# **B. Sc. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - MARCH 2020**

# SEMESTER -6: ZOOLOGY (CORE COURSE)

# COURSE: 15U6CRZOO09: REPRODUCTIVE AND DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY

(Common for Regular 2017 Admission /Supplementary 2016 /2015 Admissions)

Time: Three Hours

### PART A

## Answer all Questions of the following

- 1. Distinguish between descriptive and experimental embryology.
- 2. Name two viruses that are Teratogenic agents.
- 3. Name an organism in which bilateral cleavage takes place in its egg,
- 4. Distinguish between Epigenesis and Biogenetic Law.
- 5. Distinguish between epiboly and emboly.
- 6. Mention the significance of obligatory parthenogenesis.
- 7. Define induction, mention its role in development.
- 8. Distinguish between Indeterminate eggs and Determinate eggs. (1 x 8 = 8)

#### PART B

### Answer any Six of the following

- 9. Briefly explain the different types of regeneration in animals.
- 10. Mention the significance of IVF in animal husbandry.
- 11. Mention the uses of extra embryonic membranes.
- 12. Describe the various methods of construction of Fate maps.
- 13. Distinguish between Ameiotic and Meiotic parthenogenesis with examples.
- 14. Briefly explain the mode of maintaining species specificity in fertilization.
- 15. Describe briefly the metamorphosis in frog development.
- 16. Describe characteristic features of gastrulation.

 $(2 \times 6 = 12)$ 

## PART C

### Answer any Four of the following

- 17. Explain spermatogenesis mention its significance.
- 18. Explain the procedure of Cloning, mention its significance.
- 19. What is cell lineage, explain with an example.
- 20. Describe the development of the nervous system in frog.

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- 21. Mention brief account of 18 hour chick embryo.
- 22. Explain the hormonal regulation of Menstrual Cycle. (5 x 4 = 20)

#### PART D

#### Answer any Two of the following

- 23. Describe in detail the process of Fertilization, the approach and binding of spermatozoa, activation of the egg and amphimixis.
- Classify eggs on the basis of amount, distribution and position of yolk, type of development.
  Mention the influence of yolk on development.
- 25. What are Congenital malformations? Explain the various causes.
- 26. Who are the pioneers of Experimental embryology? Describe Spemann's constriction experiments to prove the role of Organizer and embryonic induction.  $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

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