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# 1. LESSON PLANS FOR CONTROL GROUP

# LESSON PLAN-1 (CONTROL GROUP)

Date- 9th APRIL, 2022

Subject-SCIENCE

Age level- 13 years

Duration-30 minutes

Class -VII

Name- Chakradhar Mahanta

Chapter-NUTRITION IN PLANTS

#### **Topic-** NUTRITION AND PHOTOSYNTHESIS

#### Learning Objectives

Students will be able to know-

- Nutrients
- Nutrition
- Autotrophic nutrition
- Food factories of plants- Leaves
- Food making process in plants
- Chlorophyll
- Source of energy for Photosynthesis
- Synthesis of carbohydrates

#### **Process Skills:**

Observation, investigations, interpretation, classification, communication, discussion with teacher and peers, reasoning, definitions, questioning, logical thinking, problem solving.

# **Opportunities for constructive learning environment:**

Learners will be able to extend their understandings on nutrition, mode of nutrition and can observe in their day-to-day life.

# Teaching learning Materials & Learning Resources:

Textbook, Blackboard, Chalk, a chart containing different kind of food, a chart containing different parts of a leaf etc.

#### Learning Situation:

Learning approach based on inquiry-based science teaching.

understanding of concepts)	The teacher must provide scaffoldings where needed.	explanation with respect to their pre- conceived knowledge.
Evaluate (On-going process)	Continuous process of making observations of learners as they apply new concepts and skills and looking for evidence that the learners have changed or modified their thinking. The learners who have lacked conceptual understanding after such rigorous intricate interventions are further explained and elaborated and course is delivered successfully.	Learners still would have queries about topic. Help could be provided.

**Reflection:** Learners were intrigued about the interdisciplinary dynamics of the topic and infographics and asked for explanations of processes occurring there.

## LESSON PLAN-2 (CONTROL GROUP)

Date- 11<sup>th</sup> APRIL, 2022

**Duration-30** minutes

Class -VII

Subject- SCIENCE

Age level- 13 years

Name- Chakradhar Mahanta

Chapter-NUTRITION IN PLANTS

Topic- SYNTHESIS OF PLANT FOOD

#### Learning Objectives

Students will be able to know-

• Synthesis of Protein and fat

#### **Process Skills:**

Observation, investigations, interpretation, classification, communication, discussion with teacher and peers, reasoning, definitions, questioning, logical thinking, problem solving.

## **Opportunities for constructive learning environment:**

Learners will be able to extend their understandings on nutrition, mode of nutrition and can observe in their day-to-day life.

#### Teaching learning Materials & Learning Resources:

Textbook, Blackboard, Chalk etc.

#### Learning Situation:

Learning approach based on inquiry-based science teaching.

5E	Teacher	Learner
Engage (Prior knowledge or misconceptions)	To know Prior knowledge by questioning. Synthesis of carbohydrates? Other components of food if they?	They will answer
Explore (Introduction of new material)	Correlate with the text book.	Learner will think and initiate

Explain	Now the teacher can explain the	Learners will provide
(Teacher directs and	synthesis of other food	their explanation and
guides the students)	components like protein and fat.	understanding on
	Fixation of nitrogen Institut of nitrogen by bacterio The roof nadules of leguminous plants contains nitrogen faing bacteria called hizoblum which convert nitrogen gas into nitrogen compounds.	concept before teacher starts explaining. Learners will further interrupt, interfere & question the explanations where
		they find any doubts and discrepancies.
Elaborate	Learners will be taught about	Learners will ask
(Deeper and broader	nitrogen fixation.	doubts in the concepts
understanding of concepts)	Different students will answer differently. The teacher must provide scaffoldings where needed.	and question the explanation with respect to their pre- conceived knowledge
Evaluate	Continuous process of making	Learners still would
(On-going process)	observations of learners as they apply new concepts and skills and looking for evidence that the	have queries about topic.
	learners have changed or modified their thinking. The learners who have lacked	Help could be provided.
	conceptual understanding after such rigorous intricate	
	interventions are further explained and elaborated and	
	course is delivered successfully.	

**Reflection:** Learners were intrigued about the interdisciplinary dynamics of the topic and infographics and asked for explanations of processes occurring there.

# LESSON PLAN-3 (CONTROL GROUP)

Date- 13<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2022

Subject-SCIENCE

Duration-30 minutes

Class -VII

Age level- 13 years

Name- Chakradhar Mahanta

# Chapter-NUTRITION IN PLANTS

# Topic- HETEROTROPIC/ PARASITIC MODE OF NUTRITION

#### Learning Objectives

Students will be able to know-

- Plants without chlorophyll
- How do they survive?
- From where do they derive nutrition?
- Parasite

# **Process Skills:**

Observation, investigations, interpretation, classification, communication, discussion with teacher and peers, reasoning, definitions, questioning, logical thinking, problem solving.

#### **Opportunities for constructive learning environment:**

Learners will be able to extend their understandings on nutrition, mode of nutrition and can observe in their day-to-day life.

#### Teaching learning Materials & Learning Resources:

Textbook, Blackboard, Chalk etc.

Learning Situation: Learning approach based on inquiry-based science teaching.

To know Prior knowledge by questioning.	They will answer
Role of chlorophyll?	
What happens if a plant does lose leaves?	

Explore (Introduction of new material)	Correlate with the text book.	Learner will think and initiate
Explain (Teacher directs and guides the students)	<text></text>	Learners will provide their explanation and understanding on concept before teacher starts explaining. Learners will further interrupt, interfere & question the explanations where they find any doubts and discrepancies.
Elaborate (Deeper and broader understanding of concepts)	Learners will be asked some questions regarding parasite. Different students will answer differently. The teacher must provide scaffoldings where needed.	Learners will ask doubts in the concepts and question the explanation with respect to their pre- conceived knowledge.
Evaluate (On-going process)	Continuous process of making observations of learners as they apply new concepts and skills and looking for evidence that the learners have changed or modified their thinking. The learners who have lacked conceptual understanding after such rigorous intricate interventions are	Learners still would have queries about topic. Help could be provided.

further explained and elaborated and	
course is delivered successfully.	

**Reflection:** Learners were intrigued about the interdisciplinary dynamics of the topic and infographics and asked for explanations of processes occurring there.

## LESSON PLAN-4 (CONTROL GROUP)

Date- 16<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2022

Duration-30 minutes

Class -VII

Subject-SCIENCE

Age level- 13 years

Name- Chakradhar Mahanta

Chapter-NUTRITION IN PLANTS

**Topic-** INSECTIVOROUS/CARNIVOROUS PLANTS AND SAPPROPHITIC MODE OF NUTRITION

#### **Learning Objectives**

Students will be able to know-

- · How these plants take insects as their food
- Mushrooms
- Fungi
- How different from green plants

#### **Process Skills:**

Observation, investigations, interpretation, classification, communication, discussion with teacher and peers, reasoning, definitions, questioning, logical thinking, problem solving.

#### **Opportunities for constructive learning environment:**

Learners will be able to extend their understandings on nutrition, mode of nutrition and can observe in their day-to-day life.

#### Teaching learning Materials & Learning Resources:

Textbook, Blackboard, Chalk etc.

Learning Situation: Learning approach based on inquiry-based science teaching.

5E	Teacher	Learner
Engage	To know Prior knowledge by	They will answer
(Prior knowledge	questioning.	
or	If they know about these kinds of	
misconceptions)	plants?	

-	saprophytic mode of nutrition of Fungi?	
Explore (Introduction of new material)	Correlate with the text book.	Learner will think and initiate
Explain (Teacher directs and guides the students)	Now the teacher can explain the mode of nutrition of these kinds of plants.	Learners will provide their explanation and understanding on concept before teacher starts explaining. Learners will further interrupt, interfere & question the explanations where they find any doubts and discrepancies.
	Fig. 1.8 Fungl growing on bread	
	Fig. 1.7 Packet of mushrooms, a mushroom growing on decayed material	

Elaborate	Learners will be asked some	Learners will ask doubts in
(Deeper and	questions-	the concepts and question
broader understanding of concepts)	Why do they need other kind of foods when they are autotrophs? Different students will answer differently. The teacher must provide scaffoldings where needed.	the explanation with respect to their pre- conceived knowledge.
Evaluate (On-going process)	Continuous process of making observations of learners as they apply new concepts and skills and looking for evidence that the learners have changed or modified their thinking.	Learners still would have queries about topic.
	The learners who have lacked conceptual understanding after such rigorous intricate interventions are further explained and elaborated and course is delivered successfully.	Help could be provided.

**Reflection:** Learners were intrigued about the interdisciplinary dynamics of the topic and infographics and asked for explanations of processes occurring there.

# 2. LESSON PLANS FOR EXPERIMENTAL GROUP

# COOPERATIVE LEARNING STRATEGY LESSON PLAN-01

Subject: Science

Class: VII

Chapter: Nutrition in Plants

Topic: Photosynthesis

Duration: 30 min

Date: 9TH April, 2022

Materials: Visual Aids, pictures, drawing sheets, pencils, cards etc.

**Previous Knowledge:** The students are aware that all living things have life and have certain characteristics.

Objectives: Provided with materials, students will be able to:

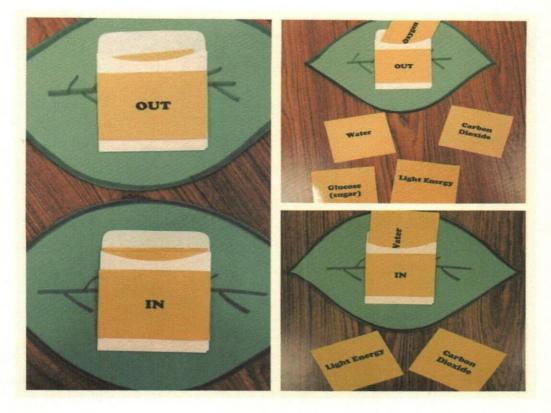
- Define the word "Photosynthesis" and understand the autotrophs.
- Assemble the pictures of reactants and products.
- Appreciate the importance of Photosynthesis.

#### Concepts:

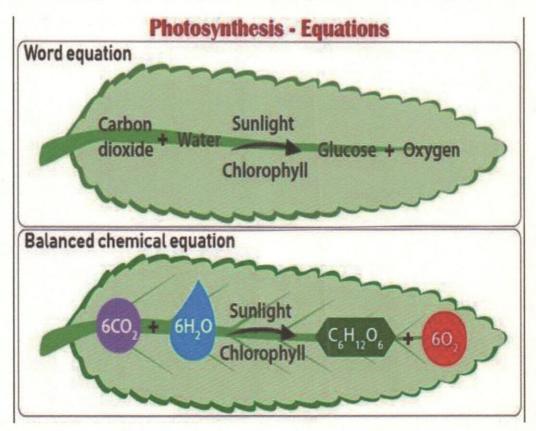
- Plants can produce food themselves by photosynthesis.
- Source of energy for Photosynthesis.
- Synthesis of carbohydrates.

#### Skills:

Define photosynthesis.



Construct the photosynthesis equation with given pictures - Discuss its importance.



TOPIC	TEACHER ACTIVITY	STUDENTS ACTIVITY	SKILLS
Photosynthesis	-provides cards to	-write down	-brain-storming
	each student	various inputs like	
		sun lights, CO2,	-sharing
	-instructs the	water etc and	thought
	students to observe	outputs like	
	the process through	Oxygen.	-creativity
	Visual aids		
		-construct the	-discipline
	-Facilitates the	process of	
	students to know	photosynthesis	-character
	the		building
	Inputs and out puts		
	of photosynthesis		

Conclusion: Provide a worksheet for students,

Students will be asked to construct their own and to label a plant performing photosynthesis.

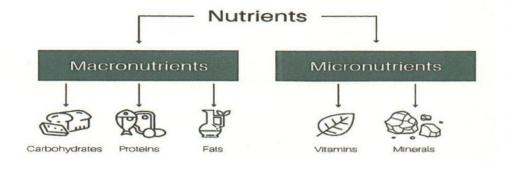
**Evaluation:** 

Strengths:

Areas for Improvement:

Nitrogen Fixing bacteria like Rhizobium converts atmospheric nitrogen in to nitrogenous compound for plants and in return they get photosynthesis products from the plants.

Macronutrients and micronutrients-



TOPIC	TEACHER ACTIVITY	STUDENTS ACTIVITY	SKILLS
Carnivorous	provides cards to each	Students will	-sharing
Plants	student	mention Nitrogen	thought
	-instructs the students	fixation.	-creativity
	about Nitrogen Fixing	With the	-democratic
	bacteria like	cooperation of all	environment
	Rhizobium etc. and	the students show	-character
	their work.	the different	building
	-Facilitates the	examples of	-respect to
	students how to	Macronutrients and	others' opinion.
	differentiate-	micronutrients.	
	Macronutrients and		
	micronutrients.		

Conclusion: Provide a worksheet for students;

• Students will be asked to construct their own and to label Nitrogen fixation.

**Evaluation:** 

Strengths:

Areas for Improvement:

# **COOPERATIVE LEARNING STRATEGY LESSON PLAN-03**

Subject: Science

Class: VII

Chapter: Nutrition in Plants

Topic: Heterotrophic/ Parasitic Mode of Nutrition

Duration: 30 min

Date: 13<sup>TH</sup> April, 2022

Materials: Visual Aids, pictures, drawing sheets, pencils, cards etc.

<u>Previous Knowledge</u>: The students are aware that all living things and their mode of nutrition.

Objectives: Provided with materials, students will be able to:

- Define the word 'Heterotrophic Mode of Nutrition' and understand the heterotrophs.
- Assemble the pictures of different heterotrophs.

#### Concepts:

- Who are the heterotrophs?
- Source of energy for them.
- Classification and different examples.

# Skills:

Define Heterotrophic Mode of Nutrition and Classification-

# **COOPERATIVE LEARNING STRATEGY LESSON PLAN-04**

Subject: Science

Class: VII

Chapter: Nutrition in Plants

Topic: Carnivorous Plants

Duration: 30 min

Date: 16<sup>TH</sup> April, 2022

Materials: YouTube, Visual Aids, pictures, drawing sheets, pencils, cards etc.

<u>Previous Knowledge</u>: The students are aware of different mode of nutrition by plants and animals.

Objectives: Provided with materials, students will be able to:

- Define Carnivorous Plants.
- Assemble the pictures of Carnivorous Plants
- Why these plants are carnivores?

#### Concepts:

- Some kind of Plants feed on insects although they produce food themselves by photosynthesis.
- The deficiency of nutrients from soil compels these plants to be carnivores.

#### Skills:

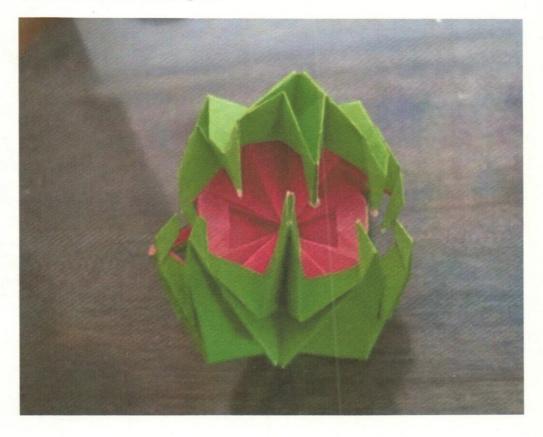
Define Saprophytic Mode of Nutrition.

# Carnivorous Plants Collection



Construct the carnivorous plants

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TOPIC	TEACHER ACTIVITY	STUDENTS ACTIVITY	SKILLS
Carnivorous Plants	provides cards to each student -instructs the students about Carnivorous	Students will mention different Carnivorous Plants With the	-sharing thought -creativity -democratic
	Plants -Facilitates the students how to differentiate with the aids provided.	cooperation of all the students show the different examples of Carnivorous Plants and their mode of nutrition, i.e., Drosera,	environment -character building
		Venus flytrap, sun dew plant etc.	

Conclusion: Provide a worksheet for students;

• Students will be asked to construct their own and to label Carnivorous Plants.

# **Evaluation:**

Strengths:

Areas for Improvement:

# **3. ACHIEVEMENT TEST**

#### NUTRITION IN PLANTS

#### QUESTIONNAIRE

#### DT- 18/04/2022

#### Multiple Choice type

01. What would happen, If a goat eats away all the leaves of a small plant?

A. Plant will no more.

B. Remaining leaves and branches will help to sustain the plant.

C. The small plant survived on the food stored in the stem and roots.

D. Soil nutrients will help to survive the plant once again.

**02.** "Leaves Are the Food Factories of Plant". But, How Does Cactus (Desert Plants) Carry Out Photosynthesis?

A. Roots

B. Spines

C. Stems

D. Green leave

03. Food is essential for all living organisms because

A. It provides energy

B. It helps in growth and repair cells

C. It protects our body from various diseases.

D. All of these

04. The Cell is enclosed by a thin outer boundary, Called

A. Cell membrane

B. Chromatin

C. Cytoplasm

D. Nucleus membrane

05. About "Mosquito", which of the following statement is incorrect?

A. It can be considered as an omnivore.

B. The Adult female feeds on blood to supply protein for eggs.

C. The larva of mosquito, feeds on microorganisms.

D. None of the above

06. A Parasitic Plant with Yellow, Slender and Tubular Stem

- A. Cuscuta
- B. Pitcher plant
- C. Golden roads
- D. All the above

07. In Non-Green Plants and Animals, their mode of Nutrition is

- A. Saprophytic
- B. Parasitic
- C. Heterotrophic
- D. Autotrophic

08. The term that is used for the mode of Nutrition in Yeast, Mushrooms and Bread

Mould is:

- A. Autotrophic
- B. Insectivorous
- C. Saprophytic
- D. Parasitic

09. Pitcher plant traps insect because it

- A. is a heterotroph.
- B. grows in soils which lack in nitrogen.
- C. does not have chlorophyll.
- D. has a digestive system like human beings.

10. Human beings get food from

- A. Plants
- B. Animals
- C. neither (a) or (b)
- D. both (a) and (b)

#### Filling the blanks (Completion items)

- 1. Green plants are called since they synthesise their own food.
- 2. The food synthesised by the plants is stored as \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. In photosynthesis solar energy is captured by the pigment called

- 4. During photosynthesis plants take in \_\_\_\_\_ and release
- 6. are the association of an autotroph and a heterotroph.
- 7. Carbon dioxide + Water + (Sunlight and Chlorophyll)  $\rightarrow$  Carbohydrates +
- 8. \_\_\_\_\_ is a parasite.
- Algae and Fungi are \_\_\_\_\_ organisms which prepare food for themselves using simple naturally available raw.
- 10. Materials are referred to as \_\_\_\_\_

# True or false

- 1. A Parasitic plant with Yellow, Slender and Tubular Stem is called Cuscuta. (T/F)
- 2. In Non-Green plants and Animals, their mode of Nutrition is heterotrophic. (T/F)
- 3. Pitcher plant traps insect because it grows in soils which lack in nitrogen. (T/F)
- 4. Lichens are the association of an autotroph and a saprotroph. (T/F)
- 5. When we observe the lower surface of a leaf through a magnifying lens, we see numerous small openings called as Lamina. (T/F)
- 6. Farmers do not apply nitrogenous fertilizers in the cultivation of pulses plant because pulses plant derive nutrition from the symbiotic association. (T/F)
- Photosynthesis requires chlorophyll and a few other raw materials as H<sub>2</sub>O, Solar energy, CO<sub>2</sub> and oxygen. (T/F)
- 8. Fungus is a Parasite. (T/F)
- 9. A Greenhouse is built of any material through which sunlight can't pass. (T/F)
- 10. Organisms which prepare food for themselves using simple naturally available raw materials are referred to as heterotrophs. (T/F)

4. CONTROL GROUP
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STUDENTS	ACHIEVEMENT SCORE
Student-1	17
Student-2	14
Student-3	15
Student-4	16
Student-5	18
Student-6	26
Student-7	21
Student-8	22
Student-9	22
Student-10	18
Student-11	27
Student-12	27
Student-13	18
Student-14	19
Student-15	17
Student-16	16
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Student-18	14
Student-19	20
Student-20	22
Student-21	20
Student-22	21
Student-23	24
Student-24	16

STUDENTS	ACHIEVEMENT SCORE
Student-1	29
	77
Student-2	21
Student-3	28
Student-4	26
Student-5	25
Student-6	21
Student-7	25
Student-8	19
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Student-24	26

# 5. EXPERIMENTAL GROUP