## Teaching Plan

F. Y. B. Sc. - Botany: 2019-20

## Plant life and utilization I (BO 121) (Semester – II; Paper – I)

Sr.	Month	Topics
No.		
1	December	INTRODUCTION: Introduction to plant diversity- Pteridophytes, Gymnosperms and Angiosperms with reference to vascular plants.
	A 31	PTERIDOPHYTES: General characters, Outline classification according to Sporne (1976) up to classes with reasons. Life cycle of <i>Nephrolepis</i> w.r.t. Habit, habitat, distribution, morphology, anatomy of stem and leaf, Reproduction – vegetative and sexual.
		Revision And Tutorial Assignment Submission
2	January	Utilization and economic importance of Pteridophytes.  GYMNOSPERMS: General characters, Outline classification according to Sporne (1977) up to classes with reasons. Life cycle of <i>Cycas</i> w.r.t. Habit, Habitat, Distribution, Morphology and Anatomy of Stem, leaf and reproductive organs- Male cone,
		Microsporophyll, microspores and megasporophyll, megaspore; structure of seed; Utilization and economic importance of gymnosperms.  Revision And Tutorial
3	February	Assignment Submission ANGIOSPERMS: General characters, Outline of classification of Bentham and Hooker's
	Toordary	system up to series, comparative account of monocotyledons and dicotyledons.
4	March	Utilization and economic importance of Angiosperms: In food, fodder, fibers, horticulture and medicines.  Revision And Tutorial Assignment Submission
		Model Examination

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