

# **AgriToppers Classes**

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#### AGRONOMY

# STUDY PLANNER (Concept build up)

| Number | Торіс   | <b>Revision 1</b> (Write Date) | <b>Revision 2</b> (Write Date) |
|--------|---|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 0      | Introduction, Suggested reading list, approach & important topics   |                                |                                |
| 1      | Agriculture & Agronomy- Definitions, basic principles, history and scope  |                                |                                |
| 2      | Factors influencing the crop growth and development   |                                |                                |
| 3      | Agro meteorology-Terminology, history and importance  |                                |                                |
| 4      | Growth and development of crop- pattern and growth analysis   |                                |                                |
| 5      | Soil environment and its modification-soil formation and development, soil physical-<br>chemical and biological environment |                                |                                |
| 6      | Crops, cultivars and tillage  |                                |                                |



| 7  | Seeds and sowing  |  |
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| 8  | Plant population  |  |
| 9  | Mineral nutrition, manures and fertilizers  |  |
| 10 | Dryland crop production   |  |
| 11 | Soil and water conservation   |  |
| 12 | Irrigation-water resources, basic concepts, methods of irrigation and measurement of irrigation water |  |
| 13 | Efficient use of water in crop production   |  |
| 14 | Agronomic methods of pest management  |  |
| 15 | Harvesting, storage and post-harvest management   |  |
| 16 | Quality of agricultural produce   |  |
| 17 | Cropping systems  |  |
| 18 | Farming systems   |  |
| 19 | Organic farming   |  |
| 20 | Precision agriculture   |  |
| 21 | Crop production (Part 1)-cereals  |  |
| 22 | Crop production (Part 2)- pulses and oilseeds   |  |
| 23 | Crop production (Part 3)-commercial crops   |  |
| 24 | Crop production (Part 4)- forage crops  |  |



| 25 | Plant physiology and biochemistry   |  |
|----|---|--|
| 26 | Weed management- basics, weed menace, crop weed competition, propagation of weeds   |  |
| 27 | Classification of weeds, physiology, biology of weeds   |  |
| 28 | Classification of herbicides and mode of action   |  |
| 29 | Herbicide resistance, calibration of sprayer  |  |
| 30 | Agriculture statistics (part 1)- basic concepts, role, measurement scales , data classification and summarization, central tendency, dispersion skewness and kurtosis |  |
| 31 | Agriculture statistics (part 2)- experimental designs   |  |
| 32 | Agronomic numericals  |  |
| 33 | Soil science- basics, problematic soils   |  |
| 34 | Fertilizers and their classification, nutrient analysis methods   |  |
| 34 | Agronomy MCQ's-I  |  |
| 37 | Agronomy MCQ's –II  |  |
| 38 | Agronomy MCQ's –III   |  |
| 39 | Soil Science MCQ'S  |  |
| 40 | Agricultural statistics MCQ's   |  |



| 41                                 | Plant Physiology MCQ's             |  |  |  |  |
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| 42                                 | Agronomy doubts and discussions    |  |  |  |  |
| 43                                 | Soil Science discussion            |  |  |  |  |
| 44                                 | Agricultural Statistics discussion |  |  |  |  |
| GENERAL AGRICULTURE VIDEO LECTURES |                                    |  |  |  |  |
| 1                                  | GA_Agronomy                        |  |  |  |  |
| 2                                  | GA_Soil Science                    |  |  |  |  |
| 3                                  | GA_Economics & Extension           |  |  |  |  |
| 4                                  | GA_Entomology                      |  |  |  |  |
| 5                                  | GA_Agricultural Statistics         |  |  |  |  |
| 6                                  | GA_Horticulture                    |  |  |  |  |
| 7                                  | GA_Plant Biotechnology             |  |  |  |  |
| 8                                  | GA_Genetics                        |  |  |  |  |
| 9                                  | GA_Pathology                       |  |  |  |  |

- ✤ Go through toppers notes for clear understanding and edge over others.
- Clear doubts by available several interactive platforms when needed (Telephone, Whatsapp, Email).
- ✤ For better understanding video lectures & reading of suggested books should go in side by side.



| <b>STUDY PLANNER</b> (Reading tracker)  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|-------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Text Book   | 50 % reading<br>(Write date)   | 100 % reading<br>(Write date) | 1 <sup>st</sup> revision<br>(Write date) | 2 <sup>nd</sup> revision<br>(Write date) | 3 <sup>rd</sup> revision<br>(Write date) |  |  |
| CORE SUBJECT: Genetic   | CORE SUBJECT: Genetics & Plant breeding, Plant Pathology, Microbiology & Seed Technology |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. Principles of agronomy- Reddy and Reddy  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. Principles of Agronomy- S R Reddy  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. Irrigation agronomy- S R Reddy   |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4. Modern concepts of agronomy- ICAR  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Field Crop Production- Dr. Rajendra<br>Prasad                                      |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Crop Production Technologies- Chiddha<br>Singh (Fodder crops)                      |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7. Weed management- O. P Gupta  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8. Introduction to Soil science- D K Das  |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 9. Fundamentals of agriculture- Arun<br>Katyayan (Plant Physiology &<br>Biochemistry) |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10. Agricultural Statistics- Rangaswamy   |  |                               |  |  |  |  |  |



| GENERAL AGRICULTURE |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1. Nem Raj Sunda    |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2. S. R. Kantwa     |  |  |  |  |  |