



Department of Zoology

Objectives of Visit: The objectives of trip was to get to know the Manipal Museum in order to enrich students knowledge and observe the anatomy and pathology of the human body.

Details of the Visit: The Manipal Museum of Anatomy and pathology or MAP, is one of the largest in Asia. MAP is a storehouse of knowledge. The specimens have been there for close to 40years. The renovated museum with its new magnificent ambiance will be an added attraction for hundreds and thousands of visitors. The Museum boasts of over 3000 specimens and samples of things Anatomical, including the skulls of elephants and whales and long skeletons of the King Cobra.

The Museum opened to public in 1954 with over 650 specimens, anatomy section houses well preserved specimens of human body from head to toe and everything in between. A section of comparative anatomy houses the skeletons of various other animals and carefully crafted the models and charts augment the entire experience.

The Museum is divided into two main sections: Anatomy and Pathology. The anatomy section displays specimens of normal human body parts and organs in a manner that makes them easy to understand. Each organ system of the human body can be explored as a separate entity. There is a section on comparative anatomy, where a large collection of animals, their skeleton, and bones are displayed. We reached Manipal anatomy and pathology Museum by 10 AM on 15th July 2023. Observed the preserved specimens.

Outcome of the Visit: For students, MAP is a wonderful learning aid and for the visitors. The whole trip to the Manipal anatomy and pathology Museum was a well recommended trip for Zoology students in order to learn something new and beneficial for them. MAP gave immense knowledge to students about skulls, embryos and different body parts and related diseases that occur in humans. This study trip has done successfully.

