



# DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

B.Sc. DEGREE PROGRAMME 2024/2025

SCHEDULED ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES - 1<sup>st</sup> SEMESTER - May 2024 - September 2024

## B.Sc. Programme

### Level 3

#### Animal Life and Diversity - ZYU3500

\*Sign up for practical before 10 June 2024

Senior Coordinator: Dr. Uthpala Jayawardena

Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical/ Museum Groups	Centre/ mode
June	6	8.00am-12.30pm	CDS1		Bl. I		Online/Onsite
	22	8.00am-12.30pm	CDS1 (repeat)		Bl. I		Online/Onsite
	28	8.00am-10.00am	DS 1		Bl. II		Online
July	16	10.30am-3.00pm	DS 2		Bl. II		Online
	22	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS 3		Bl. III		Online
Aug	12-16	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1,2	CRC
<b>Aug</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>2.30pm-4.00 pm</b>		<b>NBT-1</b>	Bl. I & Bl. II		Onsite (All RCs and 08 SC)
Aug	19-23	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr Gp 3,4	CRC
Aug	22	10.30am-12.30pm	DS 4		Bl. III		Online
Aug	26-30	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp. 5,6	CRC
Sep	2-6	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr Gp 7,8,9,10,11,	CRC, KRC, MRC, JRC
Sep	9-14	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp. 12,13,14,15	KRC, MRC, JRC, BRC

#### Biogeography - ZYU3301

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Senior Coordinator: Ms. Kalpanee Bandaranayake

Month	Date	time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ mode
June	1	8.00am-12.30pm	DS1		Unit I		Online
June	3-7	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1,2	CRC
	10-14	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 3,4	CRC
	17-21	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 5,6	CRC
	28	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS2		Unit I		Online
July	1-5	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 7,8	MRC
<b>July</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4.00pm-5.00pm</b>		<b>NBT 1</b>	Unit I		Onsite (All RCs and 08 SC)
July	16-19	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 9,10,11,12	JRC, BRC
	23	8.00am-10.00am	DS3		Unit II		Online
	22-25	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 13,14,15,16	KRC, JRC
	27	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS4		Unit II & Unit III		Online
July/Aug	30-1	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 17,18	KRC
Aug	15	3.30pm-5.30pm	DS5		Unit III		Online
<b>Aug</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4.00pm-5.00pm</b>		<b>NBT-2</b>	Unit II & Unit III		Onsite (All RCs and 08 SC)
<b>Sep</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8.00am-10.00am</b>	RDS				Online + Onsite

**Managing Your Work & People – OSU3208****Senior Coordinator: Dr. Nayana Nilakarawasam**

Month	Date	Time	Day School	CAT	Regional Centre
June	13	8.00am-12.30pm	DS1		Online+Onsite - E/S/T
July	17	8.00am-10.00am & 3.30pm-5.30pm	DS2		Online (zoom) - E/S/T
	19	2.30pm -3.30pm		CAT1	
Aug	06	1.00pm -5.30pm	DS3		Online (zoom) - E/S/T
	23	2.30pm -3.30pm		CAT2	
Sept.	4	10.30-12.30pm	RDS		Onsite - (All RCs) - E/S/T

**Introduction to Sri Lankan Society- DSU3298****Senior Coordinator: Dr. Wasana Rodrigo**

Month	Date	Time	Day School	CAT	Regional Centre
June	22	3.30pm -5.30pm	DS1		Online+Onsite - E/S/T
	23	3.30pm -5.30pm	DS2		Online (zoom) - E/S/T
July	7	3.30pm -5.30pm	DS3		Online (zoom) - E/S/T
	11	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS4		Online (zoom) - E/S/T
July	14	4.00pm- 5.00pm		CAT 1	Onsite (All RCs and 08 SC)
Aug	18	4.00pm- 5.00pm		CAT2	Onsite (All RCs and 08 SC)
Sept	8	8.00am-10.00am	RDS		Onsite - (All RCs) - E/S/T

**LEVEL 4****Ecology –ZYU4301****\*Sign up for practical before 01 June 2024****Senior Coordinator: Dr. Sandun Bandara**

Month	Date	Time	Day school	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ mode
June	1	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS1		Bl. I (Unit I)		Online
June	3-7	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1	CRC
	10-13	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 2	CRC
	11-14	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 3	JRC
	14	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS2		Bl. I (Unit I)		Online
	17-21	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 4	CRC
	17-21	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 5	MRC
	24-28	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 6	ARC
July	2-5	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 7	BRC
	9-12	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 8	KRC
	16-19	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 9	KRC
	23-26	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 10	KRC
<b>July</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4.00pm-5.00pm</b>		<b>NBT-1</b>	Bl. I (Unit I)		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
	24	8.00am-10.00am	DS3		Bl. 2 (Unit II)		Online
Aug	8	8.00am-10.00am	DS4		Bl. 2 (Unit II & III)		Online
	15	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS5		Bl. 2 (Unit III)		Online
<b>Aug</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4.00pm-5.00pm</b>		<b>NBT-2</b>	Bl. 2 (Unit II & III)		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sept	7	1.00pm-5.30pm	RDS				Online + Onsite

<b>Animal Development – ZYU4302</b>					<b>*Sign up for practical before 01 June 2024</b>		
<b>Senior Coordinator: Dr. NN Nilakarawasam</b>							
Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ mode
June	2	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS1		Unit I		Online
June	4-7	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1	KRC
	8	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS2		Unit I		Online
	11-14	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 2	KRC
	18-21	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 3,4,5	KRC/JRC/BRC
	29	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS3		Unit I		Online
July	9-12	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 6	MRC
	15-18	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 7	CRC
<b>July</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>9.00am-10.00am</b>		<b>NBT-1</b>	Unit I		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
	22-25	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 8	CRC
July/Aug	29-1	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 9	CRC
Aug	4	1.00pm-3.00pm	DS4		Unit II		Online
Aug	9	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS5		Unit II		Online
<b>Aug</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>9.00am-10.00am</b>		<b>NBT-2</b>	Unit II		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sep	8	1.00pm-5.30pm	RDS				Online + Onsite
<b>Level 5</b>							
<b>Aquatic Biology– ZYU5300</b>					<b>*Sign up for practical before 01 June 2024</b>		
<b>Senior Coordinator: Dr. Gihan Dahanayake</b>							
Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Group*	Centre/ mode
May	29	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS 1		Block 1		Online
June	4-7	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1	JRC
	12	1.00am-5.30pm	DS 2		Block 1&2		Online
	22	3.30pm-5.30pm	DS 3		Block 1&2		Online
July	6	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS 4		Block 2		Online
July	15-17	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 2	CRC
	22-25	9.00pm-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 3	CRC
<b>July</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>9.00 am-10.00am</b>		<b>NBT-1</b>	Block 1&2		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
July/Aug	29-1	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 4	CRC
Aug	6-9	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 5	MRC
	11	1.00pm-3.00pm	DS 5		Block 3		Online
	13-16	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 6	KRC
	20-23	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 6	KRC
<b>Sept</b>	<b>01</b>	<b>9.00 am-10.00am</b>		<b>NBT-2</b>	Block 3		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sep	13	10.30am-12.30pm	RDS				Online + Onsite
<b>Fish Biology &amp; Fishery Management– ZYU5301</b>					<b>*Sign up for practical before 01 June 2024</b>		
<b>Senior Coordinator: Ms. WAY Chandrani</b>							
Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ mode
May	31	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS1		Block 1		Online/Onsite
June	4-7	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 1	MRC
	24-28	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 2	CRC
	27	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS2		Block 1&2		Online
July	1-5	9.00pm-4,00pm				Pr. Gp 3	CRC
	7	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS3		Block 1&2		Online

	8-12	9.00pm-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 4	CRC
<b>July</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2.30pm-3.30pm</b>		<b>NBT-1</b>	Block 1&2		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
	29	1.00pm-3.00pm	DS 4				Online
Aug	6-9	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr. Gp 5	KRC
	13	1.00pm-3.00pm	DS 5				Online
<b>Aug</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2.30pm-3.30pm</b>		<b>NBT-2</b>	Block 3		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sep	11	8.00pm-10.00pm	RDS				Online + Onsite

**Conservation and Management of Biodiversity –ZYU5302 \*Sign up for practical before 01 July2024**  
**Senior Coordinator: Dr. Saminda Fernando**

Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/Mode
June	6	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS1		Unit I (Session 1-4)		Online
	13	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS2		Unit I (Session 5-7)		Online
July	2	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS3		Unit II (Session 8-11)		Online
<b>July</b>	<b>5-6</b>	<b>Field Practical group 1 (2 Day field visit)</b>					
<b>July</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1.00pm-2.00pm</b>		<b>NBT1</b>	Unit I & Unit II (Sessions 1-11)		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
<b>Aug</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>Field Practical group 2 (2 Day field visit)</b>					
	6	8.00am-10.00am	DS 4		Unit III (Session 12-14)		Online
	20	8.00am-10.00am	DS5		Unit III (Session 15-18)		Online
<b>Sep</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.00pm-2.00pm</b>		<b>NBT 2</b>	Unit II & Unit III (Sessions 12-18)		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
	9	10.30am-12.30pm	RDS				Online + Onsite

**Parasitology – ZYU5304 \*Sign up for practical before 14 June 2024**  
**Senior Coordinator: Prof. G Ranawaka**

Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ Mode
June	4	1.00pm-5.00pm	DS1		Block 1 -U I		Online
	16	3.30pm-5.30pm	DS2		Block 1 -U II		Online
	24-26	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.1	CRC
	25-27	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.2	KRC
July	1-3	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.3	CRC
	7	1.00pm-3.00pm	DS3		Block 1 -U II		Online
<b>July</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4.00pm-5.00pm</b>		<b>NBT 1</b>	Block 1		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
	23-25	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.4	MRC
Aug	10	3.30pm-5.30pm	DS4		Block 2 -U III		Online
Aug	13-15	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.5	JRC
	22	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS5		Block 2 -U IV		Online
<b>Aug</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>9.00am-10.00 am</b>		<b>NBT 2</b>	Block 2		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sep	12	6.00pm -8.00pm	RDS				Online

**Fundamentals of Molecular Biology – ZYU5315 \*Sign up for practical before 01 July 2024**  
**Senior Coordinator: Dr. Ruwan Illeperuma**

Month	Date	Time	Day School	NBT	Course material	Practical Groups	Centre/ Mode
June	7	6.00pm-8.00pm	DS 1		Unit I		Online
	18	8.00am-12.30pm	DS 2		Unit I		Online + Onsite
	25	1.00pm-5.30pm	DS 3		Unit I		Online
July	8-12	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.1	CRC
	15-18	9.00am-4.00pm				Pr.Gr.2	CRC
	26	9.00am-10.00 am		<b>NBT1</b>	Unit I		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)

Aug	5	3.30pm-5.30pm	DS4		Unit II		Online
	13	8.00am-10.00 am	DS 5		Unit II		Online
	17	4.00 pm- 5.00 pm		NBT2	Unit II		Onsite (All RCs and 04 SC)
Sep	10	10.30 am- 12.30 pm	RDS				Online + Onsite

DS - Day School; CDS – Compulsory Day School, RDS - Revision Day School; Museum - Museum practical group; FT- Field Trip; Gp.– Group; NBT - No Book Test; OBT – Open Book Test; Pr. - Practical

**All RCs:** CRC - Colombo Regional Centre; MRC – Matara Regional Centre; KRC – Kandy Regional Centre; ARC- Anuradhapura Regional Centre; JRC – Jaffna Regional Centre; BRC- Batticaloa Regional Centre; Badulla RC; Ratnapura RC; Kurunegala RC

**08 - Study centres:** Gampaha, Galle, Kalutara, Kegalle, Puttalam, Ampara, Polonnaruwa, Trincomalee (L3)

**04 - Study Centres:** Gampaha, Galle, Kalutara, Kegalle (L4 and L5)

**Eligibility Due: - L3, L4, L5 - 09.09.2024**

**Final Exams: B.Sc. - 02.10.2024-02.11.2024**

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