

Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific research



**Department of Biology**

**College of Science**

**Salahaddin university-Erbil**

**Subject: Zoology**

**Course Book – 1<sup>st</sup> Year**

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**Dr. Fairuz H. Abdullah**

**Academic Year: 2022-2023**

## Course Book

<b>1. Course name</b>	<b>Zoology</b>
<b>2. Lecturers in charge</b>	<b>Asst. Prof. Hana Hashim</b>  <b>Dr. Fairuz H. Abdullah</b>
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<b>5. Time (in hours) per week</b>	<b>Theory: 2</b>
<b>6. Office hours</b>	<b>To be Return to the schedule on the office door</b>
<b>7. Course code</b>	
<b>8. Teacher's academic profile</b>  <b>Dr. Fairuz H. Abdullah</b>	I placed myself to Rizgary Teaching Hospital from 24.09.2020 to 24.09.2021. I became Lecturer on 13.01.2020. I have completed PhD. degree in Biotechnology on 05.12.2019. In 2015, I applied for studying PhD with IELTS band score 6.5 (Academic) and I was the only applicant with this score. I became PhD student in the speciality of Biotechnology with the rank 4 <sup>th</sup> over the PhD applicants of my department. During the first semester of academic year 2016-2017, I took (Practical Biotechnology), I also taught soil microbiology second course of academic year (2016-2017) and I was teaching Practical Biotechnology during the first semester of this academic year (4 <sup>th</sup> stage), and teaching practical Molecular Biology (3 <sup>rd</sup> stage) the second semester along with being a PhD student. I also worked as a Member of the Examination Committee for College of Science/ Control in the

<p><b>Hana Hashim</b></p>	<p>academic year 2014-2015.</p> <p>I graduated from Salahaddin University in 2009 (Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> on collage/ 1<sup>st</sup> on Biology dept.). I worked as assistant biologist during 2009-2010. I worked in the labs of General Microbiology, Environmental Microbiology as well as Microtechniques. In 2013 I got my MSc. degree in Molecular Microbiology and started working as Assistant Lecturer. At first I was teaching Entomology for one year and a half, and then I took the subject of my speciality (Practical Molecular Techniques).</p> <p>I graduate from Salahaddin University in 1992 (Ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in collage). In 1995 I finished my MSc degree and started as Assistant Lecturer Teaching Practical Parasitology, Practical Entomology, and Practical Invertebrate Biology At 2013 I got Assistant prof. degree, from that time, I am in charge of teaching Entomology theory for 4<sup>th</sup> class students at Environmental Science Department, and teaching Entomology theory for 3<sup>rd</sup> class students in Biology department, Supervising Entomology Practical Laboratory, supervising graduate students</p>
<p><b>9. Keywords</b></p>	
<p><b>10. Course objective:</b> The purpose of taking this course is to learn the basic concepts and principles of biology and zoology.</p>	
<p><b>. Student's obligation</b> <b>Exam policy:</b> Student should get at least 2 exam during the course (semester). There will be no make-up exams for absence students without medical report. <b>Classroom polices:</b></p>	

**1- Attendance:** You are strongly encouraged to attend class on a regular basis, as participation is important to your understanding of the material. This is your opportunity to ask questions. **Students are responsible for obtaining any information they miss due to absence.**

2- **Lateness:** Lateness to class is disruptive

3- **Electronic devices:** All cell phones are to be turned off at the beginning of class and put away during the entire class.

4- **Talking:** During class please refrain from side conversations. These can be disruptive to other students and the professor, and not Disrespectful to both the professor and to other students

## 12. Forms of teaching

Coursebook, PowerPoint, board and video.

## 13. Assessment scheme

The students are required to do one closed book exam at the mid of the semester besides other assignments including translations and one research paper. The exam has 25 marks, the attendance, classroom activities; translations and research paper count 10 marks. There will be a final exam on 60 marks. So that the final grade will be based upon the following criteria:

- Practical Examination: 35
- Theory examination: 15
- Final examination theory: 50

<b>Weeks</b>	<b>Lecture Topics</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> week	<b>Course book ,Introduction and essential terms</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> week	<b>Chemistry of Life</b> 1. Water and Life 2. Macromolecules
3 <sup>rd</sup> week	<b>Cells as units of life</b> 1. Cell concept 2. Organization of cells
4 <sup>th</sup> week	<b>Cellular metabolism</b> 1. The role of enzymes 2. Enzyme regulation

	<b>3. Cellular respiration</b>
	<b>Exam</b>
5 <sup>th</sup> week	<b>Activity of Life</b> 1-Support, Protection, and Movement
6 <sup>th</sup> week	2- Homeostasis: Osmotic Regulation, Excretion, and Temperature Regulation
7 <sup>th</sup> week	3- Homeostasis: Internal Fluids and Respiration
8 <sup>th</sup> week	4- Digestion and Nutrition
9 <sup>th</sup> week	5-Nervous Coordination: Nervous System and Sense Organs
	<b>Exam</b>
10 <sup>th</sup> week	6- Chemical Coordination: Endocrine System
11 <sup>th</sup> week	<b>Immunity</b>
12 <sup>th</sup> week	<b>Animals and Their Environments</b>
13 <sup>th</sup> week	<b>Animal Distributions</b>