Chapter-1

Reproduction in Organisms

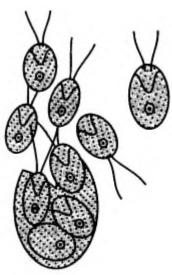
Worksheet-1

- 1. Which of the following structure is the vital link that ensures continuity of species between organisms of one generation and the next:
 - (a) Endosperm
 - (b) Zygote
 - (c) Embryo
 - (d) Sex organs
- 2. The end of vegetative phase in plants which marks the beginning of the reproductive phase can be easily seen in the higher plants when they come to
 - (a) flower
 - (b) fertilize
 - (c) pollinate
 - (d) None of the above
- 3. Select the incorrect statements.
 - (a) Cucurbits and coconuts are monoecious plants.
 - (b) Papayas and date palms are dioecious plants.
 - (c) Leeches and tapeworms are bisexual animals.
 - (d) Sponges and coelenterates are unisexual animals
- 4. Name the vegetative propagules in the following:
 - (i)Agave

- (ii) Bryophyllum
- 5. Write the name of the organism that is referred to as 'Terror of Bengal'.
- 6. Give one example each of a fungus which reproduces by
 - (i) budding
- (ii) conidia
- 7. Give one example of a plant that reproduces by
 - (i) runner

- (ii) offset
- 8. Name an organism, where cell division in itself is a mode of reproduction.
- 9. Name an alga that reproduces asexually through zoospores. Why are these reproductive units so called?
- 10. Which one of the following statements is true for yeast?
 - (i)The cell divides by binary fission. One of them develops into a bud.
 - (ii) The cell divides unequally. The smaller cell develops into a bud.
 - (iii)The cell produces conidia which develop into a bud.
- 11. How does Penicillium reproduce asexually?
- 12.Offsprings produced by asexual reproduction are called clones. Justify giving two reasons.

- 13. Mention a characteristic feature and a function of zoospores in some algae.
- 14. Identify this reproductive structure and name the organism they are being released from



15.Banana crop is produced by farmers without sowing of seeds. Explain how the plant is propagated?