिक तयार गर्ने उद्देश्य राखेको छ । यस विषयको पाठ्यक्रम सामाजिक जीवनसँग सम्बन्धित विभिन्न क्षेत्रहरूलाई समेटेर एकीकृत रूपमा तयार गरिएको छ । यसमा उल्लेख गरिएका विषयवस्तुहरूको अध्ययन अध्यापन गराउँदा सबै क्षेत्रलाई उत्तिकै महत्त्व दिनुपर्ने हुन्छ । सम्बन्धित विषयवस्तुको एकीकृत रूपमा सहजीकरण गराई विषयवस्तुको ज्ञान, सिप र धारणाको विकास गराउनुपर्छ । विद्यार्थीहरूमा सैद्धान्तिक र व्यावहारिक दुवै पक्षको विकास गराई सकारात्मक व्यवहारको जगेर्ना गर्नु यस विषयको मुख्य ध्येय हो ।

विद्यार्थीमा समालोचनात्मक तथा सकारात्मक सोचको विकास, प्रतिभा प्रस्फुटन, सिर्जनात्मक सिपको विकास र विविध प्रकारका सामाजिक सिपको विकास गरी व्यवहारमा सुधार गर्दै समाजको नेतृत्व गर्न सक्ने क्षमताको विकास गराउने जस्ता मूलभूत उद्देश्यहरू यस विषयले राखेको छ । सामाजिक अध्ययनका विषयवस्तुको व्यावहारिक ज्ञान दिनका लागि कक्षाभित्र वा बाहिर आआफ्नो कक्षाकोठा, विद्यालय, परिवार, टोल, विभिन्न समूह, समुदायलगायत स्थानीय सरकारसँग सम्बन्धित क्रियाकलापहरू गराउनुपर्ने छ । विषयवस्तुलाई जस्ताको तस्तै कण्ठ गराउने शिक्षण पद्धतिलाई निरुत्साहन गरी विद्यार्थीहरूलाई आआफ्ना समुदायमा खोज गरी सिर्जनात्मक प्रतिभाको विकास गर्न

प्रोत्साहन गर्नुपर्ने छ ।, प्रतिवेदन, रेखाचित्र, वृत्तचित्र, स्तम्भ चित्र, तालिका, तस्बिर, नक्सा जस्ता सिर्जनशील कार्यमार्फत आवश्यक ज्ञान, सिप र अभिवृत्ति विकास गराउँदै सिर्जनशीलताको विकास गराउने लक्ष्य राखेको छ ।

यी सिपहरूको विकासका लागि सबै विद्यार्थीहरूलाई एकै खालको सहजीकरणले सम्भव नहुन पनि सक्छ । त्यसैले उनीहरूलाई बहुबौद्धिकताको सिद्धान्तानुरूप रुचि र क्षमताअनुसारका ज्ञान र सिप एवम् मूल्यहरूको विकास गर्न क्रियाकलापमा विविधता ल्याउनुपर्छ । यसका निम्ति योजनाबद्ध सिकाइ सहजीकरणको ठुलो भूमिका रहन्छ । विद्यार्थीहरूलाई “गर र सिक” भन्ने धारणाको अभिवृद्धि गराउनु सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयको मूल लक्ष्य हो । किशोर किशोरी आफैले गरेर सिकेका कुरामा विश्वास गर्छन् । मनमा विश्वास जागेपछि उक्त सिकाइले व्यवहारमा सुधार ल्याउँछ । त्यसैले सामाजिक अध्ययन विषयमा सिकाइ सहजीकरण गर्दा विभिन्न प्रकारका विद्यार्थीकेन्द्रित शिक्षण विधिहरू प्रयोग गर्नुपर्छ । जस्तै :

- (क) प्रश्नोत्तर
- (ख) प्रदर्शन
- (ग) समस्या समाधान
- (घ) छलफल
- (ङ) अवलोकन
- (च) सोधखोज
- (छ) अभिनय
- (ज) परियोजना
- (झ) प्रयोग
- (ञ) घटना अध्ययन
- (ट) समालोचनात्मक चिन्तन र
- (ठ) सामुदायिक कार्य

यी विधिहरू नमुना मात्र हुन् । स्थानीय परिवेश, विषयवस्तुको प्रकृति र स्वरूपका आधारमा सिकाइ सहजीकरणमा विविधता ल्याउन सकिने छ । शिक्षकले सिकाइ सहजीकरण गर्दा विद्यार्थीको उमेर, तह, रुचि, बहुबौद्धिकता, मनोविज्ञान, सामाजिक पृष्ठभूमि, विद्यार्थी सङ्ख्या, शैक्षिक सामग्रीको उपलब्धता आदि समेतलाई ध्यान दिनुपर्ने हुन्छ । सहजीकरण गर्दा विद्यार्थीहरूको सहभागिता एवम् सामूहिक तथा सहयोगात्मक सिकाइलाई प्रोत्साहन गर्नुपर्छ । विद्यार्थीलाई समस्या समाधान गर्न गाह्रो वा अप्ठ्यारो परेको अवस्थामा उनीहरूका कमी कमजोरीलाई राम्ररी केलाई शिक्षकद्वारा समस्या समाधानमा सहयोग गर्नुपर्छ । विद्यार्थीहरू सिर्जना र प्रतिभाका भण्डार हुन् । त्यसैले उनीहरूका प्रतिभा प्रष्फुटनका लागि

उपयुक्त वातावरण सिर्जना गर्नुपर्छ । शिक्षकले एउटा सहजकर्ताका रूपमा विद्यार्थीहरूलाई सही बाटो देखाउन सहयोग पुऱ्याउनुपर्छ । उल्लिखित विधिहरूका अतिरिक्त कथाकथन, मन्थन, कार्यशाला विधि, प्रवचन विधि, सर्वे जस्ता विधिहरू पनि आवश्यकताअनुसार प्रयोग गर्नुपर्छ । सामाजिक अध्ययन विषय शिक्षण गर्दा सूचना प्रविधिको समेत सहयोग लिएर सिक्न सक्ने वातावरण तयार गर्नुपर्छ ।

७. विद्यार्थी मूल्याङ्कन प्रक्रिया

पाठ्यक्रमले निर्धारण गरेका उद्देश्यअनुरूप विद्यार्थीहरूले ज्ञान, सिप तथा अभिवृत्ति प्राप्त गर्न सके सकेनन् भन्ने कुरा पत्तालगाउने महत्त्वपूर्ण साधन मूल्याङ्कन हो । विद्यार्थीहरूको मूल्याङ्कन गर्दा विद्यार्थीहरूले अध्ययन गरेका विषयवस्तु व्यवहारमा प्रयोग गर्न सक्छन् सक्दैनन् भनी अध्ययन गर्नुपर्छ । यसका लागि आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका लागि विभिन्न साधन र विधिहरूको सञ्चयिका अग्रिम रूपमा शिक्षकले तयार पारी विद्यार्थीहरूलाई उपलब्ध गराउनुपर्छ । यस विषयको पाठ्यक्रममा समावेश गरि एका तहगत सक्षमताहरू, कक्षागत सिकाइ उपलब्धिहरू र तिनका विषयवस्तु, सोसँग सम्बन्धित सिप, सिकाइ सहभागिता र सिकाइ सक्रियताका आधारमा विद्यार्थीहरूको सिकाइको मूल्याङ्कन गर्नुपर्दछ । यस्तो मूल्याङ्कन शिक्षण सिकाइ क्रियाकलापकै अभिन्न अङ्गका रूपमा सञ्चालन गरी विद्यार्थीको सिकाइ सुधारमा केन्द्रित हुनुपर्दछ ।

विद्यार्थीहरूको मूल्याङ्कन निर्माणात्मक र निर्णयात्मक दुवै प्रयोजनका लागि सञ्चालन गरिने छ । विद्यार्थीको निर्णयात्मक मूल्याङ्कनका लागि मूल्याङ्कनको कुल भारमध्ये २५ प्रतिशत आन्तरिक र ७५ प्रतिशत बाह्य मूल्याङ्कनबाट हुने छ । यसका लागि निर्माणात्मक मूल्याङ्कनको निर्धारित अभिलेखका आधारमा मूल्याङ्कनको कुल अङ्कको २५ प्रतिशत आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका रूपमा र ७५ प्रतिशत बाह्य परीक्षाबाट समावेश गरी विद्यार्थीको सिकाइस्तर निर्धारण गरिन्छ ।

(क) आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कन

आन्तरिक वा प्रयोगात्मक मूल्याङ्कनका लागि प्रत्येक विद्यार्थीहरूको कार्य सञ्चयिका फाइल बनाई सोका आधारमा उनीहरूले गरेका कार्य र उनीहरूमा आएको व्यवहार परिवर्तनका अभिलेख राखी सोका आधारमा अङ्क प्रदान गर्नुपर्दछ । सामाजिक अध्ययन विषय सिकाइका क्रममा कक्षाकोठामा कक्षागत शिक्षण सिकाइको अभिन्न अङ्गका रूपमा गृहकार्य, कक्षाकार्य, परियोजना कार्य, सामुदायिक कार्य, सह/अतिरिक्त क्रियाकलाप, एकाइ परीक्षा, मासिक परीक्षा जस्ता मूल्याङ्कन साधनहरूको प्रयोग गर्न सकिने छ । यस्तो मूल्याङ्कनका लागि विद्यार्थीको अभिलेख राखी त्यही अभिलेखका आधारमा सिकाइस्तर निर्धारण गर्न सकिन्छ । आवश्यकतानुसार उपचारात्मक शिक्षण सिकाइ क्रियाकलाप सञ्चालन गर्नुपर्छ । विशेष सिकाइ आवश्यकता भएका विद्यार्थीका लागि विषय शिक्षकले नै उपयुक्त प्रक्रिया अपनाई मूल्याङ्कन गर्नुपर्ने छ । यस विषयमा निर्माणात्मक मूल्याङ्कन प्रक्रियाको महत्त्वपूर्ण भूमिका रहेको हुन्छ । विद्यार्थीहरूले के कति सिके भन्ने कुरा पत्तालगाई नसिकेको भए कारण पहिचान

गरी पुनः सिकाइनुपर्छ । आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनको भार २५% छुटाइएको छ । यस विषयको आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनमा कक्षा सहभागिता, सकारात्मक व्यवहार प्रयोगात्मक तथा परियोजना कार्य, आन्तरिक परीक्षाबाट प्राप्त विद्यार्थीको सिकाइ उपलब्धिलाई समेटिनु पर्दछ ।

यस खण्डको मूल्याङ्कन विद्यार्थीले व्यक्तिगत तथा समूह कार्य तथा परियोजनाको गुणस्तरको आधार मा विद्यालय तहमा गठन गरिने मूल्याङ्कन समितिले गर्ने छ भने तोकिएको निकायबाट यसको प्राविधिक परीक्षण हुने छ । आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका आधारहरू र अङ्क विभाजन निम्नानुसार हुने छ :

आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनको विस्तृतीकरण

| क्र.स. | क्षेत्र | परीक्षण गर्ने पक्ष | अङ्क भार | मूल्याङ्कनका आधार |
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| १. | सिकाइ सहभागिता | सिकाइ सहभागिता | ३ | सक्रिय सिकाइका लागि दैनिक कक्षा उपस्थिति, व्यक्तिगत, समूहगत र कक्षागत सिकाइ सहभागिता |
| २ | सकारात्मक व्यवहार तथा व्यवहार परि वर्तन | सहयोग, सम्बन्ध, समन्वय, नेतृत्व, सहभागिता, ग्रहणशीलता | ४ | शिक्षक, साथी, अपाङ्गता भएका, जेष्ठ नागरिक, श्रमिकप्रति देखाउने व्यवहार, सहयोग, सहानुभूति, सामुदायिक कार्यमा देखाएको उत्सुकता नेतृत्व सिपमा आएको परिवर्तन अरुका अनुकरणीय, असल व्यवहार ग्रहण |
| ३ | प्रयोगात्मक तथा परियोजना कार्य | प्रयोगात्मक तथा परियोजना कार्य | १२ | प्रत्येक एकाइबाट कम्तीमा एउटा परियोजना कार्य वा सामुदायिक कार्य वा क्षेत्र भ्रमणमा सहभागी गराउने, विद्यार्थीको सहभागिता, सक्रियता, योजना निर्माण, अवलोकन, अन्तर्वार्ता, तथ्याङ्क सङ्कलन, प्रतिवेदनतयारी र प्रस्तुतीकरणलाई आधारमानी सामूहिक वा व्यक्तिगतरूपमा मूल्याङ्कन गर्ने |
| ४ | विषयगत मूल्याङ्कन | त्रैमासिक परीक्षा | ५ | त्रैमासिक परीक्षाहरूको मूल्याङ्कनका अभिलेख |
| जम्मा | | | २४ | |

द्रष्टव्य : आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कनका आधारहरूको विस्तृत विवरण आन्तरिक मूल्याङ्कन कार्यविधिमा तो किएको आधारमा हुने छ ।

(ख) बाह्य मूल्याङ्कन

यस विषयको कुल भारमध्ये ७५ प्रतिशत भार बाह्य मूल्याङ्कनमार्फत् हुने छ । संज्ञान क्षेत्रका विभिन्न तहहरू विशेष गरी ज्ञान, सिप र प्रयोग तहमा पर्ने गरी अति छोटो उत्तर आउने प्रश्न, छोटो उत्तर आउने प्रश्न र लामो उत्तर आउने प्रश्न गरी तीन किसिमका प्रश्नहरू सोधिने छ । लामो उत्तर आउने प्रश्न समस्या समधान र विश्लेषण गर्ने खालको हुने छ । ती प्रश्नमा विद्यार्थीले दिएको जवाफको आधारमा उनीहरूको मूल्याङ्कन गरिने छ । प्रश्नहरू सैद्धान्तिक ज्ञानभन्दा पनि व्यावहारिक समस्याहरू समाधानमा जोड दिने खालका हुने छन् । मूल्याङ्कनलाई वस्तुगत बनाउन प्रश्नहरूलाई विशिष्ट बनाइने छ । बाह्य मूल्याङ्कनका लागि प्रश्नहरू पाठ्यक्रम विकास केन्द्रले तयार गरेको विशिष्टकरण तालिकाअनुसार तयार गर्नुपर्ने छ ।

सैद्धान्तिक मूल्याङ्कन
विशिष्टीकरण तालिका, २०७८

कक्षा १२

विषय : सामाजिक अध्ययन

पूर्णाङ्क: ७५

समय: २ घण्टा १५ मिनेट

प्रश्न योजना तथा अङ्कभार वितरण

| एकाइ | क्षेत्र/इकाइ | पाठ्यभार | ज्ञान १७ प्रतिशत | | | बोध २९ प्रतिशत | | | प्रयोग तथा सिप २७ प्रतिशत | | | उच्चदक्षता २७ प्रतिशत | | | जम्मा प्रश्नसङ्ख्या | | | जम्मा अङ्कभार | | |
|------|--|----------|------------------|------|------|----------------|------|------|---------------------------|------|------|-----------------------|------|------|---------------------|------|------|---------------|------|------|
| | | | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो | अति छोटो | छोटो | लामो |
| १ | समाज तथा सामाजिकीकरण | १२ | १ | १ | | | | | | | | | | १ | १ | | १ | ५ | | |
| २ | मानवसमाजको उद्भव र विकास | ८ | | | | १ | | | | | | | | | १ | | | | ५ | |
| ३ | नेपाल र विश्व भूगोल | १६ | | | | १ | | | १ | १ | | | | २ | १ | | २ | ५ | | |
| ४ | नेपालको सामाजिकतथा सांस्कृतिक मूल्य मान्यताहरू | १२ | १ | १ | | | | | | | १ | | | २ | १ | | २ | ५ | १६ | |
| ५ | नेपाल र विश्वको ऐतिहासिक विकासक्रम | १४ | १ | | | १ | १ | | | | | | | २ | १ | | २ | ५ | | |
| ६ | संविधान र नागरिक सचेतना | १२ | | | | | | | | | १ | १ | | १ | १ | | १ | ५ | | |
| ७ | जीवनोपयोगी शिक्षा | १२ | | | | १ | | | १ | १ | | | १ | २ | १ | १ | २ | ५ | ८ | |
| ८ | वातावरण र जनसाङ्ख्यिकी | १० | | | | १ | | | | | | १ | | १ | १ | | १ | ५ | | |
| | जम्मा | ९६ | ३ | २ | | ४ | २ | १ | २ | २ | १ | २ | २ | १ | ११ | ८ | ३ | ११ | ४० | २४ |

प्रश्नका प्रकारहरू

| प्रश्नका प्रकारहरू | सोधिने सङ्ख्या | समय विभाजन (मिनेट) | पूर्णाङ्क |
|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| अति छोटो प्रश्न | ११ | २० | $११ \times १ = ११$ |
| छोटो प्रश्न | ८ | ७२ | $८ \times ५ = ४०$ |
| लामो प्रश्न | ३ | ४३ | $३ \times ८ = २४$ |
| जम्मा | २२ | २ घन्टा १५ मिनेट | ७५ |

द्रष्टव्य :

- सबै प्रश्न अनिवार्य हुने छन् ।
- अति छोटो प्रश्न ११ ओटा सोधिने छन् र प्रत्येक प्रश्नको अंकभार १ हुनेछ ।
- छोटो प्रश्नहरू ८ ओटा हुनेछन् र प्रत्येकको अंकभार ५ हुनेछ ।
- लामो प्रश्नहरू ३ ओटा हुनेछन् र प्रत्येकको अंकभार ८ हुनेछ ।
- प्रश्नहरू माथि उल्लिखित ज्ञान, बोध, प्रयोग तथा सिप र उच्च दक्षताको प्रश्नहरू निर्धारित प्रतिशत भार मिल्ने गरी निर्माण गर्नुपर्ने छ ।

उच्च दक्षता अन्तर्गत, विश्लेषण, मूल्यांकन, सिर्जनात्मक र मूल्य सम्बन्धी प्रश्नहरू समावेश गर्नुपर्ने छ

Technical and Vocational Stream
Secondary Education Curriculum
Biology

Grade: 11 and 12

Credit hour: 3

Annual working hour: 96

1. Introduction

This curriculum presumes that the students joining grade 11 and 12 technical and vocational stream come with diverse aspirations, some may continue to higher level studies in specific areas of bio-group science. The curriculum is designed to provide students with general understanding of the fundamental scientific laws and principles that govern the scientific phenomena in the world. It focuses to develop scientific knowledge, skill competences and attitudes required at secondary level (grade 11 and 12) irrespective of what they do beyond this level, as envisioned by national goals. Understanding of scientific concepts and their application, in day to day context as well as the process of obtaining new knowledge through holistic approach of learning in the spirit of national qualification framework is emphasized in the curriculum.

In particular, the curriculum aims to provide sufficient knowledge and understanding of science for all learners to recognize the usefulness, and limitations, of laws and principles of biology, and use them in daily lives providing a sound foundation for students who wish to study biology and technical and vocational courses in higher education. It helps to strengthen science process skills that are relevant to the study and application of biological science in daily life. It also provides opportunity for the learners who have deeper interest in the subject to delve into the more advanced contents so that the study of biology becomes enjoyable and satisfying to all. Moreover, it helps the students to build up capacity to identify, gather, manipulate and process information in the context of scientific endeavors including field investigations in various formats on biological issues. In this curriculum contents like biomolecules and cell biology, floral and faunal diversity, plant anatomy and physiology, microbiology, genetics, ecology, biotechnology, vegetation, biota environment, human biology, conservation and applied biology are included.

The curriculum prepared in accordance with National Curriculum Framework is structured for two academic years in such a way that it incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the

learning on the subject systematically.

2. Level-wise competencies

In completion of this curriculum, students are expected to demonstrate the following competencies:

1. relate natural and biological phenomena in the scientific manner of knowledge, understanding and investigating problems pertaining to the living world.
2. use scientific instruments, apparatus and methods to collect, evaluate and communicate information accurately and precisely with biological reasoning.
3. use their practical and problem-solving skills in different disciplines of biology, including those in medical, veterinary, food, agriculture, biotechnology, biosecurity, quarantine, conservation and eco-tourism and so on.
4. carryout simple experiment, simple scientific research on issues related to biological phenomena.
5. apply biological concepts as well as general science knowledge and skills for the wise use of the available natural resources to promote care for the environment, indigenous knowledge, social values and ethics and overall development.
6. Demonstrate the understanding of new biotechnological concepts and use of technology in daily life.

3. Grade-wise learning outcomes

| Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
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| <p>1. Introduction to Biology (Scope and fields of biology, biomolecules & cell biology)</p> <p>1.1 Describe fields of biology. and relate it with other science.</p> <p>1.2 Describe the structure and functions of biomolecules.</p> <p>1.3 Differentiate between prokaryotic and eukaryotic cell.</p> <p>1.4 Explain structure and functions of cell organelles</p> <p>1.5 Analyze the cell cycle and types of cell division with significances.</p> <p>1.6 Demonstrate an understanding of the basic processes of cellular biology.</p> | <p>1. Plant Anatomy</p> <p>1.1 Explain the concept of tissues</p> <p>1.2 Classify types of plant tissues</p> <p>1.3 Explain about anatomical structure of root, stem and leaf of monocot and dicot plants.</p> <p>1.4 Define meaning and mechanism about secondary growth of dicot stem.</p> <p>1.5 Investigate the structures and functions of plant tissues, and factors affecting plant growth;</p> <p>1.6 Demonstrate an understanding of the diversity of vascular plants, including their structures, internal transport systems, and their role in maintaining biodiversity.</p> |
| <p>2. Floral Diversity</p> <p>2.1 Demonstrate an understanding of the diversity of living organisms in terms of the principles of taxonomy and phylogeny.</p> <p>2.2 Investigate, through laboratory and/or field activities or through simulations, the principles of scientific classification using appropriate sampling and classification techniques;</p> <p>2.3 Explain three domains of life, system of classification and status of flora of Nepal.</p> | <p>2. Animal Tissues</p> <p>2.1 Describe the types of animal tissues: epithelial, connective, muscular and nervous and their functions and how is that function associated with the features of the tissue.</p> <p>2.2 Describe structure, functions & location of different sub-types of four main animal tissues.</p> <p>2.3 Describe the nervous tissue with their structures and functions.</p> <p>2.4 Explain what type of tissue composes cartilage and bones.</p> |

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| <p>2.4 Classify fungi upto different classes.</p> <p>2.5 Explain the structure and reproduction of Mucor and yeast.</p> <p>2.6 Describe the economic importance of fungi.</p> <p>2.7 Classify algae into different groups with basic characters</p> <p>2.8 Explain the structure and reproduction of Spirogyra.</p> <p>2.9 Describe economic importance of algae.</p> <p>2.10 Give the general introduction and explain the characteristics of gymnosperm and angiosperm.</p> | <p>2.5 Explain the structure of a striated muscle.</p> <p>2.6 Discuss the structure of a neuron.</p> |
| <p>3. Faunal Diversity</p> <p>3.1 Understand Protista and classify Protozoa upto class with examples and characteristic features.</p> <p>3.2 Explain the habits and habitat, structure, reproduction, life-cycle and economic importance of Plasmodium vivax.</p> <p>3.3 Explain level of organization, body plan, body symmetry, body cavity and segmentation in animals.</p> <p>3.4 Give the diagnostic features and classify different phyla (up to class) with examples.</p> <p>3.5 Describe the morphology, different systems and physiological processes of earthworm and frog.</p> <p>3.6 Investigate, through laboratory and/or field activities or through simulations, the principles of scientific classification, using appropriate sampling and classification techniques;</p> | <p>3. Plant Physiology</p> <p>3.1 Describe the terms diffusion, osmosis, and plasmolysis, ascent of sap, transpiration and guttation with significances</p> <p>3.2 Explain about respiration, types of respiration and mechanism as well as factors affecting respiration.</p> <p>3.3 Investigate the products of metabolic processes such as cellular respiration and photosynthesis;</p> |

4. Introductory to Microbiology

- 4.1 Explain structure, mode of nutrition and growth of bacteria as well as cyanobacteria (blue green algae).
- 4.2 Explain introduction, structure and importance of virus.
- 4.3 Demonstrate an understanding of the diversity of microorganisms (Bacteria and Virus) and the relationships that exist between them.
- 4.4 Assess the effects of microorganisms (Bacteria and Virus) in the environment, and analyze ethical issues related to their use in biotechnology;

4. Genetics

- 4.1 Define genetics, genetic material and their composition.
- 4.2 Draw the structure of DNA and RNA
- 4.3 Describe the mechanism of DNA replication
- 4.4 Define genetic code
- 4.5 Describe the terminology of genetics, Mendel experiment as well as complete and incomplete dominance.
- 4.6 Explain about linkage, distinguish between complete and incomplete linkage, sex linked inheritance with reference of Drosophila, crossing over and its significances.
- 4.7 Describe about mutation, its importance as well as the concept of polyploidy.
- 4.8 Evaluate the importance of some recent contributions to our knowledge of genetic processes, and analyse social and ethical implications of genetic and genomic research;
- 4.9 Investigate genetic processes, including those that occur during meiosis, and analyse data to solve basic genetics problems involving monohybrid and dihybrid crosses;
- 4.10 Demonstrate an understanding of concepts, processes, and technologies related to the transmission of hereditary characteristics.

5. Vegetation

- 5.1 Describe the vegetation types of Nepal
- 5.2 Illustrate the concept of In-situ (protected areas) and Ex-situ (botanical garden, seed bank) conservation with examples
- 5.3 Demonstrate an understanding of the structure and physiology of plants and their role in the natural environment.

5. Human Biology

- 5.1 Describe general introduction of digestive, respiratory, circulatory and nervous system.
- 5.2 Mention briefly the modes of excretion.
- 5.3 Describe the excretory organs and discuss the process of urine formation in human.
- 5.4 Describe the structure and functions of various parts of human eye and ear.
- 5.5 Differentiate between exocrine and endocrine glands.
- 5.6 Differentiate between hormones and enzymes.
- 5.7 Describe the various endocrine glands, their location, structure, hormones secreted and their functions.
- 5.8 Mention the disorders/diseases caused by deficiency or over-secretion of various hormones.
- 5.9 Describe male and female reproductive organs.
- 5.10 Explain various stages of the ovarian cycle.
- 5.11 Explain that the ovarian cycle governs the preparation of endocrine tissues and release of eggs, while the menstrual cycle governs the preparation and maintenance of the uterine lining. These cycles occur concurrently and are coordinated over a 22–32 day cycle, with an average length of 28 days.

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| <p>6. Biota and Environment</p> <p>6.1 Define and explain different types of adaptations in animals</p> <p>6.2 Identify different types of animal behavior and explain reflex action, taxes, dominance and leadership.</p> <p>6.3 State and explain migration in fish and birds</p> | <p>6. Applied Biology</p> <p>6.1 Explain tissue and organs transplantation. Organs that have been successfully transplanted are the heart, kidneys, brain, liver, lungs, pancreas, intestine, and thymus. Tissues include bones, tendons (both referred to as musculoskeletal grafts), corneae, skin, heart valves, nerves and veins.</p> <p>6.2 Explain in-vitro fertilization (IVF), which is an assisted reproductive technology (ART).</p> <p>6.3 Explain amniocentesis, (also referred to as amniotic fluid test or AFT) which is a medical procedure used in prenatal diagnosis of chromosomal abnormalities and fetal infections, and also for sex determination.</p> <p>6.4 Describe genetically modified organisms (transgenic animals). These animals (most commonly mice) that have had a foreign gene deliberately inserted into their genome.</p> <p>6.5 Enumerate risk and hazard group of microorganisms.</p> <p>6.6 Write introduction, causative agents, symptoms, prevention and control measures of selected human diseases: influenza, candidiasis.</p> <p>6.7 Explain basic concepts of immunology–vaccines.</p> <p>6.8 Enumerate the application of microorganisms in dairy and beverage industries</p> |
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| <p>7. Ecology</p> <p>7.1 Define ecology, ecological factors and structural and functional concept of ecosystem.</p> <p>7.2 Explain the concept of food chain, food web and ecological pyramid.</p> <p>7.3 Explain the term trophic level, productivity.</p> <p>7.4 Define greenhouse effect, ozone layer, acid rain and biological invasion</p> <p>7.5 Explain and illustrate with examples how living systems interact with the biotic and abiotic environment</p> <p>7.6 Analyse and investigate the roles of plants in ecosystems, and assess the impact of human activities on the balance of nature within those ecosystems;</p> | <p>7. Biotechnology</p> <p>7.1 Define biotechnology, tissue culture, plant breeding, disease resistance plant</p> <p>7.2 Describe branches and application of biotechnology.</p> <p>7.3 Analyse some of the social, ethical, and legal issues associated with genetic research and biotechnology;</p> <p>7.4 Explain the genetic engineering and GMOs (genetically modified organism), bio-engineering and identify their application.</p> |
| <p>8. Conservation Biology</p> <p>8.1 State the concept and importance of biodiversity to maintain viable ecosystems and identify its causes of extinction and its effect for human beings.</p> <p>8.2 Find out the ways of biodiversity conservation focusing on wildlife, national parks, conservation areas, biodiversity hotspots, wetland and Ramsar sites</p> <p>8.3 Explain IUCN Red list categories and discuss endangered species in Nepal.</p> | |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Grade 11 | | Grade 12 | |
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| Contents | T H | Contents | T H |
| <p>1 Introduction to Biology</p> <p>1.1 Scope and fields of biology, Relation with other science.</p> <p>1.2. Biomolecules & Cell Biology</p> <p>1.2.1 Biomolecules: Introduction and functions of: carbohydrates, proteins, lipids, nucleic acids, minerals, enzymes and water.</p> <p>1.2.2 Cell: Introduction of cell, concepts of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, detail structure of eukaryotic cells (composition, structure and functions of cell wall, cell membrane, mitochondria, plastids, endoplasmic reticulum, golgi bodies, lysosomes, ribosomes, nucleus, chromosomes, cilia, flagella and cell inclusions.</p> <p>1.2.3 Cell division : Concept of cell cycle, types of cell division (amitosis, mitosis and meiosis) and significances</p> | 15 | <p>1. Plant Anatomy</p> <p>1.1 Plant anatomy: Concept of tissues, types of plant tissues (meristems and permanent tissues), Anatomy of dicot and monocot root, stem and leaf Secondary growth of dicot stem.</p> | 8 |
| <p>2. Floral Diversity</p> <p>2.1 Introduction: Three domains of life, binomial nomenclature, five kingdom classification system (Monera, Protista, Fungi, Plantae and Animalia); status of flora in Nepal and world representation</p> | 13 | <p>2. Animal Tissues</p> <p>2.1 Animal Tissues: Introduction; Types of animal tissues: epithelial, connective, muscular and nervous (structure, functions & location of different sub-types).</p> | 8 |

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| <p>2.2 Fungi: General introduction and characteristic features of phycomycetes, ascomycetes, basidiomycetes and deuteromycetes; structure and Reproduction of <i>Mucor</i> and Yeast, economic importance of fungi.</p> <p>2.3 Algae: General introduction and characteristic feature of green, brown and red algae; structure and reproduction of <i>Spirogyra</i>. Economic importance of algae</p> <p>2.4 Gymnosperm and Angiosperm : General introduction and characteristic features.</p> | | | |
| <p>3. Faunal Diversity</p> <p>3.1 Protista: Outline classification. Protozoa: diagnostic features and classification up to class with examples; <i>Plasmodium vivax</i> - habits and habitat, structure, reproduction, life-cycle</p> <p>3.2 Animalia: Level of organization, body plan, body symmetry, body cavity and segmentation in animals. Diagnostic features and classification of the following phyla (up to class) with examples: Porifera, Coelenterata (Cnidaria), Platyhelminthes, Aschelminthes (Nemathelminthes), Annelida, Arthropoda, Mollusca, Echinodermata and Chordata.</p> | 25 | <p>3.Plant Physiology</p> <p>3.1 Water relation: Introduction and significance of - diffusion, osmosis, and plasmolysis, ascent of sap, transpiration and guttation.</p> <p>3.2Respiration: Introduction and significance of respiration, types of respiration, mechanism of respiration (glycolysis, Krebs cycle, electron transport system), factors affecting respiration.</p> | 8 |

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| <p>(a) Earthworm (<i>Pheretimaposthuma</i>): Habit and habitat, External features; Digestive system (alimentary canal & physiology of digestion), Excretory system (types of nephridia, structure and arrangement of septal nephridia) & Reproductive systems (male & female reproductive organs), Copulation, Cocoon formation and Economic importance.</p> <p>(b) Frog (<i>Rana tigrina</i>): Habit and habitat, External features, Digestive system (alimentary canal, digestive glands & physiology of digestion), Blood vascular system (structure & working mechanism of heart), Respiratory system (respiratory organs & physiology of respiration) and Reproductive system (male & female reproductive organs).</p> | | | |
| <p>4. Introduction to Microbiology</p> <p>4.1 Monera: General introduction, structure of bacterial cell, mode of nutrition, bacterial growth</p> <p>4.2 Virus: General introduction, structure and importance of virus, bacteriophage</p> | 2 | <p>4. Genetics</p> <p>4.1 Genetic Materials: Introduction to genetics and genetic materials, composition, structure and function of DNA and RNA, DNA replication, introduction of genetic code.</p> <p>4.2 Mendelian genetics: General terminology, Mendel's experiment and laws of inheritance, gene interactions (incomplete dominance, co-dominance).</p> | 21 |

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| | | <p>4.3 Linkage and crossing over: Concept and types of linkage (complete and incomplete), sex-linked inheritance (colour blindness in man and eye colour of <i>Drosophila</i>), concept and significances of crossing over.</p> <p>4.4 Mutation and polyploidy: Concept, type (gene and chromosomal mutation), importance of mutation (positive and negative), polyploidy (origin and significance).</p> | |
| <p>5. Vegetation</p> <p>5.1 Vegetation: Introduction, types of vegetation in Nepal</p> <p>5.2 Natural environment-vegetation and human activities</p> | 2 | <p>5. Human Biology</p> <p>5.1 General introduction to digestive, respiratory, circulatory and nervous system</p> <p>5.2 Excretory System: Concept of modes of excretion (ammonotelism, ureotelism, uricotelism), Excretory organs, mechanism of urine formation.</p> <p>5.3 Sense organs: Structure and functions of eye and ear.</p> <p>5.4 Endocrinology: Endocrine glands and hormones – structure & functions of hypothalamus, pituitary, pineal, thyroid, parathyroid, adrenal, pancreas, gonads; hypo- and hyper-activity and related disorders.</p> <p>5.5 Reproductive System: Male and female reproductive organs, ovarian & menstrual cycle.</p> | 15 |

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| <p>6. Biota and Environment</p> <p>6.1 Animal adaptation: Aquatic (Primary & Secondary), Terrestrial (Cursorial, Fossorial & Arboreal).</p> <p>6.2 Animal behavior: Reflex action, taxes, dominance and leadership. Fish and bird Migration.</p> | 4 | <p>6. Applied Biology</p> <p>6.1 Application of Zoology: Tissue and organs transplantation, amniocentesis, concept of genetically modified organisms (transgenic animals).</p> <p>6.2 Microbial diseases and application of microbiology:</p> <p>6.2.1 Risk and hazard group of microorganisms.</p> <p>6.2.2 Introduction, causative agents, symptoms, prevention and control measures of influenza and candidiasis.</p> <p>6.2.3 Basic concepts of immunology–vaccines.</p> <p>6.2.4 Application of microorganisms in dairy and beverage industries</p> | 8 |
| <p>7. Ecology</p> <p>7.1 Ecosystem ecology: Concept of ecology, biotic and abiotic factors, species interactions; concept of ecosystem, food chain, food web, trophic level, ecological pyramids, productivity, biogeochemical cycles - carbon and nitrogen cycles, concept of succession.</p> <p>7.2 Ecological Adaptation: Concept of adaptation, hydrophytes and xerophytes.</p> | 8 | <p>7. Biotechnology: Introduction, branches, application, tissue culture, plant breeding, disease resistance plants, genetic engineering and GMOs (genetically modified organisms) and application, bio-engineering</p> | 4 |

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| <p>7.3 Ecological Imbalances: Greenhouse effects and climate change, depletion of ozone layer, acid rain and biological invasion.</p> | | | |
| <p>8. Conservation Biology</p> <p>8.1 Concept of biodiversity</p> <p>8.2 Causes of extinction of wild lifeand Categories of threatened species- meaning of extinct, endangered, vulnerable, rare, and threatened species, endangered species in Nepal.</p> <p>8.3 Biodiversity conservation : Concepts and conservation strategies (<i>insitu</i> and <i>exsitu</i> conservations- national parks, wildlife reserves, botanical garden,conservation areas, biodiversity hotspots, wetland &Ramsar sites, seed bank.</p> | 3 | | |
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5. Practical Courses [24 Hours]

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. This part of the curriculum focuses more on skill development than knowledge building. Students must spend lots of time for working with biological materials. Observations and investigations can enhance student learning. Project work may consist of activities designed to demonstrate the concepts and ideas through collecting, processing, analyzing and communicating data.

Students should learn to,

- collect and identify
- preserve
- dissect
- draw figure, chart, preparing models, slides etc
- handle the equipment, instruments and laboratory handling with experimentation
- draw conclusion

a) Practical Activities for Grade 11

- Students should perform at least 10 experiments, either listed below or designed by teacher, so that no more than three experiments come from the same unit.

The following are the list of practical activities for Grade 11 in Biology

Unit 1: Introduction to Biology (Biomolecules and Cell Biology)

1. Study of tissues and diversity in shapes and sizes of plant cells (e.g. palisade cells, guard cells, parenchyma, collenchyma, sclerenchyma, xylem, phloem,) through temporary/permanent slides.
2. Study of mitosis in onion root tips cells by preparing temporary slides and permanent slides.

Unit 2: Floral Diversity

3. Collect, identify different types of plants from your nearby locality and preserve them with appropriate method.
4. Study and describe three locally available common flowering plants from each of the following families (Solanaceae and Liliaceae) including floral whorls and anther and ovary, types of root (Tap and Adventitious); stem (Herbaceous and woody); Leaf

(arrangement, shape, venation, simple and compound).

Unit 3: Faunal Diversity

5. Study of specimens and identification with reasons- Amoeba, Hydra, Liverfluke, Ascaris, leech, earthworm, prawn, silkworm, honeybee, snail, starfish, shark, rohu, frog, lizard, pigeon and rabbit.
6. Dissect and study the alimentary canal of the earthworm and frog.

Unit 4: Introductory Microbiology

7. Culture the given sample of soil and study the microorganisms present in it.

Unit 5: Vegetation

8. Study of the specimens and identification with reasons- Bacteria, Spirogyra, yeast, one monocotyledonous plant and one dicotyledonous plant and one lichen.

Unit 6: Biota and Environment

9. Study/observe the terrestrial animals' adaptation and prepare a report by including the adaptive characteristics.

Unit 7: Ecology

10. Study the biotic and abiotic factors of a pond as an ecosystem.
11. Determine the population density of plants of given area by quadrat method.
12. Collect and study soil from at least two different sites and study them for texture, moisture content, pH and water holding capacity of soil. Correlate with the kinds of plants found in them.

Unit 8: Conservation Biology

13. Find out the new strategies for conserving biodiversity in the context of Nepalese development.

b) Sample project work for grade 11 in Biology

1. Prepare a report on the topic "significances of the biology and biology education with different sectors i.e. industrial development, medicine, biotechnology, agriculture etc".
2. Collect the sample Algae and study their characteristics.
3. Observe and compare the morphological adaptation of hydrophytes, mesophytes and xerophytes.
4. Prepare a report on local varieties and improved varieties of crops and

vegetables in your area.

5. Visit the forest or vegetation types in your nearby area and prepare a report on it.
6. Prepare a report on the role of botanical garden in conservation of plants in Nepal
7. Survey any locality regarding any topics related to theory course of Biology (visit to zoological museum/zoo/protected areas/natural habits- forest/lake or river) and writing a report of it.
8. Look for resources like library, journals, web surfing, field observations etc and study present status and scope of Biotechnology in Nepal.

The above are only the specimens of activities. In order to arouse creativity, the students must be encouraged to take up new activities (other than mentioned above) in consultation with the teacher concerned.

c) Practical activities for grade 12 in Biology

- Students should perform at least 10 experiments, either listed below or designed by teacher, so that no more than three experiments come from the same unit.

Unit 1: Plant Anatomy

1. Preparation and study of T.S. of dicot and monocot roots and stems (primary).
2. Prepare a temporary mount of onion root tip to study mitosis.

Unit 2: Animal Tissues

3. Study of tissues and diversity in shapes and sizes of animal cells (e.g. squamous epithelium, muscle fibers and mammalian blood smear) through temporary/permanent slides.
4. Study of mitosis in animal's cells (grasshopper) from permanent slides.

Unit 3: Plant Physiology

5. Study of osmosis by potato osmometer.
6. Study of plasmolysis in epidermal peels (e.g. Rhoeo leaves)
7. Study of distribution of stomata in the upper and lower surface of leaves.
8. Comparative study of the rates of transpiration in the upper and lower surface of leaves.
9. Study the rate of respiration in flower buds/leaf tissue and germinating seeds.

10. Observation and comments on the experimental set up for showing:
 - a. Anaerobic respiration
 - b. Phototropism
 - c. Apical bud removal
 - d. Suction due to transpiration

Unit 4: Genetics

11. Study, Observe and Comments upon the Mendelian Inheritance using seeds of different colours/sizes of any plants.

Unit 5: Human Biology

12. Detect the presence of starch in the given sample.
13. Detect the presence of protein in the given sample.
14. Study the effect of the different temperatures and pH on the activity of salivary amylase on starch.
15. Detect the presence of urea, sugar, albumin and bile salts in urine
16. Detect the presence of sugar in human blood.

d) Sample project works for grade 12 in Biology

1. Prepare a report on "recent development of genetic field and their implications in human life"
2. Prepare model of DNA and RNA
3. Visit the human beings and observe the dominant and recessive characteristics of human beings and prepare a report on it.
4. Conduct the survey on common communicable diseases prevailing in local area. Prepare a report by including the disease, causes, preventing measures.
5. Prepare a report on trends, causes and consequences of migration in local level.
6. Prepare functional models of different system of human body.

Note: The above are only the specimens of activities. In order to arouse creativity, the students must be encouraged to take up new activities (other than mentioned above) in consultation with the teacher concerned.

6. Learning Facilitation Process

Students should be facilitated to learn rather than just accumulation of information. Teacher plays vital role for delivering subject matters although others' role is also important. Student centered teaching-learning process is highly emphasized. Students are supposed to adopt multiple pathway of learning, such as online search, field visit, library work, laboratory work, individual and group work, research work etc. with the support of teacher. Self-study by students is highly encouraged and learning should not be confined to the scope of curriculum. Teacher should keep in mind intra and inter-disciplinary approach to teaching and learning, as opposed to compartmentalization of knowledge. Supportive role of parents/guardians in creating conducive environment for promoting the spirit of inquiry and creativity in students' learning is anticipated.

During the delivery process of science teaching in grade 11 and 12, basically following three approaches will be adopted;

a) Conceptual/Theoretical Approach

Possible theoretical methods of delivery may include the following;

- observation
- interaction
- demonstrations
- ICT based instructions
- cooperative learning
- group discussions (satellite learning group, peer group, small and large group)
- debate
- seminar presentation
- Journal publishing
- question answer
- daily assignment

b) Practical/Application/Experimental approach

Practical work is the integral part of the learning science. The process of lab based practical work comprises as;

- familiarity with objective of practical work
- familiarity with materials, chemicals, apparatus

- familiarity with lab process (safety, working modality etc.)
- conduction of practical work (systematically following the given instruction)
- analysis, interpretation and drawing conclusion

A) **Project work Approach**

Project work is an integral part of the science learning. Students should be involved in project work to foster self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. Students will complete project work to have practical idea through learning by doing approach and able to connect the theory into the real world context. It is regarded as method/ process of learning rather than content itself. So use of project work method to facilitate any appropriate contents of this curriculum is highly encouraged.

In this approach student will conduct at least one **research work, or an innovative work** under the guidance of teacher, using the knowledge and skills learnt. It could include any of the followings;

- Mini research
- Survey
- Model construction
- Paper based work
- study of ethno-science

General process of research work embraces the following steps;

- Understanding the objective of the research
- Planning and designing
- Collecting information
- analysis and interpretation
- Reporting /communicating (presentation, via visual aids, written report, graphical etc.)

General process of innovative work embraces the following steps;

- identification of innovative task (either assigned by teacher or proposed by student)
- planning
- performing the task

- presentation of the work
- Record keeping of the work

Students are free to choose any topic listed in this curriculum or a topic suggested by teacher provided that it is within the theoretical contents of the Curriculum. However, repetition of topic should be discouraged.

7. Student Assessment

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

Out of 100 full marks, internal evaluation covers 25 marks. Internal evaluation consists of Practical Activities (Practical works and projects works) (16marks),(b) Marks from trimester examinations(6 marks), and (c) Participation (3 marks)

- **Practical and project work activities**

Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for practical work and project work will be as follows:

| S.N. | Criteria | Elaboration of criteria | Marks | |
|------|----------------------------|---|---|---|
| 1 | Participation | Classroom participation includes attendance (1) and participation in learning (2) | 3 | |
| 2 | Practical and Project work | Laboratory experiment | Correctness of apparatus setup/ preparation | 2 |
| | | | Observation/Experimentation | 2 |
| | | | Tabulation | 1 |
| | | | Data processing and Analysis | 1 |

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| | | | Conclusion (Value of constants or prediction with justification) | 1 |
| | | | Handling of errors/precaution | 1 |
| 3. | | Viva-voce | Understanding of objective of the experiment | 1 |
| | | | Skills of the handling of apparatus in use | 1 |
| | | | Overall impression | 1 |
| | | Practical work records and attendance | Records (number and quality) | 2 |
| | | Project work | Reports (background, objective, methodology, finding, conclusion) | 2 |
| Presentation | 1 | | | |
| | | Total Practical and project work score | | 19 |
| 3 | Trimester Exam | First and second trimester's score (3+3) | | 6 |
| Total | | | | 25 |

Note:

- (i) Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of laboratory experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- (ii) Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

(b) External Evaluation

Out of 100 marks theoretical evaluation covers 75 marks. The tool for external evaluation of theoretical learning will be a written examination. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade : 11

Subject : Biology

Time: 3 hrs

| S.N. | Unit | Working hour | Competency level | | | | Group wise Score | Unit wise Score |
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| | | | Knowledge/ Remembering | Understanding | Applying | Higher Ability | | |
| 1 | Introduction to Biology | 15 | MCQ (2x1) | MCQ (5 x1) | MCQ (3x1) | MCQ (1x1) | 54 | 15 |
| 2 | Floral Diversity | 13 | SQ (2x5) | SQ (1x5) | SQ (2x5) | SQ (3x5) | | 13 |
| 3 | Faunal Diversity | 25 | | LQ (1x8) | LQ (1x8) | LQ (1x8) | | 26 |
| 4 | Introduction to Microbiology | 2 | | | | | 21 | 3 |
| 5 | Vegetation | 2 | | | | | | 3 |
| 6 | Biota and Environment | 4 | | | | | | 4 |
| 7 | Ecology | 8 | | | | | | 8 |
| 8 | Conservation Biology | 3 | | | | | | 3 |
| Total | | 72 | 12 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 75 | 75 |

| Item format plan | | | | | |
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| S.N. | Type of item | Score per item | Total item | Total score | Time |
| 1 | Multiple Choice Questions | 1 | 11 | 11 | 25 minutes |
| 2 | Short Question Answer | 5 | 8 | 40 | 155 minutes |
| 3 | Long Question Answer | 8 | 3 | 24 | |
| Grand Total | | | 22 | 75 | 3 hours |

Remarks:

- Item format in composite should be met as per the specification grid.
- Designated weightage in the combined cell should be met, but ± 2 marks variation will be allowed within a unit/content area. But no unit can be nil.
- At least one LAQ, two SAQs and three MCQs must be included from each group/combined cell.
- In the case of SAQ and LAQ, these should ensure that 1 mark will be assigned per element expected as correct response.
- The distribution of cognitive domain of questions should be nearly 15% knowledge/remembering, 25% understanding, 30% applying and 30% higher ability level. Higher ability includes analyzing, evaluating and creating level.
- SAQ and LAQ can be structured (have two or more sub-items). SAQ and LAQ can be distributed to two or more cognitive behaviors.
- In such case these will be added to their respective cognitive behavior. In sum the distribution of cognitive behavior should be approximately to the required distribution. In the case of SAQ there will be 2 "OR" questions and in the case of LAQ there will be 1 "OR" question.\

Specification Grid

Grade : 12

Subject : Biology

Time: 3 hrs

| S.N. | Unit | Working hour | Competency level | | | | Group wise Score | Unit wise Score |
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| | | | Knowledge / Remembering | Understanding | Applying | Higher Ability | | |
| 1 | Plant Anatomy | 8 | MCQ (2x1) | MCQ (5 x1) | MCQ (3x1) | MCQ (1x1) | 16 | 8 |
| 2 | Animal Tissues | 8 | SQ (2x5) | SQ (1x5) LQ (1x8) | SQ (2x5) LQ (1x8) | SQ (3x5) LQ (1x8) | 46 | 8 |
| 3 | Plant physiology | 8 | | | | | | 8 |
| 4 | Genetics | 21 | | | | | | 22 |
| 5 | Human Biology | 15 | | | | | | 16 |
| 6 | Applied Biology | 8 | | | | | 13 | 9 |
| 7 | Biotechnology | 4 | | | | | 4 | |

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Technical and Vocational Stream
Secondary Education Curriculum
Chemistry

Grade: 11 and 12

Credit hour : 3

Annual Working hour: 96

1. Introduction

This curriculum is of grade 11 and 12 chemistry. This is designed to provide students with general understanding of the fundamental scientific laws and principles that govern the scientific phenomena in the world. It focuses to develop scientific knowledge, skills, and attitudes required at secondary level (grade 11 and 12) irrespective of what they do beyond this level, as envisioned by national goals. Understanding of scientific concepts and their application, in day to day context as well as the process of obtaining new knowledge through holistic approach of learning in the spirit of national qualification framework is emphasized in the curriculum.

This curriculum aims: to provide sufficient knowledge and skills to recognize the usefulness and limitations of laws and principles of chemistry, to develop science related attitudes such as concern for safety and efficiency, concern for accuracy and precision, objectivity, spirit of enquiry, inventiveness, appreciation of ethno-science, and willingness to use technology for effective communication, to provide opportunity for the learners who have deeper interest in the subject to delve into the more advanced contents so that the study of chemistry becomes enjoyable and satisfying to all.

The curriculum prepared in accordance with National Curriculum Framework is structured for two academic years in such a way that it incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise learning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project-work activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning of the subject systematically.

2. Level-wise competencies

The expected competencies of this course are to:

1. Apply appropriate principles, concepts, theories, laws, models and patterns to interpret the findings, draw conclusion, make generalization, and to predict from chemical facts, observation and experimental data.

2. Correlate old principles, concepts, theories, laws, tools, techniques; to the modern, sustainable and cost-effective skills, tools and techniques in the development of scientific attitude.
3. Apply the principles and methods of science to develop the scientific skill in an industrial process to produce various chemicals in small as well as in industrial scale that are useful in our daily life and in the service of mankind.
4. Explain the social, economic, environmental and other implications of chemistry and appreciate the advancement of chemistry and its applications as essential for the growth of national economy.
5. Describe chemistry as a coherent and developing framework of knowledge based on fundamental theories of the structure and process of the physical world.
6. Perform skills in safe handling of chemicals, taking into account of their physical and chemical properties, risk, environmental hazards, etc.
7. Conduct either a research work or an innovative work in an academic year, under the guidance of teacher, using the knowledge and skills learnt.

3. Grade-wise learning Outcomes

| Grade 11 | Grade 12 |
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| Content Area: General and Physical Chemistry | |
| <p>1. Foundation and Fundamentals</p> <p>1.1 Recognize the importance and scope of chemistry.</p> <p>1.2 Explain the terms atom, molecule, radicals, valency, molecular formula and empirical formula.</p> <p>1.3 Calculate percentage composition of constituent elements from molecular formula.</p> <p>1.4 Define and use the terms relative atomic mass, relative molecular mass and relative formula mass.</p> | <p>1. Volumetric Analysis</p> <p>1.1 Define and explain the terms volumetric and gravimetric analysis.</p> <p>1.2 Express the concentration of solutions in terms of percentage, g/l, molarity, molality, normality, ppm, ppb</p> <p>1.3 Define and calculate the equivalent weight of (elements, acids, bases, salts, oxidizing and reducing agents).</p> <p>1.4 Law of equivalence and normality equation and their application for chemical calculation.</p> <p>1.5 Define and explain primary and secondary standard substance.</p> <p>1.6 Explain different types of titration and their applications. (related numerical problems)</p> |
| <p>2. Stoichiometry</p> <p>2.1 Explain Dalton's atomic theory and its postulates.</p> <p>2.2 State and explain laws of stoichiometry (law of conservation of mass, law of constant proportion, law of multiple proportion, law of reciprocal proportion and law of gaseous volume).</p> | <p>2. Ionic Equilibrium</p> <p>2.1 Explain the limitations of Arrhenius concepts of acids and bases.</p> <p>2.2 Define Bronsted and Lowry concepts for acids and bases.</p> <p>2.3 Define conjugate acids and conjugate base.</p> <p>2.4 Identify conjugate acid-base pairs of Bronsted acid and base.</p> <p>2.5 Define and explain Lewis acids and bases.</p> <p>2.6 Explain ionization constant of water and calculate pH and pOH in aqueous medium using K_w values.</p> <p>2.7 Solubility and solubility product principle.</p> <p>2.8 Show understanding of the common ion effect.</p> |

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| <p>2.3 Explain Avogadro's hypothesis and deduce some relationships among molecular mass with vapour density, volume of gas and number of particles.</p> <p>2.4 Define mole and explain its relation with mass, volume and number of particles.(mole concept related numerical problems)</p> | <p>2.9 Describe the application of solubility product principle and common ion effect in precipitation reactions.</p> <p>2.10 Define a Buffer solution and show with equations how a Buffer system works.</p> <p>2.11 Define and differentiate different types of salts (simple salts, complex salt, acidic salts, basic salts and neutral salts).</p> |
| <p>3. Atomic Structure</p> <p>3.1 Explain Rutherford atomic model and its limitations.</p> <p>3.2 Summarize Bohr's atomic theory; its importance and limitations.</p> <p>3.3 Explain the origin of hydrogen spectra with the help of Bohr's model.</p> <p>3.4 Explain quantum numbers.</p> <p>3.5 Explain the concept and general shapes of s and p orbitals.</p> <p>3.6 Use Aufbau principle, Pauli Exclusion Principle and Hund's rule to write the electronic configuration of the atoms and ions.</p> | <p>3. Chemical Kinetics</p> <p>3.1 Define chemical kinetics.</p> <p>3.2 Explain and use the terms rate of reaction, rate equation, rate constant.</p> <p>3.3 Explain qualitatively factors affecting rate of reaction.</p> <p>3.4 Derive and explain integrated rate equation and half life for zero, and first order reaction.</p> <p>3.5 Explain the significance of Arrhenius equation and solve the related problems.</p> <p>3.6 Solve related numerical problems based on rate, rate constant and order of zero and first order reactions.</p> |
| <p>4. Classification of elements and Periodic Table</p> <p>4.1 Explain modern periodic table and its features.</p> | <p>4. Thermodynamics</p> <p>4.1 Define thermodynamics.</p> <p>4.2 Explain the energy change in chemical reactions.</p> <p>4.3 Define the terms internal energy and state function.</p> |

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| <p>4.2 Classify the elements of periodic table in different blocks and groups.</p> <p>4.3 Define the term nuclear charge and effective nuclear charge.</p> <p>4.4 Explain and interpret the Periodic trend of atomic radii, ionic radii, ionization energy, electronegativity, electron affinity and metallic characters of elements.</p> | <p>4.4 State and explain first law of thermodynamics.</p> <p>4.5 State and explain enthalpy and enthalpy changes in various process (enthalpy of solution, enthalpy of formation enthalpy of combustion and enthalpy of reaction).</p> <p>4.6 Explain endothermic and exothermic process with the help of energy profile diagram.</p> <p>4.7 State Hess's law of constant heat summation (thermo-chemistry) and solve numerical problems related to Hess's law.</p> <p>4.8 Define the term entropy and spontaneity.</p> <p>4.9 State and explain second law of thermodynamics.</p> <p>4.10 Define standard Gibbs free energy change of reaction by means of the equation $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S$.</p> <p>4.11 State whether a reaction or process will be spontaneous by using the sign of ΔG.</p> <p>4.12 Explain the relationship between ΔG and equilibrium constant.</p> |
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| <p>5. Chemical Bonding and Shapes of Molecules</p> <p>5.1 Valence shell, valence electron and octet rule</p> <p>5.2 Explain the ionic bond and the properties of ionic compounds.</p> <p>5.3 Explain the covalent bond, co-ordinate bond and the properties of covalent compound.</p> <p>5.4 Describe the co-ordinate covalent compounds with some examples.</p> <p>5.5 Lewis dot system for structure of compound.</p> | <p>5. Electrochemistry</p> <p>5.1 Electrode potential and standard electrode potential</p> <p>5.2 Types of electrodes: Standard hydrogen electrode and calomel electrodes</p> |
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| <p>5.6 Write the lewis dot diagrams of some ionic and covalent compounds (NaCl, MgCl₂, NH₄Cl, Oxides of Hydrogen, Nitrogen and Phosphorous, common mineral acids).</p> <p>5.7 Write the resonance structure of some covalent species.</p> <p>5.8 Use VSEPR theory to describe the shapes of simple covalent molecules(BeF₂, BF₃, CH₄, H₂O, NH₃, CO₂, PCI₅ etc).</p> <p>5.9 Describe the concept of hybridization in simple covalent molecules.</p> | <p>5.3 Define electrochemical series and its application</p> <p>5.4 Voltaic cell: Zn-Cu cell, Ag-Cu cell</p> <p>5.5 Cell potential and standard cell potential</p> |
| <p>6. Oxidation and Reduction</p> <p>6.1 Define oxidation and reduction in terms of electronic concept.</p> <p>6.2 Define oxidation number and explain the rules of assigning oxidation number.</p> <p>6.3 Calculate oxidation numbers of elements in compounds and ions.</p> <p>6.4 Explain redox reaction, oxidizing and reducing agent.</p> <p>6.5 Balance the given redox reaction by oxidation number method or ion electron method (half equation method).</p> <p>6.6 Explain the qualitative and quantitative aspects of faradays laws of electrolysis.</p> | - |
| <p>7. States of Matter</p> <p>7.1 List the postulates of kinetic molecular theory.</p> <p>7.2 State and explain Gas laws, related equations and related numerical problems.</p> <p>7.3 Explain Boyle's law, Charle's law, Avogadro law, combined gas law, Daltons law, Graham's law</p> <p>7.4 State and use the general gas equation $PV = nRT$ in calculations.</p> <p>7.5 Explain the meaning of Universal gas constant and its significance.</p> <p>7.6 Distinguish between real gas and ideal gas.</p> | |

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| <p>7.7 Deviation of real gas from ideality (solving related numerical problems based on gas laws).</p> <p>7.8 Explain the physical properties of liquid like Evaporation and condensation, vapour pressure and boiling, surface tension and viscosity in terms of intermolecular force and intermolecular space.</p> <p>7.9 Describe Liquid crystals and their applications.</p> <p>7.10 Differentiate between amorphous and crystalline solids.</p> <p>7.11 Define unit cell, crystal lattice, efflorescence, deliquescence, hygroscopy, water of crystallization with examples.</p> | - |
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| <p>8. Chemistry of Non-metals</p> <p>8.1 Describe and compare the chemistry of atomic and nascent hydrogen.</p> <p>8.2 Explain isotopes of hydrogen and their uses, application of hydrogen as fuel, heavy water and its applications.</p> <p>8.3 Allotropes of oxygen</p> <p>8.4 Explain types of oxides (acidic, basic, neutral, amphoteric, peroxide and mixed oxides).</p> <p>8.5 Describe occurrence, preparation (from oxygen), structure and test of ozone.</p> <p>8.6 Describe ozone layer depletion (causes, effects and control measures) and uses of ozone.</p> <p>8.7 Give reason for inertness of nitrogen and active nitrogen.</p> <p>8.8 Give chemical properties of ammonia [Action with air(O₂), CuSO₄ solution, water, FeCl₃ solution, Conc. HCl, Mercurous nitrate paper,] and uses.</p> | <p>6. Chemistry of Metals</p> <p>6.1 Define metallurgy and its types (hydrometallurgy, pyrometallurgy, and electrometallurgy).</p> <p>6.2 Define ores, gangue or matrix, flux and slag, alloy and amalgam.</p> <p>6.3 Explain general principles of extraction of metals (different processes involved in metallurgy) – concentration, calcination and roasting, smelting, carbon reduction, thermite and electrochemical reduction, refining of metals (poling and electro-refinement).</p> |
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| <p>8.9 Explain the chemical properties of nitric acid [HNO₃] as an acid and oxidizing agent (action with zinc, magnesium, iron, copper, sulphur, carbon, SO₂ and H₂S) and uses.</p> <p>8.10 Ring test for determination of nitrate ion (NO₃⁻).</p> <p>8.11 Explain general characteristics of halogens.</p> <p>8.12 Compare the methods of preparation of halogens without diagram and description.</p> <p>8.13 Explain allotropes of carbon (crystalline and amorphous) including fullerenes (structure, general properties and uses).</p> <p>8.14 Allotropes of sulphur and their uses.</p> <p>8.15 Prepare hydrogen sulphide gas by using Kipp's apparatus.</p> <p>8.16 Explain its properties (Acidic nature, reducing nature, analytical reagent) and uses of hydrogen sulphide.</p> | |
| <p>9. Chemistry of Metals</p> <p>9.1 Give general characteristics of alkali metals.</p> <p>9.2 State and explain extraction of sodium from Down's process.</p> <p>9.3 Describe properties of sodium (action with Oxygen, water, acids nonmetals and ammonia) and uses.</p> <p>9.4 Explain properties and uses of sodium hydroxide (precipitation reaction and action with carbon monoxide).</p> <p>9.5 State and explain properties and uses of sodium carbonate (action with CO₂, SO₂, water, precipitation reactions).</p> <p>9.6 Give general characteristics of alkaline earth metals.</p> | <p>7. Studies of Heavy Metals</p> <p>7.1 Explain occurrence and extraction of copper, iron and zinc metals</p> <p>7.2 Explain chemistry (preparation, properties and uses) of blue vitriol.</p> <p>7.3 Write molecular formula and uses of red and black oxide of copper.</p> <p>7.4 Describe properties (with air, acid, alkali, displacement reaction) and uses of zinc.</p> |

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| 9.7 Write molecular formula and uses of (quick lime, bleaching powder, magnesia plaster of paris and epsom salt). | 7.5 Explain chemistry (preparation, properties and uses) of white vitriol. |
| 9.8 Explain solubility of hydroxides, carbonates and sulphates of alkaline earth metals. | 7.6 Explain properties and uses of iron. |
| 9.9 Explain stability of carbonate and nitrate of alkaline earth metals. | 7.7 Explain manufacture of steel by basic oxygen method and Open-Hearth process. |
| | 7.8 Explain corrosion of iron and its prevention. |

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| 10. Basic concept of organic chemistry | 8. Haloalkanes |
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| 10.1 Define organic chemistry and organic compounds. | 8.1 Describe briefly the nomenclature, isomerism and classification of monohaloalkanes. |
| 10.2 Explain tetra-covalency and catenation property of carbon. | 8.2 Show the preparation of monohaloalkanes from alkanes, alkenes and alcohols. |
| 10.3 Describe classification of organic compounds. | 8.3 Describe elimination reaction (dehydrohalogenation-Saytzeff's rule), Reduction reactions, Wurtz reaction. |
| 10.4 Define functional groups and homologous series with examples. | 8.4 Show the preparation of trichloromethane from ethanol and propanone. |
| 10.5 State and explain the structural formula, contracted formula and bond line structural formula. | 8.5 Explain the chemical properties of trichloromethane: oxidation, reduction, action on silver powder, conc. nitric acid, propanone, and aqueous alkali. |
| 10.6 Introduce preliminary idea of cracking and reforming, quality of gasoline, octane number, cetane number and gasoline additive. | |

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| <p>11: Fundamental principles</p> <p>11.1 State IUPAC name of the organic compounds.</p> <p>11.2 Detect N, S and halogens(X) in organic compounds by Lassaigne's test.</p> <p>11.3 Define and classify isomerism in organic compounds (structure isomerism, types of structure isomerism: chain isomerism, position, isomerism, functional isomerism, metamerism and tautomerism).</p> | <p>9. Alcohols</p> <p>9.1 Describe briefly the nomenclature, isomerism and classification of monohydric alcohol.</p> <p>9.2 Show the preparation of monohydric alcohols from Haloalkane, primary amines and esters.</p> <p>9.3 Define absolute alcohol, power alcohol, denatured alcohol (methylated spirit), rectified spirit; and alcoholic beverage.</p> |
| <p>12. Hydrocarbons</p> <p>12.1 Define and describe saturated and unsaturated hydrocarbons (alkane alkene and alkyne).</p> <p>12.2 Show preparation of alkanes from haloalkanes (Reduction and Wurtz reaction), Decarboxylation, Catalytic hydrogenation of alkene and alkyne.</p> <p>12.3 Explain chemical properties of alkanes: substitution reactions (halogenation, nitration, and sulphonation only)</p> <p>12.4 Explain chemical properties of alkenes, i.e. addition reaction with HX (Markovnikov's addition and peroxide effect), H₂O, O₃ and H₂SO₄ only.</p> <p>12.5 Describe chemical properties of alkynes, i.e. addition reaction with (H₂, HX, H₂O), acidic nature (action with Sodium, ammoniacal AgNO₃ and ammoniacal Cu₂Cl₂).</p> | <p>10. Phenols</p> <p>10.1 Describe briefly the nomenclature of phenol.</p> <p>10.2 Show the preparation of phenol from chlorobenzene, Diazonium salt and benzene sulphonic acid</p> <p>10.3 State physical properties of phenol.</p> <p>10.4 State important uses of phenol.</p> |

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| <p>13. Aromatic Hydrocarbons</p> <p>13.1 Define aromatic compounds and their characteristics.</p> <p>13.2 State and explain Huckel's rule, Kekule structure of benzene, resonance and isomerism.</p> <p>13.3 Show the preparation of benzene from: decarboxylation of sodium benzoate, phenol, ethyne and chlorobenzene.</p> <p>13.4 Explain physical and chemical properties of benzene (Addition reaction: hydrogen, halogen and ozone, Electrophilic substitution reactions: orientation of benzene derivatives (o, m & p), nitration, sulphonation, halogenation Friedal-Craft's alkylation and acylation, combustion of benzene) and uses.</p> | <p>11. Aldehydes and Ketones</p> <p>11.1 Describe briefly the nomenclature and isomerism of aliphatic aldehydes and ketones.</p> <p>11.2 Show the preparation of aldehydes and ketones from dehydrogenation, oxidation of alcohol, ozonolysis of alkenes, acid chloride, gem dihaloalkane and catalytic hydration of alkynes</p> <p>11.3 State physical properties and uses of aldehydes and ketones.</p> <p>11.4 Distinguish between aliphatic aldehydes and ketones by using 2,4- DNP reagent, Tollen's reagent and Fehling's solution.</p> <p>11.5 Define formalin and state its uses.</p> |
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| <p>14. Modern Chemical Manufactures</p> <p>14.1 State and show manufacture of ammonia by Haber's process (principle and flow-sheet diagram).</p> <p>14.2 State and show manufacture of nitric acid by Ostwald's process (principle and flow-sheet diagram).</p> <p>14.3 Fertilizers (types of chemical fertilizers and production of urea with flow-sheet diagram)</p> | <p>12. Chemistry in the Service of Mankind</p> <p>12.1 Explain addition and condensation polymers.</p> <p>12.2 Explain elastomers and fibres.</p> <p>12.3 Describe natural and synthetic polymers.</p> <p>12.4 Explain some synthetic polymers (polythene, PVC, Teflon, polystyrene, nylon and bakelite).</p> <p>12.5 Describe characteristics of drugs.</p> <p>12.6 Differentiate natural and synthetic drugs.</p> |
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| | <p>12.7 Classify some common drugs.</p> <p>12.8 Be aware of adverse effect of drug addiction.</p> <p>12.9 Explain insecticides, herbicides and fungicides.</p> |
| | <p>13. Nuclear Chemistry and Applications of Radioactivity</p> <p>13.1 Describe natural and artificial radioactivity.</p> <p>13.2 Units of radioactivity.</p> <p>13.3 Explain nuclear reactions.</p> <p>13.4 Distinguish between nuclear fission and fusion reactions.</p> <p>13.5 Describe nuclear power and nuclear weapons.</p> <p>13.6 Explain industrial uses of radioactivity.</p> <p>13.7 State the medical uses of radioactivity.</p> <p>13.8 Explain radiocarbon dating.</p> <p>13.9 Describe harmful effects of nuclear radiations.</p> |

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| <p>6. Oxidation and Reduction</p> <p>6.1 General and electronic concept of oxidation and reduction</p> <p>6.2 Oxidation number and rules for assigning oxidation number</p> <p>6.3 Balancing redox reactions by oxidation number and ion-electron (half reaction) method</p> <p>6.4 Electrolysis</p> <p>6.4.1 Qualitative aspect</p> <p>6.4.2 Quantitative aspect (Faradays laws of electrolysis)</p> | 5 | - | |
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| <p>magnesium, iron, copper, sulphur, carbon, SO₂ and H₂S)</p> <p>8.4.7 Ring test for nitrate ion</p> | | <p>7.2 Zinc</p> <p>7.2.1 Occurrence and extraction of zinc from zinc blende</p> <p>7.2.2 Properties (with air, acid, alkali, displacement reaction) and uses of zinc</p> <p>7.2.3 Chemistry (preparation, properties and uses) of white vitriol</p> | |
| <p>8.5 Halogens</p> <p>8.5.1 General characteristics of halogens</p> <p>8.5.2 Comparative study on preparation (no diagram and description is required),</p> | 2 | <p>7.4 Iron</p> <p>7.4.1 Occurrence and extraction of iron</p> <p>7.4.2 Properties and uses of iron</p> <p>7.4.3 Manufacture of steel by Basic Oxygen Method and Open Hearth Process</p> <p>7.4.4 Corrosion of iron and its prevention</p> | |
| <p>8.6 Carbon</p> <p>8.6.1 Allotropes of carbon (crystalline and amorphous) including fullerenes (structure, general properties and uses only)</p> | 1 | | |
| <p>8.7 Sulphur</p> <p>8.7.1 Allotropes of sulphur (name only) and uses of sulphur</p> <p>8.7.2 Hydrogen sulphide (preparation from Kipp's apparatus with diagram,) properties (Acidic nature, reducing nature, analytical reagent) and uses</p> | 2 | | |
| <p>9.1 Alkali Metals</p> <p>9.1.1 General characteristics of alkali metals</p> <p>9.1.2 Sodium [extraction from Down's process,</p> | 5 | | |

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| <p>properties (action with Oxygen, water, acids nonmetals and ammonia) and uses]</p> <p>9.1.3 Properties (precipitation reaction and action with carbon monooxide) and uses of sodium hydroxide</p> <p>9.1.4 Properties (action with CO₂, SO₂, water, precipitation reactions) and uses of sodium carbonate</p> <p>9.2 Alkaline Earth Metals</p> <p>9.2.1 General characteristics of alkaline earth metals</p> <p>9.2.2 Molecular formula and uses of (quick lime, bleaching powder, magnesia, plaster of paris and epsom salt)</p> <p>9.2.3 Solubility of hydroxides, carbonates and sulphates of alkaline earth metals (general trend with explanation)</p> <p>9.2.4 Stability of carbonate and nitrate of alkaline earth metals (general trend with explanation)</p> | | - | |
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Content Area: Organic Chemistry

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| 10. Basic Concept of Organic Chemistry | 6 | 8. Haloalkanes | 4 |
| 10.1 Introduction to organic chemistry and organic compounds | | 8.1 Introduction | |
| 10.2 Tetra-covalency and catenation properties of carbon | | 8.2 Nomenclature, isomerism and classification of monohaloalkanes | |
| 10.3 Classification of organic compounds | | 8.3 Preparation of monohaloalkanes from alkanes, alkenes and alcohols | |
| 10.4 Alkyl groups, functional groups and homologous series | | 8.4 Physical properties of monohaloalkanes | |
| 10.5 Idea of structural formula, contracted formula and bond line structural formula | | 8.5 Preparation of trichloromethane from ethanol and propanone | |
| 10.6 Preliminary idea of cracking and reforming, quality of gasoline, octane number, cetane number and gasoline additive | | 8.6 Chemical properties of trichloromethane: oxidation, reduction, action on silver powder, conc. nitric acid, propanone, and aqueous alkali | |
| 11. Fundamental Principles of Organic Chemistry | 4 | 9. Alcohols | 3 |
| 11.1 IUPAC Nomenclature of Organic Compounds (upto chain having 6-carbon atoms) | | 9.1 Introduction | |
| 11.2 Qualitative analysis of organic compounds (detection of N, S and halogens by Lassaigne's test) | | 9.2 Nomenclature, isomerism and classification of monohydric alcohol | |
| 11.3 Isomerism in Organic Compounds | | 9.3 Preparation of monohydric alcohols from Haloalkane, primary amines, and esters | |
| 11.4 Definition and classification of isomerism | | 9.4 Definition of common terms: Absolute alcohol, power alcohol, denatured alcohol (methylated spirit), rectified spirit; alcoholic beverage | |

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| 11.5 | Structural isomerism and its types: chain isomerism, position isomerism, functional isomerism, metamerism and tautomerism | | | |
| 12. Saturated and unsaturated Hydrocarbons | 4 | 10. Phenols | 2 | |
| 12.1 | Classification of hydrocarbon (alkane, alkene, alkyne) | 10.1 | Introduction and nomenclature | |
| 12.2 | Preparation of alkane from haloalkanes (Reduction and Wurtz reaction), from Decarboxylation, from Catalytic hydrogenation of alkene and alkyne. | 10.2 | Preparation of phenol from i. chlorobenzene ii. Diazonium salt and iii. benzene sulphonic acid | |
| 12.3 | Chemical properties of alkanes: substitution reactions (halogenation, nitration, and sulphonation only) | 10.3 | Physical properties and uses of phenol | |
| 12.4 | Chemical properties of alkenes: Addition reaction with HX (Markovnikov's addition and peroxide effect), H ₂ O, O ₃ , H ₂ SO ₄ only | | | |
| 12.5 | Chemical properties: Addition reaction with (H ₂ , HX, H ₂ O), Acidic nature (action with Sodium, ammoniacal AgNO ₃ and ammoniacal Cu ₂ Cl ₂) | | | |
| 13. Aromatic Hydrocarbons | | 11 Aliphatic aldehydes and ketones | | |
| 13.1 | Introduction and characteristics of aromatic compounds | 11.1 | Introduction, nomenclature and isomerism | |
| | | 11.2 | Preparation of aldehydes and ketones from: | |

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| <p>13.2 Huckel's rule of aromaticity</p> <p>13.3 Kekule structure of benzene</p> <p>13.4 Resonance and isomerism</p> <p>13.5 Preparation of benzene from decarboxylation of sodium benzoate, phenol, and ethyne only</p> <p>13.6 Physical properties of benzene</p> <p>13.7 Chemical properties of benzene: Addition reaction: hydrogen, halogen, Electrophilic substitution reactions: orientation of benzene derivatives (o, m & p), nitration, sulphonation, halogenations, Friedal-Craft's reaction (alkylation and acylation), combustion of benzene (free combustion only) and uses</p> | 6 | <p>Dehydrogenation and oxidation of alcohol, Ozonolysis of alkenes, Acid chloride, Gem dihaloalkane, Catalytic hydration of alkynes, and its uses.</p> <p>11.3 Physical properties of aldehydes and ketones</p> <p>11.4 Distinction between aldehyde and ketones by using 2,4- DNP reagent, Tollen's reagent, Fehling's solution</p> <p>11.5 Formalin and its uses</p> | 4 |
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| Content Area: Applied Chemistry | | | |
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| <p>14. Modern Chemical Manufactures</p> <p>14.1 Modern Chemical Manufactures (principle and flow sheet diagram only)</p> <p>14.1.1 Manufacture of ammonia by Haber's process,</p> <p>14.1.2 Manufacture of nitric acid by Ostwald's process,</p> | 3 | <p>12. Chemistry in the service of mankind</p> <p>12.1 Polymers</p> <p>12.1.1 Addition and condensation polymers</p> <p>12.1.2 Elastomers and fibres</p> <p>12.1.3 Natural and synthetic polymers</p> <p>12.1.4 Some synthetic polymers (polythene, PVC, Teflon, polystyrene, nylon and bakelite)</p> | 4 |

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| 14.2 Fertilizers (Chemical fertilizers, types of chemical fertilizers, production of urea with flow-sheet diagram) | | <p>12.2 Drugs</p> <p>12.2.1 Characteristics of drugs</p> <p>12.2.2 Natural and synthetic drugs</p> <p>12.2.3 Classification of some common drugs</p> <p>12.2.4 Habit forming drugs and drug addiction</p> <p>12.3 Pesticides</p> <p>12.4.1 Introduction to insecticides, herbicides and fungicides</p> | |
| | | <p>13. Nuclear Chemistry and Applications of Radioactivity</p> <p>13.1 Natural and artificial radioactivity</p> <p>13.2 Units of radioactivity</p> <p>13.3 Nuclear reactions</p> <p>13.4 Nuclear fission and fusion reactions</p> <p>13.5 Nuclear power and nuclear weapons</p> <p>13.6 Industrial uses of radioactivity</p> <p>13.7 Medical uses of radioactivity</p> <p>13.8 Radiocarbon dating</p> <p>13.9 Harmful effects of nuclear radiations</p> | 5 |
| Total | 72 | | 72 |

5. Practical Portion (24 Teaching hours)

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. This part of the curriculum focuses more on skill development than knowledge building. Students must spend lots of time for working with chemical materials. Observations and investigations can enhance student learning. Project work may consist of activities designed to demonstrate the concepts and ideas through collecting, processing, analyzing and communicating data.

Students should learn to,

- collect and identify
- preserve
- test of chemicals
- draw figure, chart, preparing models, slides etc
- handle the equipment, instruments and laboratory handling with experimentation
- draw conclusion

Students should perform at least 8 experiments, either listed below or designed by teacher, so that no more than three experiments come from the same categories mentioned below.

a) List of Experiments for grade 11

A. Experiments based on laboratory techniques:

1. To separate the insoluble component in pure and dry state from the given mixture of soluble and insoluble solids (NaCl, sand and camphor).
2. To separate a mixture of two soluble solids by fractional crystallization (KNO_3 + NaCl).
3. To prepare a saturated solution of impure salt and obtain the pure crystal of the same salt by crystallization.
4. To separate the component of a mixture of two insoluble solids (one being soluble in dil. acids).
5. To obtain pure water from given sample of impure water (Distillation).

B. Experiments to study the different types of reactions (Neutralization, Precipitation, Redox reaction and Electrolysis):

6. To carry out the following chemical reactions, represent them in molecular as

well as ionic forms and write the colour of the products formed:

- a. Ferrous sulphate solution + ammonia solution
 - b. Ferric chloride solution + ammonia solution
 - c. Copper sulphate solution + sodium hydroxide solution (heat the mixture)
 - d. Copper sulphate solution + ammonia solution (add ammonia drop by drop at first and then excess)
 - e. Ferric chloride solution + potassium ferrocyanide solution
 - f. Ferrous sulphate solution + potassium ferricyanide solution
 - g. Copper sulphate solution + potassium iodide solution
 7. To perform precipitation reaction of BaCl_2 and H_2SO_4 and obtain solid BaSO_4 .
 8. To neutralize sodium hydroxide with hydrochloric acid solution and recover the crystal of sodium chloride.
 9. To test the ferrous ions in the given aqueous solution and oxidize it to ferric ion, (Ferrous and Ferric ion) (Redox Reaction)
 10. To study the process of electrolysis and electroplating.
- C. Experiments on quantitative analysis:
11. To determine the weight of given piece of Mg by hydrogen displacement method.
 12. To determine the solubility of the given soluble solid at laboratory temperature.
- D. Experiments on preparation of gas and study of properties:
13. To prepare and collect hydrogen gas and study the following properties;
 - a. Solubility with water, colour, odour;
 - b. Litmus test;
 - c. Burning match stick test; and
 - d. Reducing properties of nascent hydrogen.
 14. To prepare and collect ammonia gas and investigate the following properties:
 - a. Solubility with water, colour and odour;
 - b. Litmus test;
 - c. Action with copper sulphate solution phenolphthalein solution
 - d. Action with mercurous nitrate paper.

E. Experiments on qualitative analysis:

15. To detect the basic radical of the given salt by dry way and the acid radical by dry and wet ways in its aqueous solution.

Basic radicals: Zn^{++} , Al^{+++} , Mg^{++} , Ca^{++} ,

Acid radicals: CO_3^{-} , SO_4^{-} , NO_3^{-} , Br, I, Cl

16. To detect the presence of Cl, SO_4^{--} and CO_3^{--} in the given sample of tap water and distilled water.

b) List of Sample project works for grade 11

1. Observe in your surroundings (kitchen, school, shop, etc.) and make a possible list of organic and inorganic compounds. How are they different? Why is it necessary to study them separately, put your argument?
2. Study of the methods of purification of water.
3. Testing the hardness of drinking water from different sources and the study of cause of hardness.
4. Study of the acidity of different samples of the tea leaves.
5. Preparation of molecular models using stick and clay.
6. Study of adulteration of food materials.
7. Study of application and adverse effects of pesticides on human health.
8. Study of use and adverse effects of plastics on environment.
9. Analysis of soil samples. (elaboration need pH, humus content)
10. Investigation on corrosion and rusting on iron.

Note: Students are free to choose any topic listed in this curriculum or a topic suggested by teacher provided that it is within the theoretical contents of the syllabus. However, repetition of topic should be discouraged.

c) List of experiments for grade 12

A. Experiments based on recovery and preparation of salt

1. To recover blue vitriol crystals from the given mixture of copper sulphate and sodium chloride.
2. To recover $CaCO_3$ from the mixture of $CaCO_3$ and $MgCO_3$ (dolomite).

B. Experiments based on volumetric analysis (Titration)

3. To prepare primary standard solution of Na_2CO_3 and standardize the given

acid solution (HCl) by the standard solution.

4. To determine the strength of approximate NaOH solution with the help of standard decinormal solution of HCl supplied.
5. To determine the strength of bench sulphuric acid (H₂SO₄) with the help of standard NaOH or Na₂CO₃ solution and express the concentration in (i) normality (ii) molarity (iii) gm/litre (iv) percentage (Double titration).
6. To standardize the given approximate KMnO₄ solution with the help of primary standard oxalic solution (Redox titration).

C. Experiments based on organic chemistry:

7. To detect foreign elements present in a given organic compounds (N, S and X).
8. To identify the functional group present in the organic compounds (-OH, -CHO, -CO-, -NH₂, and -COO-)

D. Experiments based on thermochemistry:

9. To determine the enthalpy of neutralization of a strong acid and strong base.
10. To determine the molar enthalpy, change of ammonium chloride solution

E. Experiments based on chemical kinetics:

11. To study the kinetics of the reaction between sodium thiosulphate and hydrochloric acid.
12. To study the kinetics of the reaction between propanone and iodine

F. Experiments based on salt analysis:

13. To perform complete salt analysis to detect the acid and basic radicals present in the given inorganic salt (at least three salt samples).

G. Experiments based on applied and analytical Chemistry:

14. To determine the contents of acetic acid in the given volume of vinegar by titrimetric analysis.
15. To prepare some common compounds:
 - a. Potash alum
 - b. Iodoform
 - c. Fehling's solution
 - d. Tollen's reagent
16. To demonstrate the pH value of unknown sample solutions.

d) List of sample project works for grade 12

1. Observe brick industry/chemical industry/old smoky cooking kitchen/use of chemical fertilizers/use of insecticides/ vehicular smokes, etc. and draw the conclusion of environmental impact of the chemical pollution.
2. Collect different types of plastics (or synthetic polymers) and study the effect of heat on them.
3. Preparation of soap using coconut oil or any vegetable oil.
4. Study of formation of rust in the iron nail in various conditions.
5. Study of the different types of food preservatives used in different food available in the market.
6. Investigation on the foaming capacity of different washing soaps and the effect of addition of sodium carbonate on them.
7. Study the acidic nature of alcohol and phenol.
8. Study the distinction between aliphatic aldehyde, aromatic aldehyde and aliphatic ketone.
9. Study the presence of pesticides residues in fruits and vegetables.

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6. Learning Facilitation Process

Students should be facilitated to learn rather than just accumulation of information. Teacher plays vital role for delivering subject matters although others' role is also important. Student centered teaching-learning process is highly emphasized. Students are supposed to adopt multiple pathway of learning, such as online search, field visit, library work, laboratory work, individual and group work, research work etc. with the support of teacher. Self-study by students is highly encouraged and learning should not be confined to the scope of curriculum. Teacher should keep in mind intra and inter-disciplinary approach to teaching and learning, as opposed to compartmentalization of knowledge. Supportive role of parents/guardians in creating conducive environment for promoting the spirit of inquiry and creativity in students' learning is anticipated.

During the delivery process of science teaching in grade 11 and 12, basically following three approaches will be adopted;

| Conceptual/Theoretical | Practical/Application/Experimental | Project works |
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| Knowledge of content (fact, terminology, definitions, learning procedures Understanding of content (concept, ideas, theories, principles) | Lab. based practical work science process and equipment handling skills building | Research work (survey and mini research) innovative work or experiential learning connection to theory and application |
| 3.5 credit hrs spent for understanding of content | 1 credit hr spent for experiment | 0.5 credit hr spent in field work |

a) Conceptual/Theoretical Approach

Possible theoretical methods of delivery may include the following;

- a. interaction
- b. question answer
- c. demonstrations
- d. ICT based instructions
- e. cooperative learning
- f. group discussions (satellite learning group, peer group, small and large group)
- g. debate
- h. seminar presentation
- i. Journal publishing
- j. daily assignment

b) Practical/Application/Experimental approach

Practical work is the integral part of the learning science. The process of lab based practical work comprises as;

- a. familiarity with objective of practical work
- b. familiarity with materials, chemicals, apparatus
- c. familiarity with lab process (safety, working modality etc.)
- d. conduction of practical work (systematically following the given instruction)

- e. analysis, interpretation and drawing conclusion

c) Project work Approach

Project work is an integral part of the science learning. Students should be involved in project work to foster self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. Students will complete project work to have practical idea through learning by doing approach and able to connect the theory into the real-world context. It is regarded as method/ process of learning rather than content itself. So use of project work method to facilitate any appropriate contents of this curriculum is highly encouraged.

In this approach student will conduct at least one research work, or an innovative work under the guidance of teacher, using the knowledge and skills learnt. It could include any of the followings;

- (a) Mini research
- (b) Survey
- (c) Model construction
- (d) Paper based work
- (e) Study of ethno-science

General process of research work embraces the following steps;

- a. Understanding the objective of the research
- b. Planning and designing
- c. Collecting information
- d. Analysis and interpretation
- e. Reporting /communicating (presentation, via visual aids, written report, graphical etc.)

General process of innovative work embraces the following steps;

- a. Identification of innovative task (either assigned by teacher or proposed by student)
- b. Planning
- c. Performing the task
- d. Presentation of the work
- e. Record keeping of the work

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Learning process matrix

| Knowledge and understanding | Scientific skills and process | Values, attitudes and application to daily life |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientific phenomenon, facts, definition, principles, theory, concepts and new discoveries • Scientific vocabulary, glossary and terminology • Scientific tools, devices, instruments apparatus • Techniques of uses of scientific instruments with safety • Scientific and technological applications | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic and integrated scientific process skills <p>Process</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigation • Creative thinking • problem solving | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responsible • Spending time for investigation |

Basic Science Process Skills includes,

1. Observing: Using senses to gather information about an object or event. It is description of what was actually perceived.
2. Measuring: Comparing unknown physical quantity with known quantity (standard unit) of same type.
3. Inferring: Formulating assumptions or possible explanations based upon observations.
4. Classifying: Grouping or ordering objects or events into categories based upon characteristics or defined criteria.
5. Predicting: Guessing the most likely outcome of a future event based upon a pattern of evidence.
6. Communicating: using words, symbols, or graphics to describe an object, action or event.

Integrated Science Process Skills includes,

1. Formulating hypotheses: Determination of the proposed solutions or expected outcomes for experiments. These proposed solutions to a problem must be testable.
2. Identifying of variables: Identification of the changeable factors (independent and dependent variables) that can affect an experiment.
3. Defining variables operationally: explaining how to measure a variable in an experiment.
4. Describing relationships between variables: explaining relationships between variables in an experiment such as between the independent and dependent variables.
5. Designing investigations: designing an experiment by identifying materials and describing appropriate steps in a procedure to test a hypothesis.
6. Experimenting: carrying out an experiment by carefully following directions of the procedure so the results can be verified by repeating the procedure several times.
7. Acquiring data: collecting qualitative and quantitative data as observations and measurements.
8. Organizing data in tables and graphs: presenting collected data in tables and graphs.
9. Analyzing investigations and their data: interpreting data, identifying errors, evaluating the hypothesis, formulating conclusions, and recommending further testing where necessary.
10. Understanding cause and effect relationships: understanding what caused what to happen and why.
11. Formulating models: recognizing patterns in data and making comparisons to familiar objects or ideas.

7. Student Assessment

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc., are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

Out of 100 full marks Internal evaluation covers 25 marks. Internal evaluation consists of Practical work (16 marks), (b) Marks from trimester examinations (6 marks), and (c) Classroom participation (3 marks)

- Practical Activities

Practical works and project works should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum or designed by teacher. Mark distribution for practical work and project work will be as follows:

| S.N. | Criteria | Elaboration of criteria | Marks | |
|--------------|--|---|---|---|
| 1 | Participation | Classroom participation includes attendance (1) and participation in learning (2) | 3 | |
| 2 | Practical and Project work | Laboratory experiment | Correctness of apparatus setup/preparation | 2 |
| | | | Observation/Experimentation | 2 |
| | | | Tabulation | 1 |
| | | | Data processing and Analysis | 1 |
| | | | Conclusion (Value of constants or prediction with justification) | 1 |
| | | | Handling of errors/precaution | 1 |
| 3. | Viva-voce | Understanding of objective of the experiment | 1 | |
| | | Skills of the handling of apparatus in use | 1 | |
| | | Overall impression | 1 | |
| | Practical work records and attendance | Records (number and quality) | 2 | |
| | | Project work | Reports (background, objective, methodology, finding, conclusion) | 2 |
| | | | Presentation | 1 |
| | Total Practical and project work score | | 19 | |
| 3 | Trimester Exam | First and second trimester's score (3+3) | 6 | |
| Total | | | 25 | |

Note:

- (i) Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of laboratory experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- (ii) Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

- **Marks from trimester examinations**

Total of 6 marks, 3 marks from each trimester.

- **Classroom participation (3 marks)**

Classroom participation includes attendance (1) and participation in learning (2).

(b) External Evaluation

Out of 100 marks theoretical evaluation covers 75 marks. The tool for external evaluation of theoretical learning will be a written examination. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade :11

Subject : Chemistry

Time: 3 hrs.

| S.N. | Area | Working hour | Competency level | | | | Area wise Score |
|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Knowledge/ Remembering | Understanding | Applying | Higher Ability | |
| 1 | Physical chemistry | 32 | MCQ (2x1) SQ (2x5) | MCQ (5 x1) SQ (1x5) LQ (1x8) | MCQ (3x1) SQ (2x5) LQ (1x8) | MCQ (1x1) SQ (3x5) LQ (1x8) | 33 |
| 2 | Inorganic chemistry | 17 | | | | | 18 |
| 3 | Organic chemistry | 20 | | | | | 21 |
| 4 | Applied chemistry | 3 | | | | | 3 |
| Total | | 72 | 12 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 75 |

Item format plan

| S.N. | Type of item | Score per item | Number of items | | | | Total item | Total Score |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|------------|-------------|
| 1 | Multiple Choice Questions | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 11 |
| 2 | Short Question Answer | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 40 |
| 3 | Long Question Answer | 8 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 24 |
| Grand Total | | | 4 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 22 | 75 |

Grade : 12

| S.N. | Area | Working hour | Competency level | | | | Area wise Score |
|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Knowledge/ Remembering | Understanding | Applying | Higher Ability | |
| 1 | Physical chemistry | 35 | MCQ (2x1) SQ (2x5) | MCQ (5 x1) SQ (1x5) LQ (1x8) | MCQ (3x1) SQ (2x5) LQ (1x8) | MCQ (1x1) SQ (3x5) LQ (1x8) | 36 |
| 2 | Inorganic chemistry | 15 | | | | | 16 |
| 3 | Organic chemistry | 13 | | | | | 14 |
| 4 | Applied chemistry | 9 | | | | | 9 |
| Total | | 72 | 12 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 75 |

| Item format plan | | | | | | | | |
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| 3 | Long Question Answer | 8 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 24 |
| Grand Total | | | 4 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 22 | 75 |

Remarks:

- Item format in composite should be met as per the specification grid.
- +2 marks variation will be allowed within the area. But cannot be nil.
- In case of 5 or 8 marks items, these should ensure that 1 mark will be assigned per element expected as correct response. However, cognitive behavior intended might not be single behavior within the item. But in total cognitive distribution should met. ± 2 marks variation will be allowed within the cognitive levels.
- SQ and LQ can be structured (have two or more sub-items). SQ and LQ can be distributed to two or more cognitive behaviors. In such case these will be added to their respective cognitive behavior. In sum the distribution of cognitive behavior should be approximately to the required distribution.
- The distribution of questions based on cognitive domain will be nearby 15% knowledge/remembering, 25% understanding, 30% applying and 30% higher ability level.
- In case of short question there will be 2"OR" questions and in case of long question there will be 1 "OR" question.

Technical and Vocational Stream
Secondary Education Curriculum

Physics

Grade: 11

Credit hour: 3

Annual working hour: 96

1. Introduction

This curriculum presumes that the students joining grade 11 and 12 technical and vocational stream come with aspirations of higher level studies in specific Technical areas or join job market after the course. The curriculum is designed to provide students with general understanding of the fundamental scientific laws and principles that govern the scientific phenomena in the world. It focuses to develop scientific knowledge, skill competences and attitudes required at secondary level (grade 11-12) irrespective of what they do beyond this level, as envisioned by national goals. Understanding of scientific concepts and their application, in day to day context as well as the process of obtaining new knowledge through holistic approach of learning in the spirit of national qualification framework is emphasized in the curriculum.

In particular, this curriculum aims to provide sufficient knowledge and understanding of science for all learners to become confident citizens in the technological world. It helps the students to recognize the usefulness and limitations of laws and principles of physics and use them in solving problems encountered in their daily lives along a sound foundation for students who wish to study physics or related professional or vocational courses in higher education. It also helps to develop science related attitudes such as a concern for safety and efficiency, concern for accuracy and precision, objectivity, a spirit of enquiry, inventiveness, appreciation of ethno-science, and willingness to use technology for effective communication. It also promotes awareness of the principles and laws of science that are often the result of cumulative efforts and their studies and applications are subject to economic and technological limitations and social, cultural and ethical perceptions/acceptance.

The curriculum prepared in accordance with National Curriculum Framework is structured for two academic years in such a way that it incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Level-wise competencies

In completion of this course, students are expected to demonstrate the following competencies:

1. Relate the phenomena and processes of the world around them to the knowledge and understanding of physical laws, principles and theories and describe them using appropriate scientific vocabulary, terminology and conventions
2. Use scientific instruments, apparatus and methods to collect, evaluate and communicate information accurately and precisely
3. Design simple experiment to develop relations among physical quantities,
4. Carry out simple scientific research on issues related to physics and
5. Construct simple models to illustrate physical concepts
6. Use the knowledge of physics to promote care for the environment, indigenous knowledge, social values and ethics

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

Grade 11

Content Area: Mechanics

1. Physical Quantities

- 1.1 Demonstrate the meaning, importance and applications of precision in the measurements
- 1.2 Understand the meaning and importance of significant figures in measurements
- 1.3 Work out the dimensions of derived physical quantities applicable to this syllabus
- 1.4 Apply dimensional analysis method to check the homogeneity of physical equations

2. Vectors

- 2.1 Distinguish between scalar and vector quantities
- 2.2 Add or subtract coplanar vectors by drawing scale diagram (triangle, parallelogram or polygon method)
- 2.3 Represent a vector as two perpendicular components
- 2.4 Resolve co-planer vectors using component method
- 2.5 Describe scalar and vector products

2.6 Solve related problems.

3. Kinematics

3.1 Understand projectile motion as motion due to a uniform velocity in one direction and a uniform acceleration in a perpendicular direction, derive the equations for various physical quantities (maximum height, time of flight, time taken to reach maximum height, horizontal range, resultant velocity) and use them to solve mathematical problems related to projectile motion

4. Dynamics

4.1 Define linear momentum, impulse, and establish the relation between them

4.2 Define and use force as rate of change of momentum

4.3 State and prove the principle of conservation of linear momentum.

4.4 Solve related problem.

5. Gravitation

5.1 Explain Newton's law of gravitation

5.2 Define gravitational field strength

5.3 Define and derive formula of gravitational potential and gravitational potential energy

5.4 Describe briefly the working principle of Global Position -System (GPS)

5.5 Solve the numerical problems and conceptual questions regarding related to the gravitation

6. Elasticity

6.1 State and explain Hooke's law

6.2 Define the terms stress, strain, elasticity and plasticity

6.3 Derive the expression for energy stored in a stretched wire

6.4 Solve the numerical problems and conceptual questions regarding elasticity

Content Area: Heat and thermodynamics

7. Heat and temperature

7.1 Explain the molecular concept of thermal energy, heat and temperature, and cause and direction of heat flow

8. Thermal Expansion

- 8.1 Explain some examples and applications of thermal expansion, and demonstrate it with simple experiments.
- 8.2 Explain linear, superficial, cubical expansion and define their corresponding coefficients with physical meaning.
- 8.3 Establish a relation between coefficients of thermal expansion.
- 8.4 Solve mathematical problems related to thermal expansion.

9. Quantity of Heat

- 9.1 Define heat capacity and specific heat capacity and explain application of high specific heat capacity of water and low specific heat capacity of cooking oil and massage oil
- 9.2 Solve the numerical problem.

Content Area: Wave and Optics

10. Wave motion

- 10.1 Define and understand progressive wave
- 10.2 Write progressive wave in mathematical form
- 10.3 Discuss the condition under which stationary waves can be formed
- 10.4 Write stationary wave in mathematical form
- 10.5 Calculate frequency, amplitude, velocity, time period, etc of progressive wave

11. Mechanical waves

- 11.1 Calculate Speed of wave motion
- 11.2 Describe Velocity of sound in gas
- 11.3 Describe Laplace correction
- 11.4 Solve the numerical problem.

12. Lenses

- 12.1 State properties of Spherical lenses
- 12.2 Define visual angle and angular magnification
- 12.3 Derive Lens maker's formula and use it to find focal length
- 12.4 Power of Lens
- 12.5 Solve the numerical problem.

13. Wave nature of light

13.1 Interference

13.1.1 Explain the Phenomenon of Interferences

13.1.2 Understand the meaning of coherent sources

13.1.3 Describe Young's double slit experiment and obtain the expression for nth order maxima

13.2 Diffraction

13.2.1 Describe diffraction at single slit

13.2.2 Understand diffraction pattern of image

13.2.3 Explain diffraction through diffraction grating

13.2.4 Explain the resolving power of optical instrument

13.3 Polarization

13.3.1 Describe phenomenon of polarization

13.3.2 Polaroid and their applications

13.3.3 State and use Brewster's law

Content Area: Electro statistics and Magnetism

14. Electro statistics

14.1 Understand the concept of electric charge and charge carriers

14.2 Understand that, for any point outside a spherical conductor, the charge on the sphere may be considered to act as a point charge at its centre

14.3 State Coulomb's law

14.4 Compute the magnitude and direction of the net force acting at a point due to multiple charges

14.5 Use $E = \frac{Q}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r^2}$ strength of a point charge in free space or air

14.6 Understand the concept of electric flux of a surface

14.7 State Gauss law and apply it for a field of a charged sphere and for line charge

15. Magnetic properties of materials:

15.1 Define relative permeability and relative susceptibility of a magnetic material

15.2 Understand Dia,-para- and ferro-magnetic materials

16. DC Circuits

- 16.1 Electric Currents; Drift velocity and its relation with current
- Understand the concept that potential difference between two points in a conductor makes the charge carriers drift
 - Define electric current as the rate of flow of positive charge, $Q = It$
 - Derive, using $Q=It$ and the definition of average drift velocity, the expression $I=nAvq$ where n is the number density of free charge carriers
 - Solve the numerical problem.
- 16.2 Ohm's law Ohm's law; Electrical Resistance: resistivity and conductivity
- Define and apply electric resistance as the ratio of potential difference to current
 - Define ohm ,resistivity and conductivity
 - Use $R = \rho l /A$ for a conductor
 - Explain, using $R = \rho l /A$, how changes in dimensions of a conducting wire works as a variable resistor
- 16.3 Current-voltage relations: ohmic and non-ohmic
- Sketch and discuss the I–V characteristics of a metallic conductor at constant temperature, a semiconductor diode and a filament lamp d) state Ohm's law
 - State Ohm's law and identify ohmic and non-ohmic resistors

17. Resistances in series and parallel

- Derive, using laws of conservation of charge and conservation of energy, a formula for the combined resistance of two or more resistors in parallel
- Solve problems using the formula for the combined resistance of two or more resistors in series

18. Alternating Currents

- 18.1 Understand peak and rms value of AC current and voltage
- 18.2 Discuss AC through a resistor, a capacitor and an inductor
- 18.3 Understand Phasor diagram in RC and RL circuits

Content Area: Modern Physics

19. Electrons

- 19.1 Describe the motion of electrons in electric and magnetic fields and derive

appropriate mathematical expressions

19.2 Describe J.J Thomson's experiment with suitable diagrams to explain the discovery of electron and its characters

19.3 Solve numerical problems related to above topics

20. Photons

20.1 Explain properties of photons

20.2 Describe work function and photoelectric effect

20.3 Derive Einstein's photoelectric equation

20.4 Solve some related problems

21. Nuclear physics

21.1 Explain how nucleus was discovered

21.2 Describe main theme of Einstein's mass energy relation and state the relation

21.3 Explain the meaning of mass defect and cause of it

21.4 Derive the relation of binding energy and binding energy per unit nucleon of different nuclei

21.5 Define nuclear fusion and fission and explain the mechanism of energy release

21.6 Solve numerical problems related to nuclear physics

22. Semiconductor devices

22.1 Describe the formation of PN junction and semiconductor diode

22.2 Plot forward and reverse characteristics of semiconductor diode including the concept of Zener diode

22.3 Define rectifier

22.4 Describe full wave rectification using semiconductor diodes

23. Quantization of energy

23.1 Differentiate excitation and ionization potentials

23.2 Explain emission and absorption spectra

23.3 Define x-rays

23.4 Illustrate different properties of x-rays along with their applications

23.5 Solve numerical problems related to quantization of energy

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| Total | 72 |

5. Practical Courses [24 Hours]

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency number 2 and 3 of the syllabus as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. This part of the syllabus focuses more on skill building than knowledge building. Students must be aware of the importance of precision, accuracy, significant figures, range and errors while collecting, processing, analyzing and communicating data. Likewise, graphical method of analysis

and drawing conclusion should be encouraged wherever possible.

Students should

1. learn to use metre rule for measuring length, Vernier-calipers for measuring small thicknesses, internal and external diameters of cylindrical objects and depths of holes, spherometer for measuring radius of curvature of spherical surfaces and micrometer screw-gauge for measuring diameter of small spherical or cylindrical objects and very small thicknesses, traveling microscope with Vernier scale for measuring small distances, top-pan balance for measuring small masses, stop watch for measuring time interval, laboratory thermometer for measuring temperature, protractor for measuring angle), ammeter and milli-ammeter for measuring electric current and voltmeter for measuring electric potential difference.
2. learn to measure precisely up to the least count of the measuring instrument-
metre rule – 0.001m or 1 mm
Vernier calipers - 0.1 mm
Spherometer - 0.01 mm
micrometer screw gauge - 0.01 mm
stop watch - 0.01s
laboratory thermometer - 0.5°C
protractor - 1°
3. learn to repeat readings and take the average value
4. learn to draw a standard table, with appropriate heading and unit for every column for storing data
5. learn to plot a graph using standard format, draw suitable trend lines, determine gradient, intercepts and area and use them to draw appropriate conclusion
6. learn to estimate and handle uncertainties.

In each academic year, students should perform 8 experiments, either listed below or designed by teacher, so that no more than three experiments come from the same unit of this syllabus.

a) Practical Activities for Grade 11

I. Mechanics

1. Determination of young modulus of elasticity of the material of a given wire

by graphically analyzing the variation of tensile force with respect to extension produced by it.

2. Use of Simple pendulum for the determination of the value of 'g' in the laboratory by graphically analyzing the variation of period of oscillations with length of the pendulum.

II. Heat

3. Use of Pullinger's apparatus for the Determination of the linear expansivity of a rod.

III. Wave and Optics

4. Use of Travelling Microscope for the determination of the refractive index of glass slab by graphically analyzing how apparent depth varies with the real depth for glass plates of different thicknesses.
5. Determination of the frequency of A.C. Mains using sonometer and graphically analyzing the variation of the ratio of resonating lengths with respect to the frequency of tuning fork using tuning forks of different frequencies.
6. Determination of velocity of sound in air at NTP using resonance tube.

IV. Electricity and magnetism

7. Verification of Ohm's law and determination of resistance of a thin-film resistor by graphical analysis of variation of electric current in the resistor with respect to potential difference across it.
8. Investigation of I - V characteristics of a heating coil by graphically analyzing the variation of electric current through a heating coil with respect to the potential difference across it.
9. Study the variation or resistance of a thermistor with temperature.
10. Use of deflection magnetometer to determination of the pole strength and magnetic moment of a bar magnet

V. Modern Physics

11. Study the I - V characteristics of a semiconductor diode.

a) Sample project works for grade 11

1. Study the variation in the range of a jet of water with angle of projection
2. Study the factors affecting the rate of loss of heat of a liquid

3. Investigate the nature and size of the image formed by a convex lens using a candle and a screen.
4. Find the prospect the use of bio-mass as an alternative energy sources in Nepal
5. Analyze the energy consumption patterns in agriculture sector.
6. Study of application of laws and principle of physics in any indigenous technology.
7. Study the frequency dependence of refractive index of glass using a glass prism and white light beam.
8. Construct a thermocouple thermometer and use it to investigate how temperature of a Bunsen burner flame changes with the height of the flame from the top of the burner.
9. Study of the status of hydroelectricity in Nepal.
10. Construct a simple DC motor using a disk type magnet and a battery.
11. Construct a model of AC generator/dynamo.

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Students should be facilitated to learn rather than just accumulation of information. Teacher plays vital role for delivering subject matters although others' role is also important. Student centered teaching-learning process is highly emphasized. Students are supposed to adopt multiple pathway of learning, such as online search, field visit, library work, laboratory work, individual and group work, research work etc. with the support of teacher. Self-study by students is highly encouraged and learning should not be confined to the scope of curriculum. Teacher should keep in mind intra and inter-disciplinary approach to teaching and learning, as opposed to compartmentalization of knowledge. Supportive role of parents/guardians in creating conducive environment for promoting the spirit of inquiry and creativity in students' learning is anticipated.

During the delivery process of science teaching in grade 11 and 12, basically following three approaches will be adopted;

| Conceptual/Theoretical | Practical/Appication/ Experimental | Project works |
|---|---|--|
| Knowledge of content (fact, terminology, definitions, | • Lab. based practical work | • Research work (survey and mini research) |

| | | |
|---|--|--|
| learning procedures Understanding of content (concept, ideas, theories, principles) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> science process and equipment handling skills building | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> innovative work or experiential learning connection to theory and application |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3.5 credit hrs spent for understanding of content | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 credit hr spent for experiment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0.5 credit hr spent in field work |

a) **Conceptual/Theoretical Approach**

Possible theoretical methods of delivery may include the following;

- lecture
- interaction
- question answer
- demonstrations
- ICT based instructions
- cooperative learning
- group discussions (satellite learning group, peer group, small and large group)
- debate
- seminar presentation
- Journal publishing
- daily assignment

b) **Practical/Application/Experimental approach**

Practical work is the integral part of the learning science. The process of lab based practical work comprises as;

- familiarity with objective of practical work
- familiarity with materials, chemicals, apparatus
- familiarity with lab process (safety, working modality etc.)
- conduction of practical work (systematically following the given instruction)
- analysis, interpretation and drawing conclusion

c) **Project work Approach**

Project work is an integral part of the science learning. Students should be involved in

project work to foster self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. Students will complete project work to have practical idea through learning by doing approach and able to connect the theory into the real world context. It is regarded as method/ process of learning rather than content itself. So use of project work method to facilitate any appropriate contents of this curriculum is highly encouraged.

In this approach student will conduct at least one **research work, or an innovative work** under the guidance of teacher, using the knowledge and skills learnt. It could include any of the followings;

- (a) Mini research
- (b) Survey
- (c) Model construction
- (d) Paper based work
- (e) study of ethno-science

General process of research work embraces the following steps;

- Understanding the objective of the research
- Planning and designing
- Collecting information
- analysis and interpretation
- Reporting/communicating (presentation, via visual aids, written report, graphical etc.)

General process of innovative work embraces the following steps;

- identification of innovative task (either assigned by teacher or proposed by student)
- planning
- performing the task
- presentation of the work
- Record keeping of the work

Students are free to choose any topic listed in this curriculum or a topic suggested by teacher provided that it is within the theoretical contents of the Curriculum. However, repetition of topic should be discouraged.

Learning process matrix

| Knowledge and understanding | Scientific skills and process | Values, attitudes and application to daily life |
|--|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientific phenomenon, facts, definition, principles, theory, concepts and new discoveries • Scientific vocabulary, glossary and terminology • Scientific tools, devises, instruments apparatus • Techniques of uses of scientific instruments with safety • Scientific and technological applications | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic and integrated scientific process skills <p style="text-align: center;">Process</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigation • Creative thinking • problem solving | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Responsible • Spending time for investigation |

Basic Science Process Skills includes,

1. Observing: using senses to gather information about an object or event. It is description of what was actually perceived.
2. Measuring: comparing unknown physical quantity with known quantity (standard unit) of same type.
3. Inferring: formulating assumptions or possible explanations based upon observations.
4. Classifying: grouping or ordering objects or events into categories based upon characteristics or defined criteria.
5. Predicting: guessing the most likely outcome of a future event based upon a pattern of evidence.
6. Communicating: using words, symbols, or graphics to describe an object, action or event.

Integrated Science Process Skills includes,

1. Formulating hypotheses: determination of the proposed solutions or expected outcomes for experiments. These proposed solutions to a problem must be testable.
2. Identifying of variables: Identification of the changeable factors (independent and

dependent variables) that can affect an experiment.

3. Defining variables operationally: explaining how to measure a variable in an experiment.
4. Describing relationships between variables: explaining relationships between variables in an experiment such as between the independent and dependent variables.
5. Designing investigations: designing an experiment by identifying materials and describing appropriate steps in a procedure to test a hypothesis.
6. Experimenting: carrying out an experiment by carefully following directions of the procedure so the results can be verified by repeating the procedure several times.
7. Acquiring data: collecting qualitative and quantitative data as observations and measurements.
8. Organizing data in tables and graphs: presenting collected data in tables and graphs.
9. Analyzing investigations and their data: interpreting data, identifying errors, evaluating the hypothesis, formulating conclusions, and recommending further testing where necessary.
10. Understanding cause and effect relationships: understanding what caused what to happen and why.
11. Formulating models: recognizing patterns in data and making comparisons to familiar objects or ideas.

7. Student Assessment

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

Out of 100 full marks Internal evaluation covers 25 marks. Internal evaluation consists of Practical work (16 marks), (b) Marks from trimester examinations(6 marks), and (c) Classroom participation (3 marks)

- **Practical Activities**

Practical work and project work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum or designed by the teacher. Mark distribution for practical work and project work will be as follows:

| S.N. | Criteria | Elaboration of criteria | Marks |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|-----------|
| 1. | Participation | Classroom participation includes attendance (1) and participation in learning (2) | 3 |
| 2. | Laboratory experiment | Correctness of apparatus setup/preparation | 2 |
| | | Observation/Experimentation | 2 |
| | | Tabulation | 1 |
| | | Data processing and Analysis | 1 |
| | | Conclusion (Value of constants or prediction with justification) | 1 |
| | | Handling of errors/precaution | 1 |
| | Viva-voce | Understanding of objective of the experiment | 1 |
| | | Skills of the handling of apparatus in use | 1 |
| | | Overall impression | 1 |
| | Practical work records and attendance | Records (number and quality) | 2 |
| | Project work | Reports (background, objective, methodology, finding, conclusion) | 2 |
| Presentation | | 1 | |
| Total Practical and project work score | | | 19 |
| 3. | Trimester Exam | First and second trimester's score (3+3) | 6 |
| Total | | | 25 |

Note:

- Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of laboratory experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every

member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

- **Marks from trimester examinations**

Total of 6 marks; 3 marks from each trimester.

- **Classroom participation (3 marks)**

Classroom participation includes attendance (1) and participation in learning (2).

(b) External Evaluation

Out of 100 marks theoretical evaluation covers 75 marks. The tool for external evaluation of theoretical learning will be a written examination. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade : 11

Subject : Physics

Times: 3 hrs.

| S.N. | Area | Working hour | Competency level | | | | Area wise Score | |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|
| | | | Knowledge/ Remembering | Understanding | Applying | Higher Ability | | |
| 1 | Mechanics | 18 | MCQ (2x1) | MCQ (5 x1) | MCQ (3x1) | MCQ (1x1) | 19 | |
| 2 | Heat and Thermodynamics | 7 | SQ (2x5) | SQ (1x5) | SQ (2x5) | SQ (3x5) | 7 | |
| 3 | Wave and Optics | 10 | | LQ (1x8) | LQ (1x8) | LQ (1x8) | 10 | |
| 4 | Electro-statistics and Magnetism | 23 | | | | | 24 | |
| 5 | Modern Physics | 14 | | | | | 15 | |
| Total | | 72 | | 12 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 75 |
| Item format plan | | | | | | | | |
| | Type of item | Score per item | Number of items | | | | Total item | Total Score |
| 1 | Multiple Choice Questions | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 11 | 11 |
| 2 | Short Question Answer | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 8 | 40 |
| 3 | Long Question Answer | 8 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 24 |
| Grand Total | | | 4 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 22 | 75 |

Remarks:

- Item format in composite should be met as per the specification grid.
- ± 2 marks variation will be allowed within the area. But cannot be nil.
- In case of 5 or 8 marks items, these should ensure that 1 mark will be assigned per element expected as correct response. However, cognitive behavior intended might not be single behavior within the item. But in total cognitive distribution should met. ± 2 marks variation will be allowed within the cognitive levels.
- SQ and LQ can be structured (have two or more sub-items). SQ and LQ can be distributed to two or more cognitive behaviors. In such case these will be added to their respective cognitive behavior. In sum the distribution of cognitive behavior should be approximately to the required distribution.
- The distribution of questions based on cognitive domain will be nearby 15% knowledge/remembering, 25% understanding, 30% applying and 30% higher ability level.
- In case of short question there will be 2 "OR" questions and in case of long question there will be 1 "OR" question.

Technical and Vocational Stream
Secondary Education Curriculum
Mathematics

Grade: 12

Credit hrs.: 3

Working hrs.: 96

1. Introduction

Mathematics is an essential in the field of engineering, medicine, natural sciences, finance and other social sciences. The branch of mathematics concerned with application of mathematical knowledge to other fields and inspires new mathematical discoveries. School mathematics is necessary as the backbone for higher study in different disciplines.

This course of Mathematics is designed for grade 12 students of agriculture as a subject as per the curriculum structure prescribed by the National Curriculum Framework, 2076 of TEVT stream. The contents from different areas of mathematics; Algebra, Trigonometry, Analytic Geometry, Statistics and Probability and Calculus have been included in this course.

This course will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through demonstration and presentation, discussion, and group works as well as practical and project works in the real world context. Calculation strategies and problem solving skills will be an integral part of the delivery.

2. Level-wise Competencies

On completion of this course, students will have the following competencies:

1. Use basic properties of elementary functions and their inverse including linear, quadratic, reciprocal, polynomial, rational, absolute value, exponential, logarithm, sine, cosine and tangent functions.
2. Acquire knowledge of matrix, sequence and series, combinatory and complex numbers.
3. Identify different forms of lines and derive equations of lines and circles.
4. Apply knowledge of statistics and probability in daily life.
5. Solve the problems related to limit, continuity and derivative
6. Explain anti-derivatives as an inverse process of derivative and use them in various situations.

3. Learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content domain/ area | Learning outcomes |
|------|-------------------------|---|
| 1. | Algebra | <ul style="list-style-type: none">1.1 Define relation and function1.2 Define domain and range of a (surjective, injective and bijective) function,1.3 Find inverse function of given invertible function.1.4 Identify the types of functions (algebraic, trigonometric,exponential and logarithmic1.5 Define sequence and series.1.6 Classify sequences and series (arithmetic, geometric, harmonic).1.7 Solve the problems related to arithmetic, geometric and harmonic sequences and series.1.8 Establish relation among A.M, G. M and H.M.1.9 Find the sum of infinite geometric series.1.10 Define and apply mathematical induction.1.11 Obtain transpose of matrix and verify its properties.1.12 Calculate minors, cofactors, adjoint, determinant and inverse of a square matrix.1.13 Define a complex number and imaginary units.1.14 Solve the problems related to algebra of complex numbers.1.15 Find conjugate and absolute (modulus) value of a complex numbers and verify their properties.1.16 Express complex number in polar form.1.17 Solve the problems related to permutation and combinations.1.18 State and expand binomial theorem1.19 Identify binomial coefficients |

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| 2. | Trigonometry | <p>2.1 Define basic trigonometric ratios</p> <p>2.2 Solve the problems related to (compound, multiple/sub multiple angles and Conditional)</p> <p>2.3 Solve the problems using properties of a triangle (sine law, cosine law, tangent law, projection laws, half angle laws).</p> <p>2.4 Solve the triangle (simple cases)</p> |
| 3. | Analytic Geometry | <p>3.1 Find equation of straight lines (Parallel to axes, Slope intercept form, double intercept form and normal form, Point slope and double point formula)</p> <p>3.2 Write the condition of general equation of second degree in x and y to represent a pair of straight lines.</p> <p>3.3 Define Homogenous second-degree equation in x and y.</p> <p>3.4 Find the angles between pair of lines</p> <p>3.5 Find Bisectors of the angles between pair of lines</p> <p>3.6 Find equation of circle</p> <p>3.7 Define tangent and normal of circle and find condition of tendency of a line at a point to the circle</p> |
| 4. | Statistics and probability | <p>4.1 Define measure of dispersion</p> <p>4.2 Define and calculate range, mean deviation and quartile deviations and their coefficients</p> <p>4.3 Define and calculate standard deviation, variance, coefficient of variation</p> <p>4.4 Calculate Skewness of discrete and continuous data (Karl Pearson and Bowley)</p> <p>4.5 Calculate Correlation and coefficient (Karl Pearson)</p> <p>4.5 Define random experiment, sample space, event, equally likely cases, mutually exclusive events, exhaustive cases, favorable cases, independent and dependent events.</p> <p>4.6 Find the probability using two basic laws of probability. addition theorem of probability and Multiplication theorem of probability (independent case only)</p> <p>4.7 define Conditional Probability</p> <p>4.8 State Bayes theorem and use it in solving problems</p> |

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| 5. | Calculus | <p>5.1 Define limits of a function.</p> <p>5.2 State rules of finding limits</p> <p>5.3 Apply algebraic properties of limits.</p> <p>5.4 State basic theorems on limits of algebraic, trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic functions,</p> <p>5.5 Define and test continuity of a function.</p> <p>5.6 Define and classify discontinuity.</p> <p>5.7 Define derivative</p> <p>5.8 Differentiate the functions by using rules</p> <p>5.9 Find the derivatives, derivative of a function (algebraic, trigonometric , exponential and logarithmic)</p> <p>5.10 Define integration as reverse of differentiation.</p> <p>5.11 Evaluate the integral using basic integrals.</p> <p>5.12 Integrate by substitution and by integration by parts method.</p> <p>5.13 Definite integral as an area under the given curve,</p> <p>5.14 Find area between two curves.</p> |
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4. Scope and sequence of content

| S.N. | Content domain/area | Contents | Working hours (Th.+Pr.) |
|------|---------------------|---|-------------------------|
| 1. | Algebra | <p>1.1 Relation and Function</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Relation ● Functions (surjective, injective and bijective) ● Domain and range of function, ● Inverse function. ● Types of functions (algebraic, trigonometric, exponential, logarithmic, <p>1.2 Sequence and Series</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Arithmetic, geometric, harmonic, sequences and series and their properties | |

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● A.M, G.M, H.M and their relation, ● Sum of infinite geometric series ● Sum of finite natural numbers, ● Sum of squares of first n-natural numbers, ● Sum of cubes of first n-natural numbers, ● Principle of mathematical induction and its application. <p>1.3 Matrices and determinants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Transpose of matrix and its properties, ● Determinant of a matrix ● cofactors adjoint, inverse matrix <p>1.4 Complex number</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Definition imaginary unit, ● Algebra of complex numbers, ● Absolute value (Modulus) and conjugate of a complex numbers and their properties, ● Square root of complex number, ● Polar form of complex numbers. <p>1.5 Permutation and combination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Basic principle of counting, ● Permutation ● Permutation of a set of object all differentiate of object not on different circular arrangement repeated use of same object. ● Combination and its properties <p>1.6 Binomial Theorem</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Binomial theorem (without proof), ● general terms and binomial coefficient | 28 |
| 2. | Trigonometry | <p>2.1 Trigonometric ratios and identities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Trigonometric ratio ● Compound angles ● Multiple/sub-multiple angles | 12 |

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| | | <p>2.2 Properties of triangle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sine law, • Cosine law, • Tangent law, • Projection laws, • Half angle laws. <p>2.3 Solution of triangle (simple cases)</p> | |
| 3. | Analytic Geometry | <p>3.1 Equation of straight lines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parallel to axes, • Slope intercept form, double intercept form and normal form • Point slope form and two point form <p>3.2 Pair of straight line</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General equation of second degree in x and y. • Homogenous second degree equation in x and y, • angle between pair of line, • bisector of angle between pairs of lines <p>3.3 Circle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equations of circles • Tangent and normal to a circle. • Condition of tendency of line at a point to the circle, | 12 |
| 4. | Statistics and probability | <p>4.1 Statistics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to measure of dispersion • Range, Mean deviation, Quartile deviation and Its coefficient • Standard deviation, variance, coefficient of variation • Skewness (Karl Pearson and Bowley) • Simple Correlation and coefficient (Karl Pearson) <p>4.2 Probability:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Random experiment, sample space, events, | 16 |

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| | | equally likely events, mutually exclusive events, dependent and independent events, mathematical and empirical definition of probability, two basic laws of probability. Conditional probability, Bayes theorem and its application | |
| 5. | Calculus | <p>5.1 Limit and continuity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limit of a function, indeterminate forms, • Algebraic properties of limits (without proof), • Continuity of function, types of discontinuity <p>5.2 Derivatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Derivative of a function (definition and as a rate of change) • Derivatives of algebraic, trigonometric, exponential and logarithmic functions by definition (simple forms), • Rules of differentiation (power rule, sum rule, difference rule, chain rule, product rule, quotient rule), • Maxima and minima of algebraic function <p>5.3 Anti-derivatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anti-derivative, integration using basic integrals, integration by substitution and by parts methods, • Definite integral, use definite integral as an area under the given curve, • Area between two curves | 28 |
| Total | | | 96 |

**School must allocate separate classes for practical and project activities for students.*

5. Sample project works/practical works

1. Take a square of arbitrary measure assuming its area is one square unit. Divide it into four equal parts and shade one of them. Again take one not shaded part of that square and shade one fourth of it. Repeat the same process continuously and find the area of the shaded region.
2. Represent the binomial theorem of power 1, 2, and 3 separately by using concrete

materials and generalize it with n dimension relating with Pascal's triangle.

Prepare a model to illustrate the values of sine function and cosine function for different angles which are multiples of $\pi/2$ and π .

Verify the sine law by taking particular triangle in four quadrants.

3. Prepare a model to verify the relationship between tangent and radius of a circle at a point.
4. Take a circular object. Find its centre, radius and end points of a diameter using graph paper. Find the equation of that circle.
5. Collect the scores of grade 10 students in mathematics and English from your school.
 - a. Make separate frequency distribution with class size 10.
 - b. Which subject has more uniform/consistent result?
 - c. Make the group report and present.
6. Collect the grades obtained by 10 students of grade 11 in their final examination of English and Mathematics. Find the correlation coefficient between the grades of two subjects and analyze the result.
7. Roll two dices simultaneously 20 times and list all outcomes. Write the events that the sum of numbers on the top of both dice is a) even b) odd in all above list. Examine either they are mutually exclusive or not. Also find the probabilities of both events.
8. Find how many agriculture form will be there after 5 years in your local level by using differentiation.
9. Verify that the integration is the reverse process of differentiation with examples and curves.
10. Find the area of circular region around your school using integration.

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Teacher has to emphasis on the active learning process and on the creative solution of the exercise included in the textbook rather than teacher centered method while teaching mathematics. Students need to be encouraged to use the skills and knowledge related to mathematics in their house, neighborhood, school and daily activities. Teacher has to analyze and diagnose the weakness of the students and create appropriate learning environment to solve mathematical problems in the process of teaching learning.

The emphasis should be given to use diverse methods and techniques for learning facilitation.

However, the focus should be given to those method and techniques that promote students' active participation in the learning process. The following are some of the teaching methods that can be used to develop mathematical competencies of the students:

- Inductive and deductive method
- Problem solving method
- Case study
- Project work method
- Question answer and discussion method
- Discovery method/ use of ICT
- Co-operative learning

7. Student Assessment

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative evaluation system will be used to evaluate the learning of the students. Students should be evaluated to assess the learning achievements of the students. There are two basic purposes of evaluating students in Mathematics: first, to provide regular feedback to the students and bringing improvement in student learning-the formative purpose; and second, to identify student's learning levels for decision making.

a. Internal Examination/Assessment

Internal assessment includes classroom participation, terminal examinations, and project work/practical work (computer works and lab work) and presentation. The scores of evaluation will be used for providing feedback and to improve their learning. Individual and group works are assigned as projects.

The basis of internal assessment is as follows:

| Classroom participation | Marks from terminal examinations | project work/practical work | Total |
|--------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|--------------|
| 3 | 6 | 16 | 25 |

(i) Classroom participation

Marks for classroom participation is 3 which is given on the basis of attendance and participation of students in activities in each grade.

(ii) Marks from trimester examinations

Marks from each trimester examination will be converted into full marks 3 and calculated

total marks of two trimester in each grade.

(iii) Project work/practical work

Each Student should do at least one project work/practical work from each of five content areas and also be required to give a 15 minutes presentation for each project work and practical work in classroom. These project works/practical works will be documented in a file and will be submitted at the time of practical evaluation. Out of five projects/practical works from each area any one project work/practical work should be presented at the time of practical evaluation by student.

b. External Examination/Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination at the end of each grade. It carries 75 percent of the total weightage. The types and number questions will be as per the test specification chart developed by the Curriculum Development Centre.

Specification Grid, 2078

Grade: 12

Subject: Mathematics

Time: 3 hrs.

| SN | Content Area | Working hour (Th.) | Competency level | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Area-wise Marks | Number of Questions | | | | |
|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---|---|----|----------------------------|
| | | | Knowledge | | | | Understanding | | | | Application | | | | Higher Ability | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | MCQ | | SAQ | | MCQ | | SAQ | | LAQ | | MCQ | | SAQ | | LAQ | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | No. of Questions | Marks | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Algebra | 21 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 20 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 21 | MCQ: 3 SAQ: 2 LAQ: 1 |
| 2 | Trigonometry | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | MCQ: 5 SAQ: 4 LAQ: 1 |
| 3 | Analytic Geometry | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | MCQ: 5 SAQ: 4 LAQ: 1 |
| 4 | Statistics & Probability | 12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | MCQ: 5 SAQ: 4 LAQ: 1 |
| 5 | Calculus | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21 | MCQ: 3 SAQ: 2 LAQ: 1 |
| Total | | 72 | 12 | | | | 18 | | | | 30 | | | | 15 | | | | 75 | MCQ: 11 SAQ: 8 LAQ: 3 | | | | | | |

| Question format plan | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|---------------------------|-------------|
| S.N. | Types of Questions | Marks per question | Number of questions | | | | Total number of questions | Total Marks |
| | | | Knowledge | Understanding | Application | Higher Ability | | |
| 1. | Multiple Choice Question | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 11 |
| 2. | Short Answer Question | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 40 |
| 3. | Long Answer Question | 8 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 24 |
| Grand Total | | | 4 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 22 | 75 |

Note:

- *Appropriate extra time will be provided for the handicapped students.*
- *Questions should be prepared by giving the context and one question may have more than one sub-questions.*
- *Application and higher ability questions can be made by relating the other content areas.*
- *Questions should be made by addressing all the sub-areas of content.*
- *At least one multiple choice question should be asked from each area.*

Farm Machinery and Seed Technology

Grades: 11

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrsx: 128

1. Introduction

This course is designed to develop necessary knowledge and skills of seed production technologies of farm machinery and seed technology. This course also provides basic concepts of seed technology, seed and quality seeds; Seed growth, dormancy, germination, vigour and longevity; Principles of seed production; Types of varieties and seed production schemes etc.

This curriculum comprises of Fundamental Conceptual principles and Practices, an Introduction, Tillage, Plant protection equipment, Threshers, Farm tractors and their management, Seed technology, Seed dormancy, Principles of seed production, Seed drying, cleaning, upgrading, testing. The course itself is of practical nature and the pedagogical approaches in delivering the course should consider the balance between theory and practice. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematic.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Acquire the knowledge and skills on farm power and farm machinery
2. Define tillage
3. List out the different types of sprayers
4. Familiar with sowing, transplanting, harvesting and threshing machines
5. Explain the different types of farm machinery and understand their functions
6. Discuss the different types of farm tractor and its parts.
7. Know about general techniques of seed production
8. Be familiar with seed dormancy, its causes and breaking seed dormancy

9. Skill develop for seed sampling and testing

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------------------------------------|---|---|
| Section-A (Farm Machinery) | | |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Define farm power and farm machinery. 1.2 Explain the importance, scope as well as limitation of farm mechanization. |
| 2 | Tillage | 2.1 Define tillage with its objective and classification. 2.2 Describe different types of specialized tillage tools. |
| 3 | Plant protection equipment | 3.1 Learn about different types of plant protection equipment. |
| 4 | Threshers | 4.1 Learn about threshers and different types of threshers. |
| 5 | Farm tractors and their management | 5.1 Explain about farm tractors and learn about its management. |
| Section-B (Seed Technology) | | |
| 6 | Seed technology | 6.1 Define seed technology with its importance. 6.2 Analyze seed quality and its determinants. |
| 7 | Seed dormancy | 7.1 State meaning, causes and breaking of seed dormancy. |
| 8 | Principles of seed production | 8.1 Illustrate the principle of seed production. 8.2 Explain about breeder's seed production and hybrid seed production. |
| 9 | Seed drying, cleaning, upgrading, testing | 9.1 Explain the methods and procedures of seed drying cleaning, upgrading and seed testing. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Section-A (Farm Machinery) | | | |
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| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Meaning and concept of farm power and machinery 1.2 Importance and scope of farm machinery 1.3 types of farm machinery(tillage machinery, harvester, threshers, grading and seed processing machine, seeding and sowing machine) 1.4 Limitations of farm mechanization | 4 |

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| 2 | Tillage | 2.1 Definition, objectives and classification of tillage 2.2 Specialized tillage tools (MB plough, Disc plough, Harrow, Rotavator, Cultivator) 2.3 Trans planter | 7 |
| 3 | Plant protection equipments | 3.1 sprayers and its types 3.1.1 Hand sprayer 3.1.2 Knapsack Sprayer 3.1.3 Foot-operated sprayer 3.2 Duster and its types 3.3 Care and maintenance of sprayers and dusters | 8 |
| 4 | Harvesters and Threshers | 4.1 Introduction to harvester and thresher 4.2 Threshing methods 4.3 Types of threshers (Paddle-operated, Power thresher) 4.4 Combined harvester | 6 |
| 5 | Farm tractors and their management | 5.1 Tractors and its types 5.2 Care and maintenance of tractor | 4 |
| Section-B (Seed Technology) | | | |
| 6 | Seed technology | 6.1 Definition of seed , seed technology 6.2 Difference between seed and grain 6.3 Importance and scope of seed and Seed technology 6.4 Seed quality and its determinants 6.5 Types of seeds 6.6 Classification of seed in Nepal(Nucleus, Breeder, foundation, certified, improve) | 8 |
| 7 | Seed dormancy | 7.1 Meaning, causes and breaking of seed dormancy | 4 |
| 8 | Principles of seed production | 8.1 Genetic and agronomic principles of seed production 8.2 Principles and schemes of nucleus, breeder's and foundation seed production 8.3 Hybrid seed production | 10 |

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| 9 | Seed drying, cleaning, upgrading, testing | 9.1 Methods and procedures of seed drying cleaning, grading and seed testing | 8 |
| 10. | Seed certification | 10.1 Procedure of seed certification in Nepal | 5 |
| TOTAL | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical and project works are integral parts of reinforcing the students' learning. So the new curriculum provisions the practical and projects works as a part of curriculum. Some of the sample practical and project works are suggested herewith. However, a teacher can adapt them or use similar other project works as per their students need and specific context.

| S.N. | Grade 11 | | |
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| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| Section-A (Farm Machinery) | | | |
| 1 | Tillage | 1.1 Identification of parts of MB Plough, Disc Plough, Harrow, Rotavator, Cultivator | 12 |
| 2 | Plant protection equipment | 2.1 Identification of parts of Knapsack Sprayer, Foot-Operated Sprayer and Duster | 10 |
| 3 | Threshers | 3.1 Identification of parts of Paddle operated & Power thresher | 9 |
| 4 | Farm tractors and their management | 4.1 Identification of parts of farm Tractor | 8 |
| Section-B (Seed Technology) | | | |
| 5 | Seed technology | 5.1 Identification of seeds of various field crops in laboratory | 5 |
| 6 | Principles of seed production | 6.1 Seed purity test in laboratory | 5 |
| | | 6.2 Visit to the National Maize Research Program (Rampur), Rice research Program (Hardinath), National Wheat Research Program (Bhairahawa) and National Grain Legumes Research Program (Nepalgunj) and study their seed multiplication activities | 3 |

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| 7 | Seed drying, cleaning, upgrading, testing | 7.1 Seed viability and moisture testing in laboratory | 7 |
| | | 7.2 Seed germination test in laboratory and field | 5 |
| | Total | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

Learning facilitation process is determined according to the content to be dealt in the subject. It's also an art of teacher. The teacher should utilize such teaching methods and techniques that are appropriate to the contents and needs of the students. In facilitating the course, various approaches, methods and techniques are used. To be particular, the following major methods and strategies are used in this subject:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Project works
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Exhibition method
- Case study
- Practical works
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing
- Group works and individual works

7. Student Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation covers 50 Percent weightage. Internal evaluation consists of Practical

Activities (Practical works and projects works) (35 Percent), (b) Marks from trimester examinations (10 Percent), and (c) Classroom participation (5 Percent). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Mani activities | Activities in detail | Percent |
|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1 | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2 | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- (i) Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- (ii) Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

(b) External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 11

Subject: Farm Machinery and Seed Technology

Time: 2 hrs

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|---|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 2 |
| 2 | Tillage | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 3 | Plant protection equipments | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 4 | Harvesters and Threshers | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 5 | Farm tractors and their management | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 6 | Seed technology | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 7 | Seed dormancy | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 8 | Principles of seed production | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 9 | Seed drying, cleaning, upgrading, testing | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 10 | Seed certification | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Soil Fertility and Nutrient Management

Grades: 11

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This syllabus aims to provide knowledge and skills of soil and soil fertility management and also soil conservation techniques. This syllabus also helps to provide information about function and deficiency symptoms of plants nutrients and their sources.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, soil acidity and liming, nutrition, soil conservation, soil pollution and environmental studies. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Acquire general knowledge of soil fertility and productivity.
2. Be familiar with the methods to determine the soil PH and practice on soil improvement.
3. Comprehend the methods of applying chemical fertilizers in right time and dose
4. Be able to prepare and protect farm yard manure, compost, and green manure and bio fertilizer.
5. Obtain knowledge and skills on soil erosion and its control
6. Acquire knowledge on soil pollution and environmental issues

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|--------------|--|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Contrast on problem of soil fertility, plant nutrient. |

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| 2 | Soil acidity and liming | 2.1 Explain the source of soil acidity. 2.2 Point out the reason for soil acidity. |
| 3 | Nutrition | 3.1 Describe about soil nutrients and essential elements. 3.2 3.1 Explain about organic and inorganic source of nutrients. 3.3 Explain about organic manure, chemical fertilizer and organic fertilizer. 3.4 Analyze the concept and importance of INM. |
| 4 | Soil conservation | 4.1 Define soil conservation, soil erosion. 4.2 Illustrate causes and remedy for soil erosion. |
| 5 | Soil pollution | 5.1 Illustrate the concept and meaning of soil pollution. 5.2 Explain the behavior of pesticides and inorganic contamination. 5.3 Point out the Prevention and mitigation of soil pollution. |
| 6 | Environmental studies | 5.1 State the concept and meaning of environmental studies. 5.2 Explain the role of individual in conservation resources. 5.3 Perform judicious use of resources for sustainable agriculture and development. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------|--|------|
| 1. | Introduction | 1.1. Soil fertility and productivity 1.2. Problem of soil fertility in Nepal 1.3. Fertility status of soil in Nepal 1.4. Concept of plant nutrient 1.5. Basic terminology: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infiltration &run-off • Ground water movement • Irrigation and drainage • Wetland soil • Leaching • Field capacity | 9 |

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| 2. | Soil acidity and liming | <p>2.1 Source of soil acidity</p> <p>2.2 Reason of soil acidity</p> <p>2.3 Liming materials and their use</p> <p>2.4 Factor affecting lime relation in soil</p> <p>2.5 Soil salinity</p> | 10 |
| 3. | Nutrition | <p>3.1 Introduction to plant and soil nutrition with nutrients and their functions</p> <p>3.2 Essential elements and their categories according to plant's need: Primary, secondary and trace</p> <p>3.3 Function and deficiency symptoms of essential elements in plants</p> <p>3.4 Source of nutrients:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organic and inorganic sources <p>3.4.1 Organic manure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concept, importance and scope • Types and method of preparation • Nutritional value of different organic manures <p>3.4.2 Chemical fertilizers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concept and importance • Types of chemical fertilizer: Nitrogenous, Phosphoric, Potassium <p>3.4.3 Organic fertilizers: Bio-fertilizer</p> <p>3.5 Integrated nutrient management: Concept and importance</p> | 20 |
| 4. | Soil conservation | <p>4.1 Introduction to soil conservation</p> <p>4.2 Definition of soil erosion and its type</p> <p>4.3 Causes of soil erosion</p> <p>4.4 Soil erosion and crop production</p> <p>4.5 Importance of soil conservation on soil fertility</p> <p>4.6 Practices for soil conservation: Organic farming, counter farming; Terracing; run-off control; cover crops or strip crop; conservation tillage, crop rotation following</p> | 11 |

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|----|-----------------------|---|----|
| 5. | Soil pollution | 5.1 Concept and meaning 5.2 Behavior of pesticides and inorganic contamination 5.3 Prevention and mitigation of soil pollution 5.4 Organic farming for healthy soil | 6 |
| 6. | Environmental studies | 6.1 Concept and meaning 6.2 Importance of environmental science 6.3 Role of individual in conservation of natural resources 6.4 Judicious use of resources for sustainable agriculture and development 6.5 Organic agriculture for environmental health | 8 |
| | | TOTAL | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

Practical and project work is an integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the basic and fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more relevant to their context and students' needs.

| S.N. | Grade 11 | | |
|------|-------------------------|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Collect and prepare soil samples for analysis | 6 |
| | | 1.2 Identify various tools and chemicals used in soil analysis | 7 |
| | | 1.3 Visit surrounding area to identify soil profiles | 8 |
| | | 1.4 Determine soil texture by feel method | 3 |
| 2 | Soil acidity and liming | 2.1 Determine soil pH using pH meter & pH paper method | 4 |
| 3 | Nutrition | 3.1 Visualize soil health visually analyze soil using kit box | 8 |
| | | 3.2 Identify different manures and fertilizers available | 3 |
| | | 3.3 Preparation of manures: FYM and various types of Compost | 10 |
| | | 3.4 Calculation of the amount of chemical fertilizers based on recommended dose | 4 |

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| 4 | Environmental studies | 4.1 Field visit to observe and learn counter plowing and terracing practices | 11 |
| | Total | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

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(a) Internal Evaluation

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Activities (Practical works and projects works) (35 Percent), (b) Marks from trimester examinations (10 Percent), and (c) Classroom participation (5 Percent). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

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| 2 | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 6 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

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(b) External Evaluation

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Specification Grid

Grade: 11

Subject: Soil Fertility and Nutrient Management

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 9 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 6 |
| 2 | Soil acidity and liming | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 3 | Nutrition | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 19 |
| 4 | Soil conservation | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 5 | Soil pollution | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| 6 | Environmental studies | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Commercial Fruit Crop Production and Post-Harvest Technology

Grades: 11

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This course provides basic knowledge on importance, scope and types of fruit crops in Nepal. It is designed to develop necessary skills and knowledge of horticultural techniques required for general orchard management related to fruit production. Similarly this course also provides basic knowledge on postharvest physiology handling and storage of the fresh produces, processing and preservation.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, climate, orchard management, cultivation of fruit crops, post-harvest, maturity judgment and harvesting, processing and preservation of horticultural crops. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematic.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. State the meaning and definition of horticulture and its branches.
2. Understand climatic factors and impact on fruits crops
3. Plan, organize and establish a new orchard.
4. Perform intercultural operations in fruit garden
5. Demonstrate the techniques of training and pruning fruit trees.
6. State the principle of post-harvest technology.

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|--|---|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 State the meaning and definition of horticulture and its branches. 1.2 Explain the importance and scope of horticulture. 1.3 Point out the types of fruit crops found in Nepal. 1.4 Identification and exploring of local indigenous fruits crops. |
| 2 | Orchard management | 2.1 Define orchard. 2.2 Perform orchard layout. 2.3 Explain the factors to be considered while establishing orchard. |
| 3 | Cultivation of fruit crops | 3.1 Describe about the cultivation practices of fruits grown in tropical, sub-tropical and temperate regions of Nepal. |
| 4 | Maturity judgment and harvesting | 4.1 Point out the appropriate time for harvesting fruits. 4.2 Perform fungicide treatment, smoking, sulphuring. 4.3 Perform packaging and transportation of fruits. |
| 5 | Post-harvest | 5.1 Define postharvest. 5.2 Explain about the importance and scope of post harvest. 5.3 State the principle of post harvest technology. |
| 6 | Processing and preservation of horticultural crops | 6.1 State the principle and practices of processing and preservation of fruits. 6.2 Perform canning and bottling of fruits. 6.3 Explain about the organic means of processing and preservation. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------|--|------|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Definition of pomology 1.2 importance, scope and constraints of fruits production in Nepal 1.3 Commercial horticulture and fruits eco-zones in Nepal | 6 |

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|---|----------------------------|--|----|
| 2 | Orchard management | <p>2.1 Introductiontoorchard</p> <p>2.2 Orchard layout</p> <p>2.3 Factors considered while establishing orchard:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate and weather • Soil types and soil fertility • Irrigation facilities • Soil water conservation • Inputs availability • Availability of labour • Transport facilities • Marketing and storage facilities • Establishing organic orchards | 9 |
| 3 | Cultivation of fruit crops | <p>3.1 Cultivation of following fruit crops considering : Area production and productivity, climate, soil, propagation, cultivars, nutrition, training and pruning, cultural operation, pest management, fruiting, harvesting, post-harvest handling and marketing of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Tropical fruits: Mango, litchi, banana, papaya ● Sub-tropical fruit: Citrus ● (Mandarin orange, Sweet orange, Lime, Lemon, Pomegranate, Kiwi, Avocado) ● Temperate fruit: Apple, pear, strawberry, Almond, Walnut, Grape | 32 |

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| 4 | Maturity judgment and harvesting | 4.1 Appropriate time and methods of harvesting or maturity indices of different fruits and vegetables 4.2 Grading 4.3 Labelling 4.4 Flowering regulation (Fungicide treatment, smoking, sulphuring) 4.3 Packaging and transportation 4.6 Marketing | 6 |
| 5 | Post harvest | 5.1 Definition and meaning of post-harvest in fruits 5.2 Importance and scope of post-harvest 5.3 Principle of post-harvest technology | 6 |
| 6 | Processing and preservation of horticultural crops | 6.1 Principle and practices of processing and preservation 6.2 Practices of canning and bottling 6.3 Preservation by adding of sugar, salt and other preservatives 6.4 Addition of colour and flavor | 5 |
| | Total | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. Similarly, involving in a project work fosters the self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. As this subject emphasizes to develop both theoretical and practical knowledge and skills, some of the practical and project works are suggested for the students. However, the tasks presented here are the samples only. A teacher can assign the extra practical and project works as per the students' need or specific context.

| S.N. | Grade 11 | | |
|------|--------------|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Identify fruit crops | 3 |
| | | 1.2 Identify horticultural tools/ equipment | 4 |

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| 2 | Orchard management | 2.1 Lay-out the orchard | 9 |
| | | 2.2 Perform digging and filling of pits and planting of fruits | 10 |
| | | 2.3 Perform Training and pruning of fruit and plantation crops | 9 |
| 3 | Cultivation of fruit crops | 3.1 Manuring practices of orchard | |
| | | 3.2 Plant protection in orchards | |
| 4 | Maturity judgment and harvesting | 4.1 Judge the maturity of fruit crops | 6 |
| 5 | Processing and preservation of horticultural crops | 5.1 Harvesting and Grading of the Fruits | 5 |
| | | 5.2 Perform Packaging of Fruits | 7 |
| | | 5.3 Practice Preparing of Jam, Jelly or marmalade | 11 |
| | Total | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course aims to blend both theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge and skills required in the subject. So, its facilitation process differs from the traditional method of delivery. The practical aspect is much more focused. So, methods and strategies that enable the practical skills in the students are much used in course of content facilitation. A facilitator encourages and assists students to learn for themselves engaging in different activities with practical tasks. To achieve the entire objectives from this syllabus, the teacher must use different techniques and process while teaching. In particular, the teacher can make use of the following methods and strategies for the learning facilitation:

- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Classroom instruction
- Exhibition method
- Group works and individual works
- Project works
- Case study
- Practical works
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing

7. Student Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

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(a) Internal Evaluation

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| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
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Note:

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Specification Grid

Grade: 11

Subject: Commercial Fruit Crop Production and Post-Harvest Technology

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|--|-------------|--------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
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| 1 | Introduction | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 5 |
| 2 | Orchard management | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 3 | Cultivation of fruit crops | 32 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 22 |
| 4 | Maturity judgment and harvesting | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 5 | Post harvest | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 6 | Processing and preservation of horticultural crops | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| | Total | 64 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Agricultural Entomology

Grades: 11

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

The syllabus of agricultural entomology helps in the assessment of benefits or losses caused by that species. This syllabus also helps to assess crop losses and attribute the losses to a specific cause (e.g., the attack of a pest).

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, insects, protection measures against insect pests, major insect pests of agronomical crops and major insect pest of horticultural crops. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Acquire the general knowledge of insects found in Agronomical crops.
2. Familiar with the major insects with their morphological characters.
3. Acquire the knowledge and skills on managing insect pests.
4. Familiar with IPM and OPM
5. Classify different insects of agronomical crops.

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S. N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|-------|--------------|---|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Define agricultural entomology. 1.2 State its importance and scope of agricultural entomology. |

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| 2 | Insects | 2.1 State the general characteristics of insects. 2.2 Classify insects. 2.3 Illustrate the feeding habits of insects. 2.4 Explain the general life cycle of insects. 2.5 Differentiate between harmful and beneficial insects. |
| 3 | Protection measures against insect pests | 3.1 Explain about physical, mechanical, cultural, biological methods of insect pest control. 3.2 Contrast on IPM and OPM. |
| 4 | Major insect pests of agronomical crops | 4.1 Explain about major insect pests of cereal, leguminous, oil seeds. |
| 5 | Major insect pest of horticultural crops | 5.1 Explain about major insect pests of vegetables, fruits and flowers. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Contents | Hrs. |
|------|--|--|------|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Definition, importance and scope of agricultural entomology | 5 |
| 2 | Insects | 2.1 General characteristics of insects 2.2 Insect classification 2.3 Harmful and beneficial insects | 5 |
| 3 | Protection measures against insect pests | 3.1 Physical method 3.2 Mechanical method 3.3 Cultural method 3.4 Biological method 3.5 Genetic method/use of resistant varieties 3.6 Regulatory method 3.7 Chemical method 3.8 Integrated pest management (IPM) 3.9 Organic pest management (OPM) | 14 |

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|---|--|---|-----------|
| 4 | Major insectpestsof agronomical crops | <p>4.1 Cereal crops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rice • Wheat • Maize <p>4.2 Leguminous Crop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lentil • Chickpea • Blackgram • Soyabean <p>4.3 Oilseedcrops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mustard and rapeseed • Groundnut • Sunflower | 15 |
| 5 | Major insect pest of horticultural crops | <p>5.1 Vegetables</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solanaceous crops(Potato, Tomato, Chilli, Brinjal) • Cole crops (Cauliflower, Cabbage, Broccoli) • Cucurbitaceous crops (Cucumber, Spongegourd, Bitter gourd, Pointed gourd) <p>5.2 Fruit crops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tropicalfruits(Mango, Litchi, Papaya, Banana) • Sub-tropicalfruits(Citrus,pomegranate, Kiwi) • Temperatefruits(apple, grapes, strawberry) <p>5.3 Floriculture</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major cut flowers(Gladiolus, Carnation,Rose, Gerbera, Orchid) | 25 |
| | | TOTAL | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical and project works are integral parts of reinforcing the students' learning. So the new curriculum provisions the practical and projects works as a part of curriculum.

Some of the sample practical and project works are suggested herewith. However, a teacher can adapt them or use similar other project works as per their students need and specific context.

| S.N. | Grade 11 | | |
|------|--|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Insects | 1.1 General features of insects | 5 |
| | | 1.2 Identification of insects and their feeding habits/ mouth parts | 5 |
| 2 | Protection measures against insect pests | 2.1 Identification, collection and preservation of insects and crop parts damaged | 12 |
| | | 2.2 Preparation of Botanical Pesticides | 10 |
| 3 | Major insectpestsof agronomical crops | 3.1 Identification of common insects pests of field crops | 10 |
| | | 3.2 Precaution and safe use of pesticides, and their safe disposal | 5 |
| 4 | Major insect pest of horticultural crops | 4.1 Common pesticides available in Nepal and their label, meaning and use | 5 |
| | | 4.2 Collection and preservation of insects | 12 |
| | Total | | 64 |

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Specification Grid

Grade: 11

Subject: Agricultural Entomology

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|--|-------------|--------------------------|----------|----------|-------------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 5 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 5 |
| 2 | Insects | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 3 | Protection measures against insect pests | 14 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 |
| 5 | Major insect pest of horticultural crops | 25 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| | Total | 64 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Industrial Crop Production

Grades: 12

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This course provides the theoretical knowledge as well as practical skills to the students in industrial crop production. This syllabus also provides the concept on cultivation practices of various industrial crops.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, cultivation practices of sugarcane and tobacco, cultivation practices of cotton and jute, cultivation practices of tea and coffee, cultivation practices of coriander and cardamom and cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

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2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Identify economically important crops with respect to the geographical distribution in Nepal and in the world.
2. Explain the uses and importance industrial, plantation and cash crops in Nepal and in the world.
3. Identify the comparative advantages of different industrial and cash crops of Nepal.
4. Identify the seeds of different industrial and plantation crops.
5. Discuss about the cultivation practices of industrial and plantation crops including the measures of pest management.
6. Point out steps in processing, drying of cardamom and ginger

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|--|--|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Introduced about cash crops with its advantages. |
| 2 | Cultivation practices of sugarcane and tobacco | 2.1 Discuss about the cultivation practice of sugarcane and tobacco. |
| 3 | Cultivation practices of cotton and jute | 3.1 Perform cultivation practice of cotton and jute. |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of tea and coffee | 4.1 Demonstrate the cultivation practice of tea and coffee. |
| 5 | Cultivation practices cardamom | 5.1 Perform cultivation practice of cardamom. |
| 6 | Cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric | 6.1 Perform cultivation practice of ginger and turmeric. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--|--|------|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Meaning and concept of cash crops and industrial crops 1.2 Importance and scope of cash crops and industrial crops 1.3 Geographical distribution of cash crops and industrial crops 1.4 Comparative advantages with other crops | 6 |
| 2 | Cultivation practices of sugarcane and tobacco | 2.1 Study of sugarcane and tobacco in relation to its uses, economic importance, distribution, area of production, productivity, origin, climate, soil, varieties, land preparation, manure and fertilizers, seed treatment, time and method of raising nursery bed, transplanting, irrigation, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvesting, processing, yield and storage, trade and marketing | 10 |
| 3 | Cultivation practices of cotton and jute | 3.1 Cultivation of cotton and jute related to its uses, economic importance, distribution, area of production, productivity, origin, climate, soil, varieties, land preparation, manure and fertilizers, seed treatment, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvesting, threshing, processing, cleaning, yield, economic benefit and storage, trade and marketing | 13 |

| | | | |
|-------|--|---|----|
| 4 | Cultivation practices of tea and coffee | 4.1 Cultivation practices of tea and coffee related to its uses, economic importance, distribution, area of production, productivity, origin, climate, soil, varieties, land preparation, manure and fertilizers, seed treatment, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvesting, threshing, cleaning, processing, yield, economic benefit and storage. 4.2 Concept of Organic tea and coffee production | 13 |
| 5 | Cultivation practices of cardamom | 5.1 Cultivation practices of coriander and cardamom related to its uses, economic importance, distribution, area of production, productivity, origin, climate, soil, varieties, land preparation, manure and fertilizers, seed treatment, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvesting, threshing, cleaning, yield, economic benefit and storage, trade and marketing | 8 |
| 6 | Cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric | 6.1 Cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric related to its uses, economic importance, distribution, area of production, productivity, origin, climate, soil, varieties, land preparation, manure and fertilizers, seed treatment, time and method of sowing, irrigation, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvesting, threshing, processing, cleaning, yield, economic benefit and storage, and 6.2 Concept of Organic spices farming | 14 |
| TOTAL | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

Practical and project work is an integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the basic and fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more relevant to their context and students' needs.

| Unit | Grade 12 | | |
|------|---|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Identification and collection of different seeds and seeding materials of industrial and cash crops | 10 |
| | | 1.2 Identification, collection, preservation of weeds growing with different field crops and weeding. | 12 |
| | | 1.3 Identification, calculation of doses and application of different insecticides, fungicides and herbicides in the field. | 6 |
| | | 1.4 Preparation and use of bio-pesticides in the locality | 6 |
| | | 1.5 Field preparation, sowing of seeds, identify the maturity of crops, harvest, thresh, clean and store different field crops appropriately | 10 |
| 2 | Cultivation practices of coriander and cardamom | 2.1 Identification and collection of different seeds of spices crops | 10 |
| 3 | Cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric | 3.1 Identification, calculation of the amount, and application of fertilizers (including manures and biofertilizers) for different field crops properly | 10 |
| | Total | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

Learning facilitation process is determined according to the content to be dealt in the subject. It's also an art of teacher. The teacher should utilize such teaching methods and techniques that are appropriate to the contents and needs of the students. In facilitating the course, various approaches, methods and techniques are used. To be particular, the following major methods and strategies are used in this subject:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Exhibition method
- Group works and individual works

- Project works
- Practical works
- Case study
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing

7. Student Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

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|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1 | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2 | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- (i) Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- (ii) Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

(b) External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 12

Subject: Industrial Crop Production

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|-------|--|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 6 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 6 |
| 2 | Cultivation practices of sugarcane and tobacco | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| 3 | Cultivation practices of sugarcane and tobacco | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of tea and coffee | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| 5 | Cultivation practices of cardamom | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| 6 | Cultivation practices of ginger and turmeric | 14 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| Total | | 64 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Plant Pathology and Mushroom Production

Grades: 12

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This syllabus helps to provide the concepts of plant pathogens, their characteristics and principle of management. Plant pathology helps to studies the causes of plant diseases, the mechanisms by which diseases develop in individual plants and in plant populations, and the ways and means by which plant diseases can be managed or controlled. Similarly this course consists of knowledge and skills related to commercial mushroom production and marketing. It gives detail knowledge of appropriate cultivation practices of commercial mushroom production and marketing in Nepal.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, major diseases of agronomical crops, major diseases of horticultural crops, mushrooms, cultivation practices of mushroom. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Explain about the scope and importance of plant pathology and mushroom production
2. Identify different types of diseases with their symptom and management measures.
3. Differentiate between edible and mushrooms
4. Cultivate different types of mushroom.
5. Practice Organic mushroom production

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| Section-A (Plant Pathology) | | |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Define plant pathology. 1.2 Illustrate importance, scope and objective of plant pathology. 1.3 Classify plant disease. 1.4 State disease triangle. |
| 2 | Major diseases of agronomical crops | 2.1 Contrast major disease of cereals, leguminous, oilseeds and their management. |
| 3 | Major diseases of horticultural crops | 3.1 Contrast major disease of vegetables, fruits and flowers and their management. |
| Section-B (Mushroom Production) | | |
| 4 | Introduction | 4.1 Point out the importance and scope of mushroom production in Nepal. 4.2 Illustrate different types of mushrooms. 4.3 Identify edible and poisonous mushrooms. |
| 5 | Cultivation practices of mushroom | 5.1 Perform cultivation of button, oyster mushroom, paddy straw, gyanoderma and shitake mushrooms. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Section-A (Plant Pathology) | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|------|
| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Definition, meaning and concept of plant pathology/ plant disease 1.2 Importance, scope and objective of plant pathology 1.3 Related terminology 1.4 Classification of plant diseases 1.5 Disease triangle | 4 |
| 2 | Major diseases of agronomical crops | 2.1 Cereal crops <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rice • Wheat • Maize 2.2 Leguminous crops | 15 |

| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lentil • Chickpea • Blackgram <p>2.3 Oilseed crops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mustard • Groundnut | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|------|
| 3 | Major diseases of horticultural crops | <p>3.1 Vegetables</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Solanaceous crops (Potato, Tomato, Chilli, Brinjal) • Cole crops(Cauliflower, Cabbage, Broccoli) • Cucurbitaceous crops (Cucumber, Sponge gourd, Bitter gourd, Pointed gourd) <p>3.2 Fruit crops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tropical fruits(Mango, Litchi, Papaya, Banana) • Sub-tropical fruits(Citrus, pomegranate, Kiwi) • Temperate fruits (apple, grapes, strawberry) <p>3.3 Floriculture</p> <p>Major cut-flowers(Gladiolus, Carnation, Rose, Gerbera, Orchid)</p> | 15 |
| Section-B (Mushroom Production) | | | |
| Unit | Objective | Content | Hrs. |
| 4 | Mushrooms | <p>4.1 Importance and scope of mushroom production</p> <p>4.2 Types of mushroom</p> <p>4.3 Characteristics and identification of edible and poisons mushroom</p> <p>4.4 Spawn production</p> | 5 |
| 5 | Cultivation practices of mushroom | <p>5.1 Button mushroom</p> <p>5.2 Oyster mushroom</p> <p>5.3 Paddy straw mushroom</p> <p>5.4 Oyster mushroom</p> <p>5.5 Gyanodarma and Shiitake mushrooms</p> | 20 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----------|
| 6 | Disease and pest of mushroom and their management | 6.1 Fungal disease 6.2 Bacterial disease 6.3 Viral disease 6.4 Insect pest 6.5 Nematode | 5 |
| | | TOTAL | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical work that students do during their course is aimed at providing them learning opportunities to accomplish competency of the curriculum as well as reinforcing their learning of the theoretical subject content. Similarly, involving in a project work fosters the self-learning of students in the both theoretical and practical contents. As this subject emphasizes to develop both theoretical and practical knowledge and skills, some of the practical and project works are suggested for the students. However, the tasks presented here are the samples only. A teacher can assign the extra practical and project works as per the students' need or specific context.

| Unit | Grade 12 | | |
|------|--|--|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| | Section-A (Plant Pathology) | | |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Plant disease classification | 5 |
| 2 | Major diseases of agronomical crops | 2.1 Identification of plant protection equipment and tools with its common functions and uses. | 6 |
| 3 | Major diseases of horticultural crops | 3.1 Identification of characteristics of diseases symptoms | 3 |
| | | 3.2 Control measures of common diseases | 3 |
| | | 3.3 Managing diseases with organic means | 3 |
| | Section-B (Mushroom Production) | | |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of mushroom | 4.1 Preparation of mushroom compost | 8 |
| | | 4.2 Spawn inoculation procedures | 9 |
| | | 4.3 Cultivation of different types of mushroom i.e. Button Mushroom, Paddy Straw, Oyster, Gyanodarma and Shiitake Mushroom | 16 |
| | | 4.4 Insects pests and diseases of mushroom OPM in mushroom | 3 |

| | | | |
|--|-------|--|---|
| | | 4.5 Harvesting, processing and marketing of mushroom | 3 |
| | | 4.6 Visit mushroom farm at nearby location | 5 |
| | Total | | |

6. Learning Facilitation Method and Process

Learning facilitation process is the crux of the teaching and learning activity. One topic can be facilitated through two or more than two methods or processes. The degree of usage will be based on the nature of the content to be facilitated. However, a teacher should focus on methods and techniques that are more students centered and appropriate to facilitate the content. The following facilitation methods, techniques and strategies will be applied while conducting the teaching learning process:

- Classroom instruction
- Demonstration and observation
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Exhibition method
- Group works and individual works
- Project works
- Practical works
- Case study
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing

7. Student Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

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| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 5 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

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Specification Grid

Grade: 12

Subject: Plant Pathology and Mushroom Production

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks | | | | |
|------|---|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|--|--|--|----|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | | | | | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 1 | | | | |
| 2 | Major diseases of agronomical crops | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 |
| 3 | Major diseases of horticultural crops | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 4 | Mushrooms | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 5 | Cultivation practices of mushroom | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| 6 | Disease and pest of mushroom and their management | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| | Total | 64 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 | | | | |

Agri-Economics

Grades: 12

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This syllabus helps to provide the better understanding of economic theories related to production, consumption, distribution and welfare. This syllabus also provides the concepts of economic terms, laws of demand and supply, market structure and price analysis etc.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, basic concept of firms, plant and industry, introduction to farm management, principles involved in farm management decisions, farm inventory and records keeping, Farm planning, farm budgeting and designing organic farms, value chain analysis: concept, mapping and approaches and concept of cooperatives. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum has been offered as per the structure of National Curriculum Framework 2076. It provides a comprehensive outline of level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes and scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematic.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Explain/familiarize with different technologies related to economics and farm management.
2. Manage farm and help to take the decision in agricultural production
3. Prepare farm inventory and farm records
4. Familiar with value chain development of agricultural commodities for commercialization
5. Explain the role of cooperative in different stages value chain development such as production, processing, distribution and consumption of agricultural commodities for sustainable agricultural commercialization.
6. Carry out farm budgeting.

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|---|--|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Define agri-economics 1.2 Illustrate the importance and scope of agri-economics |
| 2 | Basic concept of firms, plant and industry | 2.1 State the concept of firms, plant and industry 2.2 Contrast the interrelationship between firm plant and industry |
| 3 | Introduction to farm management | 3.1 Define farm management and farm resources 3.2 Explain about the production factors |
| 4 | Principals involved in farm management decisions | 4.1 Explain the production function and its stages. 4.2 State the principle of diminishing return 4.3 State cost principle 4.4 State principle of substitution, combining enterprises, equilibrium return, comparative advantage and time comparison. |
| 5 | Farm inventory and records keeping | 5.1 Perform farm record keeping 5.2 Perform calculation depreciation 5.3 Perform balance sheet 5.4 Contrast on income statement and cash flow statement. |
| 6 | Farm planning, farm budgeting and designing organic farms | 6.1 State the principles and characteristics of farm planning techniques 6.2 Contrast on enterprise budgeting, partial budgeting, and complete budgeting |
| 7 | Value chain analysis: concept, mapping and approaches | 7.1 Explain about value chain analysis |
| 8 | Concept of cooperatives | 8.1 Define cooperative 8.2 Explain about organization 8.3 Point out the role of cooperative in commercial farming |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--|---|------|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Definition of economics: Adam Smith, Marshall and Robinson 1.2 Subject matter and nature of economics 1.3 Definition and concept of agri-economics 1.4 Importance and scope of agri-economics | 4 |
| 2 | Basic concepts | 2.1 Goods 2.2 Utility 2.3 Value and wealth 2.4 Equilibrium 2.5 Margin 2.6 cost 2.7 Market structures 2.7.1 Market forms 2.7.2 Characteristics 2.8 Law of demand and law of supply 2.9 Factors affecting demand and supply | 8 |
| 3 | Introduction to farm management | 3.1 Definition and scope 3.2 Objective of farm <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Management • Production factor (land, labor, capital, management) • Production function and its stages | 5 |
| 4 | Principals involved in farm management decisions | 4.1 Principle of diminishing marginal utility 4.2 Cost principle 4.3 Principle of substitution 4.4 Principle of combining enterprises 4.5 Principle of equilibrium return 4.6 Principle of comparative advantage 4.7 Principle of time comparison | 11 |

| | | | |
|-------|---|--|-----------|
| 5 | Farm inventory and records keeping | 5.1 Farm records keeping 5.2 Calculation depreciation 5.3 Balance sheet 5.4 Income statement 5.5 Cash flow statement 5.6 profit-Loss statement. | 9 |
| 6 | Farm planning, farm budgeting and designing organic farms | 6.1 Principles and characteristics of farm planning techniques(farm planning) 6.2 Enterprise budgeting 6.3 Partial budgeting 6.4 Complete budgeting 6.5 Steps in farm planning and budgeting | 9 |
| 7 | Value chain analysis: concept, mapping and approaches | 7.1 Value chain analysis: Concept, mapping and approaches 7.2 Value chain analysis of some high value commodities (Vegetables, Fruits, Livestock and high value crops) | 10 |
| 8 | Concept of cooperatives | 8.1 Definition 8.2 Organization/ structures 8.3 Roles of Cooperative in commercial farming 8.4 Cooperatives laws and by- laws | 8 |
| Total | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

The practical and project works are integral parts of reinforcing the students' learning. So the new curriculum provisions the practical and projects works as a part of curriculum. Some of the sample practical and project works are suggested herewith. However, a teacher can adapt them or use similar other project works as per their students need and specific context.

| S.N. | Grade 12 | | |
|------|------------------------------------|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Farm inventory and records keeping | 1.1 Farm record keeping and preparation of farm inventory | 10 |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|----|
| | | 1.2 Preparation of Balance Sheet of a farm | 5 |
| | | 1.3 Preparation of Income Statement of farm | 5 |
| | | 1.4 Preparation and analysis of profit and loss statement – A case study | 10 |
| 2 | Farm planning, farm budgeting and designing organic farms | 2.1 Analysis of backward and forward linkages of major agricultural products | 14 |
| | | 2.2 Determination of optimum input use and maximization of profit using one input | |
| | | 2.3 Least cost combination of inputs | 5 |
| 3 | Value chain analysis: concept, mapping and approaches | 3.1 Analysis of production chain, market chain and supply in value chain development in agribusiness management | 10 |
| | | 3.2 Value chain mapping of major agricultural subsectors | 5 |
| | | Total | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course aims to blend both theoretical and practical aspects of knowledge and skills required in the subject. So, its facilitation process differs from the traditional method of delivery. The practical aspect is much more focused. So, methods and strategies that enable the practical skills in the students are much used in course of content facilitation. A facilitator encourages and assists students to learn for themselves engaging in different activities with practical tasks. To achieve the entire objectives from this syllabus, the teacher must use different techniques and process while teaching. In particular, the teacher can make use of the following methods and strategies for the learning facilitation:

- Demonstration and observation
- Classroom instruction
- Practical works
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Group works and individual works
- Project works
- Case study
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing

7. Student Evaluation

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Specification Grid

Grade: 12

Subject: Agri-Economics

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|---|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 2 | Basic concepts | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 3 | Introduction to farm management | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 4 | Principals involved in farm management decisions | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 5 | Farm inventory and records keeping | 9 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 6 |
| 6 | Farm planning, farm budgeting and designing organic farms | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| 7 | Value chain analysis: concept, mapping and approaches | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| 8 | Concept of cooperatives | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| | Total | 64 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |

Vegetable and Medicinal plant production

Grades: 12

Credit hrs: 4

Working hrs: 128

1. Introduction

This course consists of knowledge and skills related to commercial vegetable production and marketing of vegetable. It gives detail knowledge of appropriate /good cultivation practices of commercial vegetable production and marketing in Nepal. This syllabus also provides the basic concepts of importance of medicinal and aromatic plants (MAPs), its traditional uses and research status of MAPs.

This curriculum comprises of fundamental conceptual principles and practices, an introduction, vegetable farming, climatic factors affecting vegetable production, cultivation practices of vegetables, off-season vegetable production, medicinal and aromatic plants (MAPs) and vegetable seed production. It will be delivered using both the conceptual and theoretical inputs through presentation, discussion, reflective reading and group works as well as practical and real world experiences through different practical activities.

The curriculum is structured in accordance with National Curriculum Framework, 2076. It focuses on both theoretical and practical aspects having equal teaching and practical. It incorporates the level-wise competencies, grade-wise leaning outcomes, scope and sequence of contents, suggested practical/project activities, learning facilitation process and assessment strategies so as to enhance the learning on the subject systematically.

2. Competencies

On completion of the course, the students will have the following competencies:

1. Classify vegetables and discuss its importance and scope.
2. Identify garden tools and farm machinery and describe types of vegetables farming.
3. Identify major climatic factors affecting vegetable production.
4. Describe the cultivation practices on major vegetables crops.
5. Discuss the concept of off season vegetable production technology.
6. Develop concepts of MAP and production technology of production technology of MAP according to agro-ecological zones of Nepal.
7. Explain concept on vegetable seed and seed production technology.

3. Grade wise learning Outcomes

| S.N. | Content Area | Learning outcomes |
|------|---|--|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Define olericulture. 1.2 Contrast the importance and scope of vegetable and spices. 1.3 Classify vegetables. 1.4 Explain about garden tools and farm machinery. |
| 2 | Vegetable farming | 2.1 Describe kitchen gardening, truck gardening, organic farming, off-season farming, peri-urban farming. |
| 3 | Climatic factors affecting vegetable production | 3.1 vegetable production. 3.2 Explain about the climatic factors affecting vegetable production. |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of vegetables | 4.1 Perform cultivation of solanaceous, cole, cucurbits, bulbs, leafy, root and leguminous crops. |
| 5 | Off-season vegetable production | 5.1 Point out the techniques of off season farming. 5.2 Perform hotbed preparation. 5.3 Perform plant protection measures. 5.4 Perform marketing of vegetables. |
| 6 | Medicinal and aromatic plants (MAPs) | 6.1 Contrast on meaning, importance and constraints of MAPs in Nepal. 6.2 Point out ecological zones of Nepal based on topography and climate. 6.3 Explain about the MAPs traded in Nepal. 6.4 Describe the importance of unexploited MAPs. |
| 7 | Vegetable seed production | 7.1 Explain the importance of vegetable seed production in Nepal. 7.2 Classify vegetables on the basis of mode of pollination. 7.3 Perform vegetable seed production technique of cabbage and tomato. |

4. Scope and Sequence of Contents

| Unit | Scope | Content | Hrs. |
|------|--------------|---|------|
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Olericulture as a branch of horticulture 1.2 Definition of related terminologies 1.3 Importance and scope of vegetable and spices | 3 |

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|---|---|--|----|
| 2 | Vegetable farming | 2.1 Kitchen gardening 2.2 Roof gardening 2.3 Organic farming 2.4 Off-season farming 2.5 Peri-urban farming | 5 |
| 3 | Climatic factors affecting vegetable production | 3.1 Temperature 3.2 Light 3.3 Rainfall and humidity | 3 |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of vegetables | Cultivation of following vegetable crops with respect to nutritive value, variety, climatic and soil requirements, nursery raising, planting, use of macro, micro nutrients, manuring, watering, weeding, insect pests, diseases, harvest, processing and marketing of: 4.1 Solanaceous crops (potato, tomato, chilli, brinjal and sweet paper) 4.2 Cole crops (cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli) 4.3 Cucurbits (cucumber, bottle gourds, bitter and pointed gourds) 4.4 Bulbs (onion and garlic) 4.5 Leafy vegetables (spinach, lettuce and broad leaf mustard) 4.6 Root crops (carrot and radish) 4.7 Leguminous crops (French bean and peas) 4.8 Asparagus and okra | 27 |
| 5 | Off-season vegetable production | 5.1 Meaning, opportunities and problems 5.2 Techniques of off-season farming (Hotbed preparation) 5.2.1 Selection of crops for off-season 5.2.2 Regulation of micro-climate 5.2.3 Plant protection measures 5.2.4 Use of plastic in vegetable farming 5.3 Marketing of vegetables: Organic vs inorganic products 5.2.5 Case study of typical vegetable production in Nepal. | 6 |

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|--------------|-----------------------------------|---|-----------|
| 6 | Medicinal plant production (MAPs) | 6.1 Meaning, importance and constraints of MAPs in Nepal 6.2 Identification of wild fruits and vegetables and classification of MAPs 6.3 Natural distribution of MAPs in ecological zones of Nepal based on topography and climate 6.4 Important traded and cultivated MAPs of Nepal 6.5 Cultivation, production, trade, industrial values and use of some of the cultivated MAPs in Nepal 6.6 Economic importance of unexploited MAPs as potential non-timber forest products (NTFP) based enterprises in Nepal 6.7 Organic farming of medicinal plants 6.8 Identification of local plants of pesticidal and manurial/nutritional value | 10 |
| 7 | Vegetable seed production | 7.1 Importance and status of vegetable seed production in Nepal 7.2 Classification of vegetables based on mode of pollination 7.3 Introduction to hybrid seed production 7.4 Techniques of vegetable seed production of: 7.4.1 Cabbage, tomato and radish 7.5 Seed quality testing | 10 |
| TOTAL | | | 64 |

5. Suggested Practical and Project Works

Practical and project work is an integral part of technical and vocational subjects. They are carried out to consolidate the practical learning experiences. Some of the suggested practical and project work activities of this subject are mentioned below. As these are the basic and fundamental practical and project works, the teacher can adapt or introduce more relevant to their context and students' needs.

| Unit | Grade 12 | | |
|------|--------------|---|------|
| | Scope | Practical Activities | Hrs. |
| 1 | Introduction | 1.1 Identify garden tools | 5 |
| | | 1.2 Identify wild fruits and vegetables crops | 5 |

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|--------------|---|---|-----------|
| 2 | Vegetable farming | 2.1 Identify vegetables and vegetable seeds | 6 |
| | | 2.2 Develop yearly calendar of kitchen gardening | 3 |
| 3 | Climatic factors affecting vegetable production | 3.1 Perform germination test for vegetable seeds | 4 |
| | | 3.2 Identify major insect pests and diseases of major vegetables | 7 |
| | | 3.3 Spray insecticides or fungicides for insect or disease control and manage them in organic way | 5 |
| | | 3.4 Prepare land for transplanting vegetable | 4 |
| | | 3.5 Perform cultural operations (mulching/manuring/training/earth up etc.) | 5 |
| 4 | Off-season vegetable production | 4.1 Preparation and maintenance vegetable nursery | 4 |
| | | 4.2 Prepare plastic tunnel for off-season production | 9 |
| 5. | Medicinal plant production (MAPs) | 5.1 Identification of medicinal plant | 2 |
| | | 5.2 Field visit to commercial MAPs production farm or research centre | 5 |
| Total | | | 64 |

6. Learning Facilitation Process

This course intends to provide both theoretical as well as practical knowledge and skills on the subject, thereby, blends with both theoretical and practical facilitation strategies to ensure better learning. In fulfilling the learning outcomes stated in the curriculum, the teacher should use a variety of methods and techniques that fit to the contents. In particular, the following methods, techniques and strategies are used for learning facilitation:

- Demonstration and observation
- Classroom instruction
- Practical works
- Illustration of diagrams and visual aids
- Group works and individual works
- Project works
- Case study
- Presentation
- Field visit and report writing

7. Student Evaluation

Evaluation is an integral part of learning process. Both formative and summative modes of evaluation are emphasized. Formative evaluation will be conducted so as to provide regular feedback for students, teachers and parents/guardians about how student learning is. Class tests, unit tests, oral question-answer, home assignment etc, are some ways of formative evaluation.

There will be separate evaluation of theoretical and practical learning. Summative evaluation embraces theoretical examination, practical examination and evaluation of research work or innovative work.

(a) Internal Evaluation

Internal evaluation covers 50 Percent weightage. Internal evaluation consists of Practical Activities (Practical works and projects works) (35 Percent), (b) Marks from trimester examinations (10 Percent), and (c) Classroom participation (5 Percent). Practical work should be based on list of activities mentioned in this curriculum. Project works should be based on the mentioned lists or created by teachers. Mark distribution for internal evaluation (practical work and project work) will be as follows:

| S.N. | Mani activities | Activities in detail | Percent |
|--------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| 1 | Participation | Participation in attendance, homework, classwork, project work, practical works etc. | 5 |
| 2 | Practical work | Conduction of practical work activities | 15 |
| | | Record keeping of practical work activities | 3 |
| 3 | Project work | Conduction of project work activities | 10 |
| | | Record keeping of project work activities | 2 |
| 4 | Viva | Viva of practical work and project work activities | 5 |
| 6 | Internal exam | First trimester 5 marks and Second trimester 5 marks | 10 |
| Total | | | 50 |

Note:

- (i) Practical examination will be conducted in the presence of internal and external supervisors. Evaluation of experiment will focus both the product of work and skills competencies of student in using apparatus.
- (ii) Project work assessment is the internal assessment of reports and presentation of their project works either individually or group basis. In case of group presentation, every

member of the group should submit a short reflection on the presented report in their own language. Records of project works must be attested by external supervisor.

(b) External Evaluation

External evaluation of the students will be based on the written examination. It carries 50 percent of the total weightage. Questions for the external examination will be based on the specification grid developed by Curriculum Development Centre. Examination question paper will be developed using various levels of revised Bloom's taxonomy including remembering level, understanding level, application level and higher ability (analyzing, evaluating, creating).

Specification Grid

Grade: 12

Subject: Vegetable and Medicinal plant production

Time: 2 hrs.

| Unit | Content | Credit hrs. | Knowledge and Understand | | | Application | | | Higher Ability | | | Total Question Number | | | Total Question | Marks Weight | | | Total Marks |
|------|---|-------------|--------------------------|-------|------|-------------|-------|------|----------------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------|------|----------------|--------------|-------|------|-------------|
| | | | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | MCQ | Short | Long | | MCQ | Short | Long | |
| 1 | Introduction | 3 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 1 |
| 2 | Vegetable farming | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 3 | Climatic factors affecting vegetable production | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 |
| 4 | Cultivation practices of vegetables | 27 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| 5 | Off-season vegetable production | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 6 | Medicinal plant production (MAPs) | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| 7 | Vegetable seed production | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 10 |
| | Total | 64 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 16 | 50 |