# Chapter 2

## The Skeletal System

### **LESSON PLAN**

#### **SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES**

The students will learn about

- skeletal system
- importance of bones, muscles and joints for the body
- functions of bones
- major bones of the body
- care of bones and joints
- food items to make the bones strong
- importance of good posture and exercise

#### **Teaching Aids**

**Pictures/charts/models/animation** on the topics given in the chapter.

#### Lesson Plan

- Teacher will start the chapter with 'Gear Up' section discussing different types of body movements and how they are performed.
- ♦ With the help of suitable teaching aids, teacher will explain the parts, functions and importance of skeletal system.
- \* To check the understanding of students about the topic, teacher will ask them to solve 'Check Point 1'.
- Now, teacher will explain the body joints, their types and functions in the body.
- Now, teacher will ask students to solve 'Check Point 2'.
- Teacher will explain keeping of bones, muscles and joints healthy by means of nutritious diet and physical exercises.
- Teacher will define posture and discuss the importance of good posture.
- Now, teacher will ask students to solve 'Check Point 3'.
- ♦ At last, teacher will sum up the chapter by going through all the points given under the head 'Wrap up now' and revising the 'New Words'.

❖ Finally, teacher will help students to solve all the exercises given under the head 'Practice Time'.

#### **Boost Up**

- Teacher should encourage students to take healthy diet and do regular physical excrecises for keeping bones, muscles and joints healthy.
- Teacher should encourage students to keep correct posture.
- Teacher should encourage students to learn the number and names of bones found in different parts of the body.

#### **Expected Learning Outcomes**

The students understand and know

- number, names and functions of bones of forelimbs, hindlimbs, chest, skull, jaws and backbone.
- functions of skeletal system.
- joints found in the body.
- muscles and their importance in the body.
- role of nutritious diet and regular physical exercises in keeping bones, muscles and joints healthy.
- importance of good posture.

#### **Evaluative Questions**

Teacher may ask the following questions for evaluating learning and understanding of students:

- 1. What is skeletal system?
- **2.** What are the major bones of the body?
- 3. What is a joint in our body?
- 4. What are immovable and movable joints?
- 5. What is posture?