

B.Sc.-II (BOTANY) PAPER-I
**(PLANT TAXONOMY, ECONOMIC BOTANY, PLANT ANATOMY AND
EMBRYOLOGY)**

UNIT-I

Bentham and Hooker system of classification. Binomial Nomenclature, International Code of Nomenclature for Algae, Fungi, and plants (IUCN), Typification, numerical Taxonomy and chemotaxonomy. Preservation of Plant material and Herbarium techniques. Important botanical gardens and herbaria of India, Kew Botanical garden, England.

UNIT-II

Systematic position, distinguishing characters and economic importance of the following families, Ranunculaceae, Magnoliaceae, Brassicaceae, Rosaceae, Papaveraceae, Caryophyllaceae, Rutaceae, Cucurbitaceae, Apiaceae, Rubiaceae, Apocynaceae, Asclepiadaceae, Solanaceae, Malvaceae, Convolvulaceae, Orchidaceae, Acanthaceae, verbenaceae, Lamiaceae, Asteraceae, Fabaceae, Euphorbiaceae, Poaceae and Liliaceae.

UNIT-III

Economic Botany: Botanical name, family, part used and uses of the following economically important plants, fiber yielding plants; Cotton, jute, sun, hemp, coir. Timber yielding plants: Sal, Teak, Shisham and Pine. Medicinal plants: Kalmegh, Ashwangandha, Ghritkumari, Giloy, Brahmi, sarpagandha, ---of medicinal plants of C.G. Food plants: Pearl millet, Buck of wheat, Sorghum, Soyabean, gram, Ground nut, Sugarcane and Potato. Fruit plants: Pear, Peach, Litchi. Spices: Cinnamon, Turmeric, Ginger, Asafoetida and Cumin. Beverages : Tea, Coffee Rubber Cultivation of important flowers: Chrysanthemum, Dahlia, Biodiesel plants Jatropha, Pongamia Ethnobotany in context of Chhattisgarh.

UNIT-IV

Plant Anatomy: Root and shoot apical meristems theories of root and shoot apex organization, permanent tissues, anatomy of root, stem and leaf of dicot and monocot, secondary growth in root and stem, Anatomical anomalies in the primary structure of stems (Nyctanthes, Boerhaavia, Casuarina), Anamolous secondary growth in Dracaena, Bignonia, Laptadenia.

UNIT-V

Embryology: Flower as a reproductive organ, anther, microsporogenesis, types of ovules, megasporogenesis, development of male and female gametophyte, pollination, mechanisms, self incompatibility, fertilization, endosperm, embryo, polyembryony, apomixes and parthenocarpy.

Books Recommended:

Singh, Pandey, Jain. *Diversity and Systematics of Seed Plants*, Rastogi Publications Merrut

Sharma OP, *Plant Taxonomy*, Tata Mc Graw Hill, New Delhi

Pandey BP, *Taxonomy of Angiosperms*, S. Chand Publishing, New Delhi

Pandey, BP, *Plant Anatomy*, S.Chand Publishing, New Delhi

Pandey, BP, *Economic Botany*, S.Chand Publishing, New Delhi

Bhojwani, SS and Bhatanagar SP, *Embryology of Angiosperm*, Vikas Publication House, New Delhi

Singh, Pandey, Jain, *Embryology of Angiosperms*, Rastogi Publication, Meerut

Sharma, V, Alum, A. *Ethnobotany*, Rastogi Publications, Meerut

Tayal, MS *Plant Anatomy*, Rastogi Publication, Meerut