Certificate Course on Nursery Management and Propagation

Course Code: NMP

Syllabus:

Unit-I: Propagation- Importance and potentialities, Sexual and asexual methods of propagation, Advantages and disadvantages of propagation.

Unit-II: Methods of vegetative propagation: Cutting, budding, layering and grafting techniques. Preparation of nursery bed, orchard layout, system of crop planting, pot mixture and making.

Unit-III: Problems of horticulture crops, Factors influencing rooting of cutting, layering and grafting.

Unit- IV: Use of growth regulators in propagation, media for propagation of plants in nursery beds.

PRACTICAL: 1. Preparation of different types of cuttings, budding, layering and grafting.

2. Uprooting, digging, labelling and packing of nursery plant.

Books and References:

- **1.** Dr. Arun kumar Singh and Abhinav kumar (2020). Propagation and nursery management.
- **2.** R.R.Sharma and Manish Srivastav (2004). Plant propagation and nursery management.
- **3.** B.S. Chundawat (2017). Plant propagation and nursery management.