

ALAGAPPA UNIVERSITY
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M. Sc. Zoology I – Year – I Semester (Academic Year 2023-2024)

Theory Assignments (35011 –Animal Diversity)

S.No	Enroll number	Topic
1	2023023500001	Introduction to the diversity of animals, Principles of classification
2	2023023500002	Binomial Nomenclature; Linnaeus
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7	2023023500007	Animal architecture- Cephalization
8	2023023500008	Symmetry- Bilateral and Radial symmetry;
9	2023023500009	Coelom in animals: Coelomata, Acoelomata and Pseudocoelomata.
10	2023023500010	Protozoa: General characteristics, classification up to class level
11	2023023500011	Protozoan parasites: Entamoeba and Plasmodium.
12	2023023500012	Porifera: General characters and classification,
13	2023023500013	Structure of <i>Leucosolenia</i> , Canal system in sponges, Spicules in sponges
14	2023023500014	Coelenterata: Structure of <i>Obelia</i> colony,
15	2023023500015	Polymorphism in coelenterates, Corals and coral reefs.
16	2023023500016	Helminth parasites – <i>Taenia solium</i> ,
17	2023023500017	Nematode parasites – <i>Ascaris</i> and Parasitic adaptations.
18	2023023500018	Annelida: General characters, Classification up to class-Metamerism in Annelids
19	2023023500019	Arthropoda: General characters, Classification up to class, Larval forms of crustaceans Adaptive radiations in Arthropoda, Harmful and beneficial insects.
20	2023023500020	Mollusca and Echinodermata:General characters, Classification up to class-Cephalopod as an advanced Mollusc;
21	2023023500021	Larval forms of Echinodermata -Water vascular system in Echinoderms
22	2023023500022	General characters and classification of Prochordates and vertebrates
23	2023023500023	Pisces- classification up to orders, structural and functional adaptation of fishes
24	2023023500024	Amphibians and Reptiles: Definition, general characters, classification,
25	2023023500025	Structural and functional adaptations of amphibians and reptiles- Mesozoic reptiles – Dinosaurs.
26	2023023500026	Aves: phylogeny, flight adaptation, flightless birds and migration of birds.
27	2023023500027	Mammals: General characteristics of Prototheria, metatheria and eutheria
28	2023023500028	Aquatic mammals; adaptive radiation in mammals
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41	2023023500041	Structure of <i>Leucosolenia</i> , Canal system in sponges, Spicules in sponges
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