SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY Programme: BSC (MICROBIOLOGY)

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Paper Code: US04EMIC01	Total Credit: 2
Title Of Paper: Fundamental Microbiology	Total Credit: 2

Unit	Description in detail	Weighting (%)
1	Place of microorganisms in living world	
	Haeckels's classification	
	Whittaker's five kingdom concept	
	Criteria used in classifying Bacteria,	
	Introduction to Bergey's Manual	
2	Normal flora of the human body & gnotobiotic life, Infection and its types,	
	Occurrence of Diseases, Transmission of Disease, Factors Affecting Occurrence	
	of Disease, introduction to Virulence, WHO recommend vaccination programme.	
3	Control of Microorganisms by Physical agents:	
	Fundamental control of Microorganisms,	
	Conditions influencing antimicrobial action;	
	Mode of action of Antimicrobial Agent;	
	Physical Agents- High temperature (Moist heat, Dry heat, Pasteurization,	
	Incineration),	
	Low temperature, radiation, Filtration,	
4	Control of Microorganisms by Chemical agents:	
	Characteristics of an ideal antimicrobial chemical agent.	
	Chemical Agents - Phenol and Phenolic compounds, Alcohols, Heavy Metals,	
	Quaternary Ammonium compounds, Aldehydes, Gaseous agents,	
	Antibiotics (Penicillin and streptomycin).	

Basic Text & Reference Books:

- Microbiology Pelczar, Chan and Krieg, 5th Ed.
 Elementary Microbiology H. A. Modi

