

# Soil Science

## Objective:

To provide knowledge on the physical, chemical, and biological properties of soil. Emphasis will be placed on soil fertility, nutrient management, and sustainable soil conservation methods.

## Course Topics:

### 1. Soil Fertility and Nutrient Management

- Introduction: Overview of soil fertility and nutrient management in the context of agriculture.
- Objectives: To understand key concepts and practical applications of soil fertility and nutrient management.
- Syllabus:
  - \* Basic principles and concepts
  - \* Tools, methods, and technologies used
  - \* Case studies and practical applications
  - \* Fieldwork and experiments
- Learning Outcomes:
  - \* Students will be able to explain the fundamentals of soil fertility and nutrient management.
  - \* Analyze real-life agricultural problems related to soil fertility and nutrient management.
  - \* Apply theoretical knowledge in practical field conditions.
  - \* Demonstrate improved decision-making and problem-solving skills.

### 2. Soil Chemistry

- Introduction: Overview of soil chemistry in the context of agriculture.
- Objectives: To understand key concepts and practical applications of soil chemistry.
- Syllabus:
  - \* Basic principles and concepts

- \* Tools, methods, and technologies used
- \* Case studies and practical applications
- \* Fieldwork and experiments

- Learning Outcomes:

- \* Students will be able to explain the fundamentals of soil chemistry.
- \* Analyze real-life agricultural problems related to soil chemistry.
- \* Apply theoretical knowledge in practical field conditions.
- \* Demonstrate improved decision-making and problem-solving skills.

### 3. Soil Physics and Soil Biology

- Introduction: Overview of soil physics and soil biology in the context of agriculture.

- Objectives: To understand key concepts and practical applications of soil physics and soil biology.

- Syllabus:

- \* Basic principles and concepts
- \* Tools, methods, and technologies used
- \* Case studies and practical applications
- \* Fieldwork and experiments

- Learning Outcomes:

- \* Students will be able to explain the fundamentals of soil physics and soil biology.
- \* Analyze real-life agricultural problems related to soil physics and soil biology.
- \* Apply theoretical knowledge in practical field conditions.
- \* Demonstrate improved decision-making and problem-solving skills.