# Chapter 6

# **Circulatory System**

## **LESSON PLAN**

#### **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES**

The students will learn about

- blood vascular system
- structure and working of heart
- blood vessels
- blood groups and blood transfusion
- lymphatic system

#### **Teaching Aids**

**Pictures/charts/models/animation** on structure of human heart, structure of bicuspid and semilunar valves; double circulation of blood; Events during cardiac cycle; conducting system of heart showing pacemaker; blood vessels (artery, vein and capillary), a part of vein cut open to show valves; union of artery and vein through capillary network; ABO system of blood groups

### **Teaching Strategy**

- Teacher will start the chapter by revising the structure and functions of blood and external structure of heart which students have learnt in previous classes.
- Now, teacher will introduce circulatory system and its components.
- Teacher will discuss heart and will explain structure and functioning of heart.
- Teacher will explain double circulation of blood and its importance.
- Teacher will explain heartbeat, heart sounds and cardiac cycle.
- Teacher will explain pulse and pulse rate and will perform Activities 1 and 2.
- Teacher will explain pacemaker and discuss conduction of heartbeat.
- ❖ To evaluate students, teacher will ask them to solve 'Check Point 1'.
- Now, teacher will explain the kinds of blood vessels, their structure and functions.

- Now, teacher will discuss blood groups, blood transfusion and importance of blood groups in blood transfusion.
- ❖ To evaluate students, teacher will ask them to solve 'Check Point 2'.
- ❖ Teacher will discuss some conditions related to the functioning of heart, i.e., palpitations, cardiac arrest, hypertension and heart attack.
- Teacher will discuss lymphatic system, its components, functions and significance of lymphatic system.
- ♦ To evaluate students, teacher will ask them to solve 'Check Point 3'.
- ❖ 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 help students to perform the activities given in chapter and can assign Activities 3, 4 and 5 to the students as home assignment and discuss the results in the class.
- 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:

- blood vascular system and its importance
- structure and function of heart and blood vessels
- double circulation and its significance
- heartbeat, heart sounds, cardiac cycle, pulse and pulse rate
- ABO blood groups, universal donor and universal acceptor
- blood transfusion
- palpitations, cardiac arrest, hypertension and heart attack
- lymph, lymph vessels, lymph nodes, their functions and significance of lymphatic system

#### **Evaluative Questions**

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

- 1. What are the two parts of circulatory system in humans?
- 2. What are cuspid valves? Where are they found?
- 3. What is double circulation?
- **4.** What is heartbeat?
- 5. What is the duration of a cardiac cycle?

- **6.** What is pacemaker?
- 7. What are universal donor and universal recipient?
- **8.** What conditions lead to hypertension?
- **9.** What are lymph nodes?
- **10.** What is lymph?