

## 2020 SYLLABUS

School of Natural Sciences

M.Sc. in Microbiology under UGC – CBCS



## M.Sc. Microbiology Course Structure

Category definition with credit breakup

Semester	Credit						
	CC	DSE	GE	SEC	USC	Total/Sem	
First	20	4	4	1	2	31	
Second	20	4		1	2	27	
Third	24			1	2	27	
Fourth	12			1	2	15	
Total Credit/	<b>76</b>	8	4	4	8		
Course							
Total Credit					100		

**CC:** Core Courses; **GE**: General Elective; **SEC**: Skill Enhancement Courses; **DSE**: Discipline Specific Elective; **USC:** University specified course

## First Year

Category	Course name	Credit	<b>Teaching Scheme</b>			
			L	T	P	
Semester – I						
CC – 1	Cell Biology and Cell Signaling	4	3	1	0	
<b>CC – 2</b>	Genetic Engineering		3	1	0	
CC – 3	Molecular Biology		3	1	0	
CC – 4	Bacteriology and Virology		3	1	0	
CC - 5	M.Sc. Microbiology Practical – I		0	0	8	
<b>DSE</b> – 1	Chemistry of Biomolecules		3	1	0	
<b>GE - 1</b>	Generic Elective		4	0	0	
<b>USC – 1</b>	Foreign language – I	2	2	0	0	
<b>SEC – 1</b>	Mentored Seminar – I	1	1	0	0	
Total Credit = 31			<b>Teaching Hour = 35</b>			
Semester – II						
<b>CC</b> – 6	<b>Enzymes and Metabolism</b>	4	3	1	0	
CC – 7	Cellular Immune System	4	3	1	0	
<b>CC</b> – 8	Microbial Diversity and Metabolism	4	3	1	0	
<b>CC</b> – 9	Genetics of Bacteria and Virus		3	1	0	
<b>CC – 10</b>	M.Sc. Microbiology Practical – II		0	0	8	
<b>DSE</b> – 2	Biophysics		3	1	0	
<b>USC – 2</b>	Foreign language – II		2	0	0	
<b>SEC – 2</b>	Mentored Seminar – II		1	0	0	
Total Credit = 27		<b>Teaching Hour = 31</b>				

## **Second Year**

Category	Course name		Teaching Scheme		cheme		
			L	T	P		
Semester - III							
<b>CC – 11</b>	Fermentation and Bioprocess Technology	4	3	1	0		
CC – 12	<b>Bioinformatics and Biostatistics</b>		3	1	0		
CC – 13	Eukaryotic Microbiology		3	1	0		
<b>CC – 14</b>	Medical Microbiology and Cancer Biology		3	1	0		
CC – 15	<b>Environmental Microbiology and Ecology</b>		3	1	0		
CC – 16	M.Sc. Microbiology Practical – III		0	0	8		
<b>USC – 3</b>	Foreign language – III		2	0	0		
<b>SEC – 3</b>	Mentored Seminar – III	1	1	0	0		
Total Credit = 27			<b>Teaching Hour = 31</b>				
Semester – IV							
CC – 17	Microbiology Master Project / Dissertation	12	0	0	24		
USC – 4	Foreign language – IV	2	2	0	0		
<b>SEC – 4</b>	Microbiology Master Seminar	1	1	0	0		
Total Credit = 27			<b>Teaching Hour = 27</b>				