

**BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY, COIMBATORE.**  
**B.Sc. MICROBIOLOGY DEGREE COURSE**  
**SCHEME OF EXAMINATION - CBCS PATTERN (AFFILIATED COLLEGES)**  
**For the students admitted during the academic year 2010 – 2011 batch onwards**

Part	Study Components	Course title	Examinations				Credit	
			Ins. hrs/ week	Dur.Hrs	CIA	Marks		Total Marks
<b>Semester I</b>								
I	Language – I		6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English – I		6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core Paper I - Fundamentals of Microbiology		6	3	25	75	100	4
	Practical I and Viva Voce		4	-	-	-	-	-
	Allied A : Paper I – Biostatistics and Computer Applications I		4	3	20	55	75	3
	Allied Practical		2	-	-	-	-	-
IV	Environmental Studies #		2	-	-	50	50	2
<b>Semester II</b>								
I	Language – II		6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English – II		6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core Paper II - Microbial Diversity		4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper III - Cell Biology		3	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Practical I and Viva Voce		3	3	20	55	75	3
	Allied A : Paper II - Biostatistics and Computer Applications II		4	3	20	55	75	3
	Allied Practical		2	3	20	30	50	2
IV	Value Education – Human Rights #		2	3	-	50	50	2
<b>Semester III</b>								
I	Language – III		6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English – III		6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core Paper IV - Microbial Physiology		4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Practical II		3	3	-	-	-	-
	Allied B: Paper I – Biochemistry I		4	3	20	55	75	3
	Allied Practical		2	-	-	-	-	-
IV	Skill based Subject I - Diagnostic Microbiology – Organization of Clinical Microbiology Laboratory		3	3	20	55	75	3
	Tamil @ / Advanced Tamil# (OR) Non-major elective - I (Yoga for Human Excellence)# / Women's Rights#		2	3	50		50	2
<b>Semester IV</b>								
I	Language – IV		6	3	25	75	100	4
II	English – IV		6	3	25	75	100	4
III	Core Paper V – Bioinstrumentation – Principles and Applications		4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Practical – II		3	6	20	55	75	3
	Allied B : Paper II – Biochemistry II		4	3	20	55	75	3
	Allied Practical		2	3	20	30	50	2

IV	Skill based Subject 2 - Diagnostic Microbiology – Diagnostic Microbiology I (Bacteriology and Serology)	3	3	20	55	75	3
	Tamil @ /Advanced Tamil # (OR) Non-major elective -II (General Awareness #)	2	3	50		50	2
	<b>Semester V</b>						
III	Core Paper VI - Microbial Genetics	5	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper VII – Principles of Immunology	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper VIII– Food Microbiology	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper IX – Recombinant DNA Technology - I	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Elective 1	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Practical - III	6	3	-	-	-	-
IV	Skill based Subject 3 - Diagnostic Microbiology – Diagnostic Microbiology II (Virology and Mycology, Parasitology)	3	3	20	55	75	3
	<b>Semester VI</b>						
III	Core Paper X – Fermentation Technology	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper XI – Environmental and Agricultural Microbiology	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Paper XII – Virology	4	3	25	75	100	4
	Core Practical – III	6	9	40	60	100	4
	Elective – II	4	3	25	75	100	4
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IV	Skill Based Subject 4 - Diagnostic Microbiology – Practical I & II	4	3	20	55	75	3
V	Extension Activities @	-	-	-	-	50	2
	<b>Total</b>					3500	140

Students should undergo an institutional training for a continuous period of 15 days before semester VI

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<b>List of Elective papers (Colleges can choose any one of the paper as electives)</b>		
Elective – I	<b>A</b>	Recombinant Dna Technology - II
	<b>B</b>	Dairy Microbiology
	<b>C</b>	Biomolecules
Elective – II	<b>A</b>	Medical Microbiology - I
	<b>B</b>	Medical Biochemistry
	<b>C</b>	Plant Biotechnology
Elective - III	<b>A</b>	Medical Microbiology – II
	<b>B</b>	Enterpreneurial Microbiology
	<b>C</b>	Bionanotechnology

Note : The syllabi for the above papers be the same as prescribed for the academic year 2008-09.