# Chapter 7

# **Nervous System**

## **LESSON PLAN**

### **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES**

The students will learn about

- control and coordination
- nervous system and mechanism of nervous coordination
- human nervous system

#### **Teaching Aids**

**Pictures/charts/models/animation** on structure of a neuron, a synapse, pathway of nerve impulse; human nervous system, structure of human brain, TS of spinal cord

#### **Teaching Strategy**

- Teacher will start the chapter by defining control and coordination in the organisms and the organ systems involved in it.
- Teacher will define nervous system, its parts and mechanism of nervous control.
- Now, teacher will discuss human nervous system by describing its parts and their functions.
- Then, teacher will discuss peripheral nervous system and autonomic nervous system and their significance to organisms.
- Now, teacher will ask students to solve 'Check Point'.
- At last, teacher will sum up the lesson by going through the points given under the head 'Wrapping It Up'.
- Teacher will finally help students to answer the questions given under the head 'Test Yourself'.

#### Boost Up

- Teacher can make students revise new terms given under the head 'Know These Terms'.
- Teacher can encourage students to learn the facts given under the head 'Something More'.
- Teacher can show animations related to the topics taught, if possible.

#### **Expected Learning Outcomes**

The students understand and know:

- control and coordination in the body
- nervous system, its structure and mechanism of nervous control
- human nervous system, its parts and their functioning
- two antagonistic systems of the body and their significance

#### **Evaluative Questions**

The teacher should ask the following questions to evaluate the students:

- **1.** What is an impulse?
- 2. What are meninges?
- 3. What is the structural and functional unit of nervous system?
- 4. What is little brain? What is its function?
- 5. Give the number of cranial and spinal nerves.
- 6. Name two antagonistic systems of the body.