BASANTI DEVI COLLEGE

GOVERNMENT SPONSORED COLLEGE (affiliated to University of Calcutta)



FOUNDED IN 1959

NAAC Accredited (3rd Cycle) : B+ Grade

A PREMIER GIRLS' COLLEGE IN SOUTH KOLKATA



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PROSPECTUS

2022-2023

REDUCING CARBON FOOTPRINT THROUGH PAPERLESS TRANSACTIONS

During the academic session 2021-2022 a college management system has been implemented by the college. The system is cloud based and it can be accessed from anywhere with any internet enabled devices. Earlier the students had to pay their fees and submit the payment receipt to the college office which accumulates a lot of papers. The newly introduced system reconciles the payment data from bank / payment gateway and prepares report therefore students are not required to submit any payment receipt to the college, which will significantly reduce the carbon footprint and will be beneficial for long term environmental protection.

IMPLEMENTATION OF COLLEGE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

During the academic session 2021-2022 a college management system has been implemented by the college. It is a web-based Enterprise resource planning (E.R.P.) application to manage all aspects of student, Staff and Management. The system is hosted in cloud server thus allowing to access information at any point of time using any internet enabled devices. The cloud application manages all financial transaction from the student end for their respective fees payment. The system provides unique user ID & password to students& Staff for accessing their data from the cloud server. The system generates all kind of academic & administrative reports required for smooth functioning of the college.





AN INITIATIVE TOWARDS GREEN CAMPUS

The 10KwP Solar PV Rooftop plant inaugurated on 22.12.2017 by Shri Sobhandeb Chattopadhyay, then Honorable Minister-in-Charge, Department of Power & Non-Conventional Energy Sources, Govt. of West Bengal, in presence of Dr. S. P. Gon Chaudhuri, internationally acclaimed Solar Scientist, the Principal of the college and members of the College Governing Body.

The plant will reduce the electricity bill of College by Rs.1.5 lakhs annually and reduce Co2 emission by 18 tons annually. The Rooftop Solar System has been designed by Arka Renewable Energy College of Kolkata headed by Dr. S. P. Gon Chaudhuri.

GREEN CAMPUS COLLEGE GARDEN FUNDED BY ROTARY CLUB CALCUTTA DISTRICT (3291) AND MAINTAINED BY IQAC AND NSS

The college is maintained as a plastic free zone



BASANTI DEVI (23rdMarch, 1880 – 7th May, 1974)

HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE

Basanti Devi College was founded by the Government of West Bengal in 1959 and became part of a cluster of colleges including Muralidhar Girls' College (1940), Deshbandhu College (1955) and Women's Christian College (1937), all dedicated to the education of girls from middle class families, in the Gariahat-Kalighat area. The College is named after Basanti Devi (1880-1974) who was patriot and revolutionary activist and



the first Indian woman to go to jail. She was also the wife of the nationalist leader Deshbandhu Chittaranjan Das. In naming the college after her the Government of West Bengal at that time appeared to recognize women's contribution to a free and independent India.

This premier college caters to the needs of girl students from diverse class backgrounds, hailing from both the North and Southern areas of the city. Its strategic location, close to the four-point Gariahat intersection, and proximity to Ballygunge Railway Station gives it an easy accessibility to students especially from the South 24 Parganas who travel from Sonarpur and Baruipur. The college offers a wide variety of subjects allowed at the undergraduate level

for both Honours and Pass by the University of Calcutta and follows its prescribed syllabi. In addition, students are made to participate in a larger program of cultural and social enhancement and empowerment. The college regularly hosts U.G.C. seminars and conferences, human rights workshops, cultural events like Rabindra Jayanti, and motivates students to participate in self-help programmes like the NCC and NSS. Along with education the college emphasizes the importance of developing a sense of social responsibility and commitment.

The college was reaccredited (3^{rd} cycle) by NAAC in 2018 and was awarded grade B+ (2.51 on 7-point scale) and is proud of its highly qualified faculty members who remain engaged in both teaching and research. Their commitment is borne out by the fact that many of our students are rank holders at the university level examinations. As part of our ongoing vision to enhance educational opportunities for women students from different sections of society, the college has also introduced Postgraduate (M.A.) programmes in English and Political Science from September 2013.

Introducing the college to new students gives us a moment to recollect and remember the woman patriot who gave the college her name. Basanti Devi was the daughter of Baradanath Haldar, Diwan of a large zamindary in Assam. Her life may be divided into three phases.

In the first phase, she spent her childhood under the care of her father from 1890 to 1897. She was educated at Loreto House, Calcutta, and at the age of seventeen years, she was married off to Chittaranjan Das, then an obscure barrister at the Calcutta High Court. During the next ten years she was a home-maker, managing a prosperous family, with many dependent relatives. From 1908 her husband became the most famous lawyer of Bengal; he successfully defended Aurobindo Ghose and his militant nationalist associates in the Alipore Bomb case and obtained their acquittal.

The second phase of Basanti Devi's life began in 1917 when C.R. Das joined active politics and was elected the chairman of the Bengal Provincial Congress. That eventually led to Das's decision to abandon the legal profession in response to Mahatma Gandhi's call for Non-cooperation and boycott of the British courts of law in 1920. Income from legal practice ceased to flow into the family coffers and this meant a drastic change in the lifestyle of Basanti Devi's family. She herself was totally convinced that the Non-cooperation Movement merited her support. On 2 December 1921, her political activities in support of the movement for boycott of foreign cloth led to her arrest; her sister Urmila Devi and some other women Congress workers were also arrested. There was a huge public outcry against the arrest of ladies of leading Bengali families and Basanti Devi and the others were soon released. However, C.R. Das was arrested and Basanti Devi took it upon herself to edit the Congress journal *Banglar Katha* while her husband was in jail. In 1922, she was elected Chairman of the Bengal Provincial Congress meeting and took prominent part in Bengal politics. This chapter of her life came to a close in 1925 when her husband suddenly passed away at the age of fifty-five.

The third phase in Basanti Devi's life comprises the fifty long years till her death in 1974. The death of her husband was followed by the death of their son Chiranjeet in 1926. Deeply shocked, she almost completely retired from public life. She continued to be associated with some social welfare institutions founded by her husband but her political life came to an end. Little is known of her private life in this last phase of her life except that in arranging her daughter's marriage she boldly defied caste prejudices.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

It is my pleasure to welcome you to our college. A new academic year brings with it a fresh batch of young learners; I extend a hearty welcome to all students being admitted to our esteemed institution. Our College is a NAAC re-accredited college (February 2012). Our reputation as one of the leading educational institutions in Kolkata rests upon our untiring effort to uphold academic standards and to impart higher education of good quality. As part of our ongoing vision to enhance educational opportunities for women students from different sections of society, the college has also introduced Postgraduate (M.A.) programmes in English and Political Science from September 2013. Since then several batches of students have taken the University examinations, and some of them have gone on to be well placed while others have moved on to pursue higher academics. The college also has various Skill development programmes (Certificate courses in Functional English, etc). The college promotes student involvement in co-curricular activities like the Annual Sports, cultural events like the Rabindra Jayanti, the College Social, Mock U.N. Parliaments, and community services through the NCC, NSS and other such associations. The college campus is Wi-Fi enabled, which allows students to access uninterrupted internet connectivity for academic purposes.

I am proud to announce that the college has been awarded B+ grade (in the 3rd Cycle) by the NAAC peer team during its visit on $21^{st}-22^{nd}$ June, 2018.

We have resumed offline classes since 7th February, 2022 as per the State Government order. Ever since all academic and co-curricular activities continue to be held in the college premises.

In short, our college has a lot to offer, and most students at the end of three years of study here, feel that college life was one of the best experiences of their lives

Dr. Indrila Guha

Principal



Our Motto



Our Vision

"Women Empowerment through Higher Education"

Our Mission

- To provide quality education to girl students irrespective of caste, creed, religion and diverse socio-economic status.
- To equip and empower students with relevant knowledge, competence and creativity to face local and global challenges.
- To develop a sensitive and responsible youth force who have social commitments towards the larger section of the society.
- To develop a commitment towards the conservation of Environment with a goal towards sustainable development.

GOVERNING BODY OF THE COLLEGE

The college runs under the efficient guidance of the Governing Body which helps the college authority to take effective decisions on policy matters.

GB Post	Name of President/Member	Capacity
President	Dr. Sibranjan Chatterjee	State Government Nominee
Secretary	Dr. Indrila Guha	Principal
Member	Sri Surjyansu Bhattacharjee	State Government Nominee
Member	Sri Debasis Kumar	State Government Nominee
Member	Smt. Nabanita Chatterjee	WBSCHE Nominee
Member	-	CU Representative
Member	-	CU Representative
Member	Dr. Palash Mondal	Teacher Representative
Member	Dr. Amrita Mondal	Teacher Representative
Member	Dr. Gour Chandra Mondal	Teacher Representative
Member	Sri Pankaj Kumar Das	Non-Teacher Representative
Member	-	Student's Representative

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC) OF THE COLLEGE

The IQAC of Basanti Devi College was established on 15 .09.2004 with the objective of quality enhancement in the institution & providing an environment for its sustenance.

Present Composition of the IQAC

Sl. No.	Name of the Member	Designation
1	Prof. (Dr.) Indrila Guha Principal, Deptt. of Economics	Chairperson
2	Dr. Aditi Sarkar Associate Professor, Deptt. of Education	Coordinator
3.	Swami Shastrajnananda Principal, Ramakrishna Mission Residential College, Narendrapur	Senior Administrative Officer
4.	Dr. Sanjay Gopal Sarkar Joint Registrar, Jadavpur University	Senior Administrative Officer
5.	Dr. Ramaprasad Bhattacharya Joint D.P.I, Department of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal	Senior Administrative Officer
6.	Smt. Nabanita Chattopadhhyay Associate Professor, Dinobandhu Andrews College External Member, Governing Body, BDC	Management Representative
7.	Sri Debasish Kumar Member, Mayor-in-Council, Kolkata corporation External Member, Governing Body, BDC	Community Representative
8.	Sri Debapriya Sen Dy. General Manager, SAIL	Industry Representative
9.	Smt. Moulini Dey Sarkar Ex Student, Department of Education	Alumni Representative
10.	Dr. Amrita Mondal (Bursar) Associate Professor, Deptt. of Chemistry	Internal Member
11.	Dr. Sujata Mitra Associate Professor , Deptt. of Sanskrit	Internal Member
12.	Dr. Durga Rani Das Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Philosophy	Internal Member
13.	Dr. Sanchita Roy Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Chemistry	Internal Member
14.	Dr. Aparna Sadhu Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Philosophy	Internal Member
15.	Smt. Ankhi Sen Sanyal Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Political Science	Internal Member
16.	Dr. Mihir Naskar Assistant Professor, Deptt. of Political Science	Internal Member
17.	Sri. Kalipada Jana Librarian	Internal Member
18.	Sri. Samik Chowdhury Administrative Assistant	Internal Member

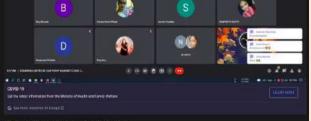
Significant Contributions made by IQAC 2020 - 2021

- 1 Regular meeting of IQAC.
- 2 Academic Calendar for the session 2021-2022 prepared & uploaded in the college website.
- 3 Submission of AQAR, 2020-2021 on November 8th, 2021 & Acknowledgement received from NAAC.
- 4 Successfully uploaded the data of All India Survey on Higher Education (AISHE) 2021-2022.
- 5 Participated in National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) 2022, MHRD, Government of India.
- 6 Online Orientation Program organized for B.A. / B.Sc. (Hons. / Gen. / Major) First Semester Students,2021
- 7 Policy for Slow & Advanced learners -- Prepared & Implemented.
- 8 Policy for Mentoring process -- Prepared & Implemented
- **9** Policy for maintaining & utilizing Physical, Academic & the Support facilities -- Prepared, Implemented & constantly monitored.
- **10** Series of Webinars/ Workshops/ E-Quiz/ Essay Writing Competition/Poster Competition Organized by different Departments in collaboration with IQAC on quality issues (May, 2021 to April, 2022).
- **11** Students Satisfaction Survey conducted from 20th to 23rd August, 2021.Action Taken Report available on college website.
- 12 Feedback collected on the syllabus and its transaction at the institution level (2021) from the stakeholders like 1)Students 2) Teachers 3) Employers &4) Alumni. Analysis & Action Taken Report available on college website.
- 13 Framed well defined & viable strategic goals for creation of a Green Campus & Social Sensitization Program to help students to dream & achieve a sustainable & healthy environment in and outside the college campus.
- 14 Project Completed on 'Creating Environmental Awareness among College Students Using Paper Recycling Technology in Kolkata' funded by WBPCB.



Basanti Devi College , Kolkata, West Bengal is now a Recognized Swachhta Action Plan Institution. Dr. Indrila Guha, Principal (P.I.) & Dr. Aditi Sarkar





UGC recommended programme on 'Standing United in Our Fight Against COVID-19 Pandemic', organized by NCC, NSS, Department of Sports, Department of Psychology & Psychological Counselling Cell in association with IQAC on 21.06.2021

UGC recommended programme 'Standing United in Our Fight Against COVID-19 Pandemic'

Basanti Devi College, Kolkata is pleased to announce that in response to the letter of University Grant Commission dated 10th May, 2021[D.O.No.F.14-1/2021(CPP-II)], an extensive four day long online programme on 'Standing United in Our Fight Against COVID-19 Pandemic' was organized by NCC, NSS, Department of Sports, Department of Psychology & Psychological Counselling Cell in association with **IQAC** of the college. The Principal, Students & Staff members actively participated in the program.

Measures to be taken by the College in the present times for a better tomorrow:

1. Ensuring COVID appropriate behaviour by following Guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.

2. Arranging for Counsellors & Mentors for mental health, psycho-social support &

wellbeing of all stakeholders.

3. Motivating everyone to engage in activities for physical & mental fitness while staying at home.

- 4. Creating a team of well-informed trained volunteers in life-skills including NCC, NSS for extending help & support.
- 5. Taking suitable welfare measures for students, teachers, staff & other stakeholders.

As part of the welfare measure, the Principal of the College with the help of M.L.A. Sri Debasis Kumar started a free **vaccination drive** from 15th June, 2021 for Teachers, Non-teaching Staff & the super spreader of the community.

The performing team of Basanti Devi College acknowledges the support extended by University Grants Commission to hold programmes in the present times for a better tomorrow.

The progamme details are uploaded in the college website:

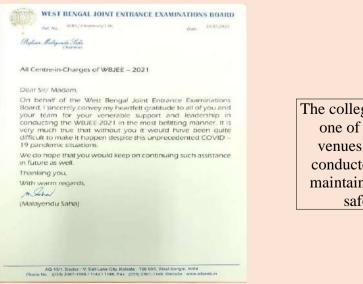
www.basantidevicollege.edu.in

Covid Awareness

http://www.basantidevicollege.edu.in/covid_awareness.shtml#covidawareness

Youtube link

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJ6AcBjCA0vHSJAt9u3WrGQ



The college was selected to be one of the WBJEE-2021 venues and it succesfully conducted the examination maintaining the COVID-19 safety guidelines

NAAC ACCREDITATION DETAILS

Sl. No	Cycle	Grade	CGPA	Year of Accreditation	Validity Period
1	1 st Cycle	B++	80.25 (out of 100)	2004	-
2	2 nd Cycle	В	2.71 (out of 4)	2012	2017
3	3 rd Cycle	B+	2.51(on 7-point scale)	2018	2023



Exit Meeting with NAAC Peer Team following their visit for 3rd cycle of Reaccreditation - 22nd June 2018.



राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन एवं प्रत्यायन परिषद वश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग का स्वायत्त संस्थान NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCREDITATION COUNCIL

An Autonomous Institution of the University Grants Commission

Certificate of Accreditation

The Executive Committee of the National Assessment and Accreditation Council on the recommendation of the duly appointed Peer Jeam is pleased to declare the Basanti Devi College Rash Behari Avenue, Kolkata, affiliated to University of Calcutta, West Bengal as

Accredited

with CSPA of 2.51 on seven point scale

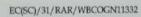
at \mathcal{B}^+ grade valid up to August 15, 2023

Date: August 16, 2018



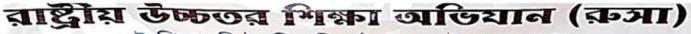
Director





Upgradation and Renovation of the College under R.U.S.A Grant

(Rs. Two crore was sanctioned by the Ministry of Human Resource Development for the development of the infrastructure of the college)



এই শিক্ষাপ্রতিষ্ঠানটি পরিকাঠামোগত উন্নয়নের জন্য রাষ্ট্রীয় উচ্চতর শিক্ষা অভিযান কর্তৃক অনুদান প্রাপ্ত

RASHTRIYA UCHCHATARA SHIKSHA ABHIYAN (RUSA) THIS INSTITUTION IS A RECIPIENT OF RUSA FUNDS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADATION





Instruments, Physics Laboratory



Instruments, Psychology Laboratory

Instruments, Chemistry Laboratory



College Generator



Central Library

PHOTOGRAPHS OF EQUIPMENTS PROCURED UNDER RUSA FUND

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY FINAL EXAMINATION RESULTS OF THE COLLEGE

COLLATED FINDINGS OF UNIVERSITY RESULTS,2021

PROGRAM	NO OF STU- DENTS APPEARED	NO OF STUDENTS PASSED	% OF SUCCESS
B.A. HONS.	200	197	98.5
B.SC. HONS	78	78	100
B.A. MAJOR	23	23	100
B.A. GENERAL	100	96	96
P.G.	32	31	97
TOTAL	433	425	98.15

2018				
EXAMINATION	ENROLLED	% OF SUCCESS	FIRST CLASS	
B.A. (HONOURS)	151	95.97	8	
B. Sc. (HONOURS)	83	82.67	9	
		2017		
EXAMINATION	ENROLLED	% OF SUCCESS	FIRST CLASS	
B.A. (HONOURS)	180	100	14	
B. Sc. (HONOURS)	88	83.08	12	
		2016		
EXAMINATION	ENROLLED	% OF SUCCESS	FIRST CLASS	
B.A. (HONOURS)	166	88.55	14	
B. Sc. (HONOURS)	70	68.57	11	
		2015		
B.A. (HONOURS)	158	98.68	07	
B. Sc. (HONOURS)	49	88.89	13	
		2014		
B.A. (HONOURS)	185	100	17	
B. Sc. (HONOURS)	48	84.21	09	

TOP TWENTY CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS OF THE COLLEGE

YEAR	SUBJECT (HONS.)	NAME	RANK
2018	EDUCATION	CHAITALI HALDER	1 st Class 4 th
	HISTORY	RUMI BEPARI	1 st Class 6 th
2017	BENGALI	BHAGYASHREE TALUKDAR	1 ST Class 3 RD
	EDUCATION	SHREYA PARAMANYA	1 ST Class 2 nd
	EDUCATION	SAMPA DAS	1 ST Class 5 th
	EDUCATION	MOULINI DE SARKAR	1 ST Class 8 th
	EDUCATION	MOUMITA GAYEN	1 ST Class 9 th
	EDUCATION	SUCHANDRA DAS	1 ST Class 10 th
	SANSKRIT	PAYEL SARDAR	1 ST Class 2 nd

	STATISTICS	SANCHARI SATPATHI	1 ST Class 9 th
2016 *	BENGALI	SUSHMITA NANDAN	1 st Class 4th
	CHEMISTRY	RUMELA ADHIKARY	1 st Class 15 th
	EDUCATION	MADHUMITA DAS	1 st Class 2nd
	EDUCATION	ATASI GHOSH	1 st class 13 th
2015	EDUCATION	PAYAL CHAKRABORTY	1 st Class 19 th
2013	POLITICAL SCIENCE	RINKU DHAR	1stClass 17 th
	SANSKRIT	SANCHITA GHOSH	1 st Class 18 th
	SOCIOLOGY	PRETASHA BANERJEE	1 st Class 12 th
	SOCIOLOGY	ANUPAMA DAS	1 st Class 15 th
	BENGALI	ANUSHRI ROY	1 st Class 11
	BENGALI	CHAITALI BANERJEE	1 st Class 11 th
	ENGLISH	SUTAPA ROY	1stClass 20 th
	EDUCATION	SUSHMITA DEY	1 st Class 3 rd
	EDUCATION	KATHIKA CHAKRABORTY	1 st Class 12 th
2014	EDUCATION	DIPANWEETA MONDAL	1 st Class 15 th
2014	EDUCATION	SANCHITA MONDAL	1 st Class 16 th
	EDUCATION	SIULI DEBNATH	1 st Class 20 th
	PHILOSOPHY	SANDIPA BERA	1 st Class 2 nd
	PHYSICS	MONICA SAHA	1 st Class 19 th
	SANSKRIT	SAYANTI BAR	1 st Class 4 th
	SATISTICS	PRITAM KAR	1 st Class 20 th

*Since 2016 Calcutta University publishes the list of top ten rank holders only.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

CBCS System vide Ref no. CUS/268 (Cir.)/18, Dated 07th May, 2018

a The college introduced the semesterised Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) newly adopted by the University of Calcutta, from the session, July 2018

Admission and Examination Regulations for Semester wise Three-year B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com.

(Major) courses of studies under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) are available in:

http://www.caluniv.ac.in/news/CBCS/CSR_B.A_B.Sc._B.Com._Major_CBCS.pdf

- **b** For the current academic session students who have passed the higher secondary examination or its equivalent from 2017 onwards may apply.
- c The online admission process will be conducted as per the guidelines issued by the Department of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal and according to the rules and regulations of the University of Calcutta.
- **d** Admission Process will be completely online and based on merit.
- e No Candidate / Guardian is allowed to visit the college during the whole admission process. All queries are to be sought through Telecommunication through the Email (<u>admissions@basantidevicollege.edu.in</u>).

f Courses offered:

Subject combination for BA/BSc Honours courses in 2022-2023

ARTS

Sl. No.	Core courses	Generic Elective
1	Bengali	Sociology, Education
2	Communicative English (Major)	Elective English, Women's Studies / Sociology
3	Education	Philosophy, Sociology
4	English	History, Philosophy
5	History	Political Science, Women's Studies/Education
6	Philosophy	Education, Sanskrit/Bengali
7	Political Science	Human Rights, History/Economics
8	Sanskrit	Philosophy, Bengali / Education
9	Sociology	Psychology, Women's Studies

	SCIENCE			
Sl. No.	Core courses	Generic Elective		
10	Chemistry	Mathematics, Physics		
11	Economics	Mathematics, Statistics /Political Science		
12	Mathematics	Physics, Chemistry/Computer Science		
13	Physics	Mathematics, Computer Science/Chemistry		
14	Statistics	Mathematics, Computer Science/Economics		

Subject combination for BA General courses in 2022-2023

Sl. No.	Core courses	Generic Elective	
1	Education,	Bengali	
	Sanskrit(Core)	200800	
2	History, Political	Human rights/Economics	
	Science(Core)	Human Hgnts/ Economics	
3	History,	English	
	Economics (Core)	English	
4	Philosophy, Human	Bengali	
	Rights (Core)	Dengan	
5	Women's Studies,		
	Psychology (Core)	Sociology	

Subject combination for BSc General courses in 2022-2023

Sl. No.	Core courses
6	Mathematics, Statistics, Economics/Computer Science (Cores)
7	Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry/Computer Science (Cores)

(/) denotes OR (,) denotes AND

ELIGIBILITY (as per C.U Norms) HONOURS COURSES

General Candidates : 45% in Subject or allied subject, 50% in aggregate

S.C / S.T : 40% in subject or allied subject, 40% in aggregate and pass mark in all subjects.

GENERAL COURSES

Pass mark in all subjects is compulsory.

Aggregate will be calculated as per the Total of Best of 4 subjects. (Environmental Studies / Environmental Education will not be calculated. However, if the subject "Environmental Science" is studied as an elective subject of 100 marks, it may be taken into account for determining the aggregate marks).

Candidates passing from CBSE through PATRACHAR VIDYALAYA are not eligible to seek admission.

National Social service (NSS) & National Cadet Corps (NCC) classes are compulsory for General Course Students.

ATTENDANCE

As per Calcutta University a student attending at least 75% of the total number of course* held shall be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations subject to fulfilment of other conditions laid down in the regulations.

A student attending at least 60% but less than 75% of the total number of classes* held shall be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations subject to the payment of prescribed condonation fees and fulfilment of other conditions laid down in the regulations.

A student attending less than 60% of the total number of classes* held shall not be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations and he /she has to pursue admission to the same Semester in the very next year for attending the classes and appearing at the said Semester Examination. *

*Such attendance will be calculated from the date of commencement of classes or date of admission, whichever is later. Attendance is strictly monitored by the college.

ATTENDANCE AND ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE OF EACH STUDENT IS CLOSELY MONITORED AND RECORDED.

Certificate Courses Offered by the College

Sl No	Name of The Course	Purpose	Nature of Finance
1	Diploma Course in Computer Application conducted by West Bengal Electronics Industry Corporation Ltd. (A Govt. of West Bengal Undertaking) - WIL Division within the college campus. (120 hours)	To inculcate and enhance computer proficiency and efficiency of the students	Self Financed
2	Six (6) months Certificate Course in Functional English (Only for CMEV students)	To enhance the fluency and accuracy in English Language skills	Self Financed
3	*Six (6) months Certificate Course (Basic and Advanced) in Psychological Counselling in Collaboration with Jadavpur University	To help students manage their stress through skill training and personal counseling	Self Financed

5	Six months Certificate Course in Communicative German in Collaboration with the School of Languages, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark	To gain basic knowledge of foreign language and to facilitate future career abroad and enhance prospects of employment	Self Financed
6	Six months Certificate Course in Spoken English in Collaboration with The School of Languages, Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark	To gain fluency in Spoken English	Self Financed
8	Three (3) months Self Defense Training Course for students under Kolkata Police Sukanya Project	To build confidence among students and help them in self-defence	Self Financed





Self Defence Training under the 'Sukanya' project



BASANTI DEVI COLLEGE

B.A / PARTICULARS	B.A HONS	B.A GEN.	B.A MAJOR (CMEV)	B.SC PHYSICS HONS.	B.SC MATH. HONS	B.SC CHEMISTRY HONS	B.SC ECONOMICS HONS.	B.SC STATISTICS HONS.	B.SC .GEN (PHY & CHEM)	B.SC GEN (OTHER COMBS.)
Tuition Fees (July to Dec)	450	300	450	660	660	660	450	660	510	510
Development Fees	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900	1900
Admission Fee (July to Dec)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Session Charges	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200	1200
Student Health Service	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Identity Card	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Accident Insurance	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Library Fee	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Library Caution Money	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Lab Caution Money	0	0	500	800	0	800	0	800	500	500
Practical Fees (July to Dec) (Jan-June)	0	0	1150	1300	0	1550	0	1100	700	600
Magazine Fee	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
College Exam. fees (July to Dec)	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Students Aid Funds	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Student Welfare Fund	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Health Check up	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
C.U.										
1) Cost of Regn Form	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
2) REGN. Fee	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
3) Sports Fess	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60	60
Optional										
Functional English Certificate Course, Compulsory for CMEV	0	0	500	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Re-examination Fee (I/II/III)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Self Inspection Fee (I/II/III)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T.C. Fee	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
Library Fine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Casual Fee	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
TOTAL	5490	5340	7640	7800	5700	8050	5490	7600	6750	6650
Tuition Fees , Admissi	on Fee, Pr	actical Fe	es , C.U Regi	stration fee	& College	Exam. Fees to be	paid twice due	to new semester	r system	

PARTICULARS	B.A HONS	B.A GEN.	B.A MAJOR (CMEV)	B.SC PHYSICS HONS.	B.SC MATH. HONS	B.SC CHEMISTRY HONS	B.SC ECONOMICS HONS.	B.SC STATISTICS HONS.	B.SC .GEN (PHY & CHEM)	B.SC GEN (OTHER COMBS.)
Tuition Fees(Jan-June)	450	300	450	660	660	660	450	660	510	510
Admission Fee (Jan-June)	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Practical Fees (Jan-June)	0	0	1150	1300	0	1550	0	1100	700	600
College Exam. fees (Jan- June)	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
TOTAL	700	550	1850	2210	910	2460	700	2010	1460	1360

Tuition Fees , Admission Fee, Practical Fees , C.U Registration fee & College Exam. Fees to be paid twice due to new semester system

Re-examination Fee, Self Inspection Fee, Library Fine will be charged when needed

Course fees Payable at the time of Admission

** Detailed Course Fee can be downloaded from www.basantidevicollege.edu.in

Optional Fees

Subject change fees (optional)	Rs. 100/-
Transfer certificate fees(optional)	Rs. 200/-
C.U. Migration fees(optional)	Rs. 100/-

C.U stipulated charges will be collected as and when required. (See fees book) University registration fees are refundable in case the student's admission is cancelled.

BASANTI DEVI COLLEGE ACADEMIC YEAR : 2022-2023 COURSE / SUBJECT WISE STUDENT INTAKE CAPACITY

Subject	UR	SC	ST	OBC-A	OBC-B				РН		TOTAL
Subject	UK	SC	51	OBC-A	OBC-B	UR	SC	ST	OBC-A	OBC-B	IUIAL
B.A Gen	159	64	17	29	20	8	3	1	1	1	289
B.Sc Gen	31	13	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	57
English Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Bengali Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Sanskrit Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Philosophy Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Education Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
History Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Political Science	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Economics Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Mathematics Hons	31	12	3	6	4	3	2	1	0	0	56
Statistics Hons	12	4	1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	20
Chemistry Hons	13	6	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	26
Physics Hons	13	6	2	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	26
Sociology Hons	14	5	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	24
Communicative English (Major)	35	15	4	7	5	3	2	1	0	0	66
TOTAL SEATS											1012

5% SEATS are reserved for PERSONS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Intake Capacity C.U. Circular: https://www.caluniv.ac.in/news/ic-24-5-19.pdf

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Class tests, tutorial assignments, special lectures by eminent academicians and students' seminars at college and departmental levels, departmental and inter-departmental quiz, workshops, academic discussions, colloquiums, viewing of films (based on texts in the University syllabus)followed by critical reviewing are conducted by all departments throughout the year. Students are encouraged to participate in these activities.

- The Semester system will be followed
- End Semester final examinations will be held by the University
- Internal assessment as per University norms:
 - 1 Tutorials for Humanities,
 - 2 Projects, practical and field work for science and social sciences

The college encourages students and teachers to engage in research work other than regular classes and examinations. Students are encouraged to present papers in **inter-college** and **inter-university** seminars, quiz contests and other **inter-college** and **university** competitions. Students of different disciplines go on educational excursions and expeditions, for training and field work as part of the CU syllabus requirement. They are always accompanied by teachers on such visits.

Code of Conduct

Students are expected to follow the college code of conduct available on the college website.

Students involved in any anti-academic activities while in college will lose their college enrolment.

Enrichment Programmes for Students

LIST OF COLLEGE AND DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES: SPECIAL LECTURES, WEBINARS ORGANIZED IN THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-22 AT BASANTI DEVI COLLEGE

SL.NO.	DATE	DEPARTMENT	RESOURCE PERSON'S NAME	TITLE OF THE LECTURE/WEBINAR
1	08.07.2021	Department of English in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Basanti Devi College	Dr. Samata Biswas, Assistant Professor, Department of English, The Sanskrit College and University	'All return in the palms of memory': Partition Texts and Contexts in the Indian Subcontinent
2	11.07.21	Department of Chemistry in collaboration with IQAC, BDC		Webinar on A Tour Down The Memory Lane
3	12.07.2021	Department of Education in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, basanti Devi College	Professor Bijan Sarkar, Dept.of Education,Kalyani University.	Research in Education
4	14.07.2021	Department of History in collaboration with IQAC, BDC	Siddhartha Guha Ray, Associate Prof. in History, Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, Kolkata	ইজরায়েল রাষ্ট্রের প্রতিষ্ঠা ও আরব ইজরায়েল দ্বন্দ্ব
5	14.07.2021	Department of Physics in collaboration with IQAC, BDC	Dr. Debiprasad Duari, Director, Research & Academic of M. P. Birla Institute of Fundamental Research, M. P. Birla Planetarium	Concepts & Advances in Astrophysics
б	15.07.2021 to 24.07.2021	Department of Sanskrit in collaboration with IQAC, BDC and Samskrita Bharati, Dakshin Banga	Krishnapriya Hati, Samskrita Bharati	10-day workshop On Communicative sanskrit दशददवसीयसंस्कृतसम्भाषणकाययशाला
7	16.07.2021	Department of Psychology in collaboration with IQAC, & Psychological Counseling Cell, BDC	Neerajana Ghosh, Clinical Psychologist	Management of Examination Related Performance Anxiety
8	19.07.2021 to 20.07.2021	Dept of Communicative English & IQAC, Basanti Devi College, Kolkata	Dr. Ram Kulesh Thakur, Assistant Professor, Department Of English, Srm University Andhra Pradesh & Dr. Hari Madhab Ray, Assistant Professor, Centre For Linguistics, Sll & Cs, Jawaharlal Nehru University New Delhi	National Level Webinar on Research Methodology
9	26.03.2022	Department of Education & IQAC	Jayanta Narayan Chatterjee, Advocate, Calcutta High Court	An Awareness Program on "Legal Provisions for Women Protection & Women Empowerment in India"

10	31.03.2022	The Department of Psychology in collaboration with IQAC and Psychological Counselling Cell	Dr. Sadhan Dasgupta and Dr. Gautam Kumar Bandyopadhyay	Mental Health Awareness: Fallacies and Challenges during Pandemic Time
11	05.04.2022	Department of History & IQAC	Prof. Slddharta Guha Roy	China-Soviet relations in the 1950s and 1960s
12	23.04.2022	Dept. of Education & IQAC	Prof. (Dr.) Bijan Sarkar, Professor, Dept. of Education, Kalyani University	Writing Research Proposal in Social Science
13	11.05.2022	Basanti Devi College <i>in collaboration</i> with Presidency University Bengaluru	Dr. Y. Narasimha Raj, Assistant Professor, Presidency University, Bengaluru	Cutting-Edge Career in 21st Century



Seminar on "Cutting-Edge Career in 21st Century". Chief Patron: Dr. Indrila Guha, Principal, Basanti Devi College Esteemed Speaker: Dr. Y. Narasimha Raj, Assistant Professor, Presidency University, Bengaluru Coordinator: Mr. Shafquat Irshad, MBA UK, Regional Manager Operations, Presidency University, Bengaluru Organized by: Basanti Devi College *in collaboration with* Presidency University Bengaluru. Date: 11.05.2022

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

NET/SET

Name of the Student	NET/SET	YEAR	Subject	Ref. No/Roll No
ANUSHRI ROY	SET	Jan 2022	Bengali	10003066
ARITA DEY	SET	Jan 2022	Philosophy	WBSET/23-0724
SRIJITA MONDAL	UGC_NET	June 2020	ENGLISH	WB1051000052
DEBARATI PAL	UGC-NET	Dec 2020 & June 2021	Economics	WB10005938
PALLABI PAUL	UGC-NET, SET	Dec 2020 & June 2021	Education	WB10016442, 11010126
RUMI BEPARI	SET	January 2022	History	WBSET/23-0800



Certificate of participation at National Integration Camp (NIC) 2022 Moumi Chowdhury, Education Department, Sem-2 (Partcipants) | Ipta Dutta, B.A. General, Sem-2 (Partcipants) Event: National Integration Camp (NIC). Conducted by: Regional Directorate of NSS, Govt. of India in association with Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Katnataka. Venue: Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences, Hassan, Karnataka. Date: 22.05.2022-28.05.2022

Teachers' achievements

SL.NO	NAME OF THE TEACHER	ACHIEVEMENTS
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1	Dr. Indrila Guha, Principal	Awarded "Outstanding Teacher Award 2021-2022" by Presidency University, Bengaluru on 11.05.2022 at the seminar on "Cutting-Edge Career in 21st Century" organised by Basanti Devi College in collaboration with Presidency University, Bengaluru.

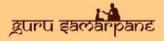


The release of the Loreto centenary book on 01.06.2022 in which an article on "Higher Education and Inclusive Growth in India: Visions for the Future Need of Environmental Education - Climate Change & Conservation Global Issues - Local Concerns" of Dr. Indrila Guha, Principal, Basanti Devi College was published.



tribute to excellence Outstanding Teacher Award 2021-22

> Dr. Indrila Guha Basanti Devi College Kolkata



"We are what we repeatedly do; Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit." Aristotle





Principal P.N.Das College Gobardanga Hindu College

Principal

Principal Dinabandhu Mahavidyalaya



Principal Sree Chaitanya Mahavidvalava Made for free with Certify'em

Teachers who were awarded PhD

Name of the teacher	Department	Date	Name of the University
Syeda Nadia Ali	Communicative English	14/10/2020	University of Calcutta
Shukla Acharya	Physics	15/10/2020	Jadavpur University
Joydeep Basu	Statistics	24/02/2021	University of Calcutta
Udita Mukherjee	Environmental	06/04/2022	Jadavpur University

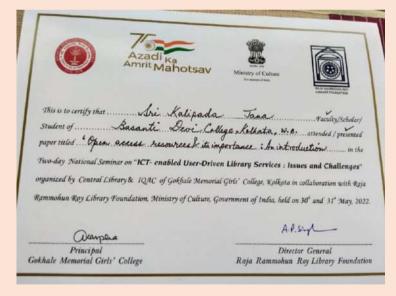
Research Papers Published in a book or Journal

Title of The Paper	Name of The Teacher	Department	Name of The Journal/Book		ISSN/ISB N Number	UGC- Recognize d
Bio-polymer poly(lactic acid) thin film-based K-ionassociated photo- rechargeable power cell	FARHA KHATUN	PHYSICS	J Mater sci: Mater Electron	22 November, 2021	0957-4522 (print); 1573-482X (web)	Yes
Samskrito deshe bideshe	Ananya Mitra	Sanskrit	Samskrito deshe bideshe	August,202 1	ISBN:978- 81-247- 0796-8	Written on CBCS SANA syllbus as directed by WB State Book Board
ভারতীয় সংস্কৃতিভাবনায় উপনিষদ্ ও রবীন্দ্রমননের সমন্বয়সাধন	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit	КНОАІ	8th August, 2021	ISSN- 2319-8389, Vol:44, Issue-44	yes
Lokayataprasthane Vyaptikhandansamikshanam	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit	International Journal of Sanskrit Research(Ananta)	August, 2021	ISSN- 2394-7519	No
Principles of Gatayoga as approved by Hathayoga-A Study in the Light of Gherandasamhita	ARPITA NATH(Co- Author)	Sanskrit	Pracya	September , 2021	ISSN- 2278-4004	Yes
Socio-Religious Concepts of Kalidasa	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit	National Journal of Hindi & Sanskrit Research	Nov-Dec, 2021	ISSN- 2454-9177	No

ঋশ্বেদীয় দেবীসূক্তে দেবীমাহাত্ম্যবিশ্লেষণ	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit	Khoai,VOL- 46, Issue-46	23rd December, 2021	ISSN - 2319-8389, Vol-46, Issue-46	Yes
বিবেকানন্দের আলোকে ভক্তিতত্ত্বসমীক্ষা	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit				
অগ্নিপুরাণে কাব্যতত্ত্বস্বরূপবিচার	ARPITA NATH	Sanskrit	Ebong Amra (এবং আমরা)	January, 2022	ISSN - 2394-4927	Yes
A new nonparametric interpoint distance-based measure for assessment of clustering; A new measure for assessment of clustering based on kernel density estimation; Clustering of eclipsing binary light curves through functional principal component analysis	DR. SOUMITA MODAK	STATISTICS	Journal of Statistical Computation and Simulation; Communicat ions in Statistics - Theory and Methods; Astrophysics and Space Science	03 Mar, 2022; 01 Feb, 2022; 21 Feb, 2022	0094-9655; 1532- 415X; 1572-946X	Yes
ক্ষীরের পুতুল : ফিরে পড়া	Soumyadip Bose	Bengali	শিশু কিশোর সাহিত্য: সকালবেলার আলোয় দেখা (Book)	December 2021	978-93- 92110-46-7	No
বাংলার গণপতি উপাসনা : প্রসঙ্গ ব্রতাচার ও পূজা-পার্বণ	Soumyadip Bose	Bengali	টেরাকোটা (বিশেষ গণেশ সংখ্যা)	August, 2021	2348-6392	yes
Dielectric relaxation and scaling of AC conductivity observed in mixed valence perovskite Eu2CoMnO6	Md Golam Masud	Physics	Journal of Advanced Dielectrics	20/11/2021	ISSN (print): 2010-135X ISSN (online)	Yes
Clustering of eclipsing binary light curves through functional principal component analysis; A new nonparametric interpoint distance- based measure for assessment of clustering; A new measure for assessment of clustering based on kernel density estimation.	Dr. SOUMITA MODAK	STATISTICS	Astrophysics and Space Science; Journal of Statistical Computation and Simulation; Communicat ions in Statistics -	2022; 3rd Mar, 2022; 2022	ISSN: 0004- 640X; 0094-9655; 0361-0926	Yes

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Publications in Conferences and Journals

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Name of the Teacher	Title of the Book/ Chapters Published	Title of the proceedings of the Conference	Title of the Paper		National/ Internationa 1		ISBN/ISSN of the Proceeding	Name of the Publisher
DR. PALASH MONDAL	বই - প্রাচীন মিশর	ITIHAS PRABAND HAMALA	DHAKAR JAYASHR EE PATRIKA	ITIHAS ACADEM Y	INTERNAT IONAL		ISSN 2074- 8663	Itihas Academy Dhaka, Bangladesh
Ananya Mitra	Samskrito deshe bideshe	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Paschimban ga Rajya Pustak Parshat
Piyali Halder	Book: যৌন - লিঙ্গ - বিন্যাসঃ মানবীবিদ্যায় ভারতের নারী, সম্পাদনা- পিয়ালী হালদার ও সানন্দা সেন (Jouna - Linga - Binyas: Manabividyay Bharater Nari, Edited by Piyali Halder & Sananda Sen) / Title of the Chapter - লিঙ্গ বিন্যাসে গণমাধ্যম, পিয়ালী হালদার (Linga Binyase Ganamadhyam , Piyali Halder)		NA	NA	National		ISBN Of the Book- 9789388380 898	Gangchil
Purbani Roy	Issues in Covid-19 Pandemic	NA	NA	NA	National	2021	ISBN:978- 93-90937- 92-9	Redshine Publication
Purbani Roy	Business and Human Rights	NA	NA	NA	National	2021	ISBN- 9781329573 390	Redshine Publication
Mitarik Barma	Partition Literature and Cinema	NA	Politics of memory and the myth of homelessne ss Intizar Husain's Basti	NA	Internationa 1		ISBN 978- 0-367- 49274-8 (pbk)	Routledge
Dr.Indrani	Vidyasagar	200 yrs of	Kolanipun	Vidyasagor	National	Sept 2019	978-93-	Akkhar

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Datta Satpathi	smarone o manone	vidyasagor	gayashilpi Iswar Chandra Vidyasagor				83161-08-9	
Barnika Bandyopadh yay	NA	Childhood and Intersection ality In Indian Context	Rabindranat h er chhoto golpey Balikar Meyebela	Childhood and Intersection ality In Indian Context	National	NA	NA	NA
Udita Chatterjee Mukherjee	Indoor air pollution is passive trigger- creates domestic health hazards in Kolkata-an analysis(Ind ian Journal of Regional Science)	N.A	Indoor air pollution is a passive Trigger- creates domestic health hazard s in Kolkata-an analysis	N.A	N.A	June 2020	ISSN:0046- 9017(PRIN T),ISSN:24 56- 6519(ONLI NE)	IJRS(INDI AN JOURNAL OF REGIONA L SCIENCE)
Dr DURGA RANI DAS		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Accepted to be University of Calcutta , Philosophy Department al Journal, Vol - XIV 2021
Vaishali P. Ghate	Nil	t for	THE ROLE AND CONTRIB UTION OF THE	3day's Internationa l E- Conference, Nagur	Internationa 1	2021	0976-0822	Kalyan Bharti (UGC care list Group- 1)
Vaishali P. Ghate	Nil	Perspective of Yogic and Sports Science towards Healthy Living	Meditation for Rapid Healing Benefit in Covid-19 Pandemic	One day Internationa l Conference on account of National Sports day, Kalyan	Internationa 1	2021	Nil	Nil
Vaishali P. Ghate	Nil	Holistic Approach of Health Sciences, Research,	Physical Active Parents only can Produce Healthy	-	Internationa 1	2021	2278-9308	B. Aadhar' Internationa l peer- reviewed Indexed

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		Science and Yoga during 21st	offspring Generation for Betterment of Nation	Chandrapur				Research Journal
Vaishali P. Ghate	Nil	Sportsmen during		3 day's Internationa l E- conference, Nagur	Internationa 1	2021	0976-0822	Kalyan Bharti
SOUMITA MODAK	NA		 Distinction of groups of gamma-ray bursts in the BATSE catalog through fuzzy clustering, A new nonparamet ric interpoint distance- based measure for assessment of clustering 		Internationa 1	2021	2213-1337; 0094-9655	Elsevier; Taylor & Francis
Soumyadip Bose	বাংলার গণপতি উপাসনা : ব্রতাচার এবং পূজা- পার্বণ	NA	টেরাকোটা পত্রিকা, বিশেষ 'গণেশ' সংখ্যা (গ্রীষ্ম-বর্ষা ১৪২৮)	NA	National	July, 2021	ISSN : 2348-6392	টেরাকোটা



Principal Dr. Indrila Guha received the Best Women Academician Award-2021 by South Asian Institute for Advanced Research and Development (SAIARD) on 26th March, 2021

COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS

Academia (ISSN: 2583-2573) is an acadmeic journal published by the college where teachers contribute reasearch articles. So far two volumes of the journal has been published.

Basantika is the college magazine where students are encouraged to contribute articles, paintings and other creative works.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- National Service Scheme (NSS) and National Cadet Corps (NCC) involves students in national service, social welfare and awareness programmes, blood donation and other camps. NSS volunteers participate in National Integration Camps and training programmes across the country. NSS & NCC are compulsory for the students
- Annual Sports is organised in the month of January every academic year.
- **Annual Social** is held in December every academic year. The prize distribution ceremony also takes place during this event.
- Annual College Competition Students participate in annual music, dance, recitation and essay competitions, debates, quizzes, dumb charades, *antakshari* and one-act plays.
- **College and departmental magazines and newsletters** are published to provide a platform for students to publish their writings.
- International Mother Language Day (Bhasha Dibash), International Women's Day, University Foundation Day, College Foundation Day, College Social, Annual competition, Rabindra-Jayanti and Baishe-Sraban are some of the events celebrated by the college.
- Annual competitions are held round the year in a variety of sports **Basketball**, **Volleyball**, **Chess**, **Karate** etc.
- Self Defence course is conducted under the Sukanya project by the physical instructor of the college.
- Fieldwork, field visits and excursions are organized by the departments of Chemistry, Physics, Sociology and Communicative English every academic year.
- Youth parliament: Students of the college participate in the Youth Parliament organized annually by the Department of Parliamentary Affairs, Government of West Bengal.
- **Extempore Speech Competition** organised annually by Balmer Lawrie Private Limited to celebrate vigilance week (29.10.18-03.11.18).

National Social Service (NSS) and National Cadet Corps (NCC)

NSS

Under the leadership of Prof. Ankhi Sen Sanyal, the NSS Programme Officer, the students of NSS participate in various camps and programmes round the year.



NCC

Under the leadership of Lieutenant Aparna Sadhu, Associate NCC Officer (ANO) camps and various programmes are conducted round the year. World Aids Day, Yoga Day, World Health Day, Road Safety Day, NCC day are observed.



Independence Day Celebration by NCC

Safe Drive and Save Life Rally





WE ARE PROUD OF OUR NCC CADETS & NSS VOLUNTEERS



Media Coverage (ABP News) on opinion of NCC cadets on Surgical Strike – Pulwama Incident



Silent Procession with Candle March: Pulwama Incident 22.02.2019



Excursion of Department of Sociology



Department of Chemistry along with Physics has organised an Educational Excursion, 01.03.2019 (Friday). **Venue:** Emami Paper Mills, Dakshineswar.

CULTURAL EVENTS



Rabindra Jayanti and International Mother Language Day Celebration at college 2018-2019



Rabindranath Tagore's death anniversary celebration through an online programme on 7th August 2020

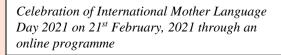


Saraswati Puja Celebration on 09.02.2019

College Annual Social held on 17.03.19



Celebration of Republic Day on 26.01.2019



STUDENT RELATED SUPPORT

ICC (Internal Complaints Committee) has been formed as per The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act 2013 and UGC Regulations, 2015.

The college has zero tolerance for sexual harassment of women in the institution.

Names of Members:

Sm. Rusati Sen (Presiding officer)	Department of Economics
Sm. Sarbani Goswami (External Member)	Research Officer, School of Women's Studies,
	Jadavpur University, Members of SANLAP NGO
Sri Aurinjoy Biswas,	Department of History
Dr. Ralla Guha Niyogi,	Department of English
Sm. Mamata Das,	Office
Sm. Chaitali Ganguly,	Office

Email: icc@basantidevicollege.edu.in

Helpline (24X7): 6290645513

Office Room no. 104 Timings: Monday to Friday: 3.00PM-4.30PM, Saturday: 12Noon-1PM

Psychological Counselling Cell in collaboration with Jadavpur University:

The College endeavours to provide students with free psychological counselling. The college also offers a course on Psychological Counselling. Workshops on Anger Management, Anxiety Management and Emotional Management have been conducted by the Psychological Counsellor in September, November 2015 and April 2016.

Grievance Redressal Cell

There is a separate Grievance Redressal Cell in the College.

Anti-Ragging Cell

This cell has been formed in the college to prevent any incident of ragging or harassment of the students.

Right to Information Cell

The Cell on the Right to Information Cell addresses queries of students.

Parent- Teacher Association consists of teachers and parents/ guardians who have voluntarily joined and meet to discuss student related issues. It provides a platform for guardians to share their opinions and give valuable suggestions to give quality care and attention to students' requirement.

The College Canteen

The college canteen, supervised by members of the academic staff, provides nutritious food to students at reasonable rates.



Health Unit (Room No- 109)

The college has a sick room for emergency medical attention for students in need of such support. The room is equipped with necessary medical aids like sick bed, pressure monitoring aid etc. The Health Unit conducts regular periodical checkup by efficient doctors. Regular psychological counseling sessions by experienced and certified counselors also take place at the same premise.





Doctor's Room

Vending Machine and Destroyer

College Cheap Store and Photocopy Centre

Books and stationery suited to students' budgets are sold here. The students can also avail of photocopy facilities at a cheap rate.

Year	No. of Students Full Free	No. of Students Half Free	Total
2014-2015	16	10	26
2015-2016	22	21	43
2016-2017	02	45	47
2017-2018	-	37	37
2018-2019	38	-	38

SCHOLARSHIPS / FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR NEEDY STUDENTS

In 2019-2020 a total number of 217 students benefitted from West Bengal Government's Kanyashree Prokolpo



At the initiative of Mamata Banerjee, Hon'ble Chief Minister, West Bengal 'Student Credit Card Scheme' has been launched in 2021For details visit: www.wb.gov.in or https://banglaruchchashiksha.wb.gov.in/ and click on the tab STUDENT CREDIT CARD or visit https://wbscc.wb.gov.in/

Contact Details For Basanti Devi College Nodal Officer: Dr. Aditi Sarkar (M: 9830475165) Help Desk Officer: Dr. Ananya Mitra (M: 9830198752)

Year	Name of the Scheme	No. of Students Benefitted	Amount(Rs)
2020-2021	Swami Vivekananda Merit cum Means (SVMCM) Scholarship(HED, Govt. of West Bengal)	166	16,92,000
	KANYASHREE PRAKALPA (Govt. of West Bengal)	22	55,000
	MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP (Govt. of West Bengal)	06	39,600
	OASIS SCHOLARSHIP (Backward Classes Welfare Department, Government of West Bengal)	43	1,65,281
	Free Studentship (College)	66	1,65,000

Donations

- Rs. 10,00,000 (ten lakhs) donated by Sri Deepayan Chatterjee, elder brother of Late Dr. Sayani Chatterjee, Department of Economics
- Rs. 10,00,000 (ten lakhs) donated by Sri Sabyasachi Bagchi, husband of Professor Reba Bagchi, Department of History
- Rs. 2,50,000 (two lakhs fifty thousand) donated by Sri Subhamoy Roy, relative of Professor Swati Roy, Department of English.

The proceeds of the above donations are distributed among needy and meritorious students of the college.

- Rs. 10,000 annually donated by Sri Subhro Mitra, nephew of Dr. Sumita Mitra, Department of Bengali. This money is awarded to the most needy and meritorious student of the year (of any department).
- 5. Rs. 10,000 annually donated by Dr. Aditi Sarkar, Department of Education. This money is awarded to the most needy and meritorious student of the year (of any department).

CAREER COUNSELLING AND PLACEMENT CELL

The Career Counselling and Placement Cell of the college aims at generating awareness among the students about the various higher studies and career opportunities available to them and conducts campus recruitment drive from time to time. Several big brands like TCS, Bajaj Finance, Larsen and Toubro, ICICI Prudential and several consultancy firms take part in the recruitment drive. In 2016-17, 50 students took part in the campus recruitment drive out of which 35 got selected. In 2017-18, 80 students took part in the campus recruitment drive and 50 got selected.





Career Counselling Cell Workshop on "Career Talk" Collaboration with Sub Regional Employment Exchange North Kolkata.

PRIZES

First prize for securing highest marks in the Subject (Honours and General combined), (Highest total in the respective subject).

First prize for securing the highest total marks in the General Course.

Departmental Prize awarded to the Best Student of each Department.

First prize for securing for highest marks in each honours subject in the annual examination provided the student in Honours and general subjects.

Special Endowment Prizes for Academic Proficiency.

Late Mukul Guha, award for securing highest Marks in Political Science Honours in Part-I Test and General Course in Part-I Test Examination.

Prafulla Kumar Mitra Memorial Award For securing in highest marks in Bengali Honours in the Part-I Test Examination.

Sailendra Nath Mitra Memorial Prize for securing First position in Bengali Essay Competition.

Tarun Kumar Sen Memorial Prize for securing highest marks in Philosophy Honours in Part-I Final examination.

Sreelekha Chatterjee Memorial Prize for all round performance in all three years.

Ila Sen Memorial scholarship is awarded on the basis merits to Science and Arts Students (one each) for Securing highest marks in Part –I Examination.

Chandrani Dasgupta Memorial Prize for securing highest marks in Sanskrit in 2nd year Test Examination

Chandreyee Ghosh Memorial Prize for Part III highest scorer, Sanskrit Department

Mukul Guha Memorial Prize for Part III highest scorer, Political Science Department

Chirantani has instituted two prizes one to the highest scorer in Humanities and one to the highest scorer in Science.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Late Manashi Guha Memorial Scholarship for economically backward and minority student in science stream funded by Dr.Indrila Guha, Principal

Late Rabindranath Basu Memorial Scholarship for one student from Chemistry (Hons.) department sponsored by Hon'ble councillor Shri Debashis Kumar

Bina Majumdar Memorial Scholarship for one meritorious student each from Humanities and Science stream sponsored by the husband of Bina Majumdar, Sri Prasun Majumdar

'CHIRANTANI' (Reg no. S/2L/63605) An Alumni Association for Ex Teachers and Ex Students

CHIRANTANI is today an officially registered organisation, under the leadership of Dr. Indrani Dutta Satpathi, Department of Bengali. It is an active body which holds meetings and organises programmes round the year. In celebration of the Diamond Jubilee of the college the CHIRANTANI hosted the play 'Juta Abishkar' based on Rabindranath Tagore's poetry of the same name on February, 2020. The play was performed by Soumitra Basu and co.



(Above) Soumitra Basu and co. performing the play 'Juta Abishkar' (Below) Annual Fair organized by CHIRANTANI on 2nd February 2019





NET/SLET Qualification of ex-students

3 students (one from Sanskrit Honours and two from Education Honours) from the 2017 pass out batch have cleared the NET/SLET qualification examination in 2020

LABORATORY AND EQUIPMENT

- Adequately equipped **Physics Laboratory**.
- The Chemistry Laboratory is well equipped having separate Qualitative, Quantitative and Instrument Practical rooms with separate student lockers for apparatus.
- Internet facility is available for students and teachers.
- Well-equipped Numerical Laboratory for students of Mathematics.
- Well-equipped Computer Science, Statistics and Psychology Laboratories.
- Well-equipped **Phonetics Laboratory** for enhancing conversational skills of students through the Functional English Certificate Course.
- Well-equipped **Psychology Laboratory** has been newly constructed for students to carry out psychological tests and experiments as a part of practical work.



Physics Laboratory



Chemistry Laboratory



Phonetics Laboratory



Psychology Laboratory



Students' Computer Laboratory



Teachers' Computer Laboratory

FACILITIES FOR INTERNET

Basanti Devi College is the first College to get N-LIST connectivity from the UGC-INFLIBNET. This enables the students to use the E-Library services. The college campus is Wi-Fi enabled.

COMPUTER CENTRE

A self-financing computer training course "Diploma in PC Application" of 150 hours runs within the college campus in collaboration with WEBEL Informatics Ltd. (Under Dept. of Information Technology, Government of West Bengal). The courses are subjected to regular review. Separate syllabile exist for **Humanities** and **Science** disciplines. The courses are of **two years** duration. Students pass out of the college with a Diploma in computer along with their graduation degree.



College Auditorium: The College Auditorium, which is equipped with 3M Patented SMART Interactive Classroom Technology and sound solution from BOSE has a seating capacity of 150 people fully air conditioned.

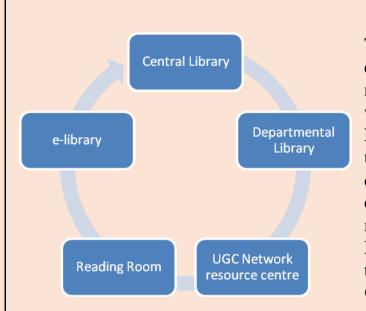


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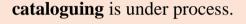


Smart Class Room

CENTRAL LIBRARY



The college library has recently undergone extensive renovation and upgradation. It has now enlarged its holdings considerably. Its 5 wings include the air-conditioned Central Library, the Reading Room for students, both under **CCTV** surveillance. departmental/seminar libraries and the airconditioned **Research Centre** for faculty members. This was the first college in West **Bengal and under the University of Calcutta** received **INFLIBNET-NLIST** to have Connectivity for Electronic Library. Currently, work on library automation and e-





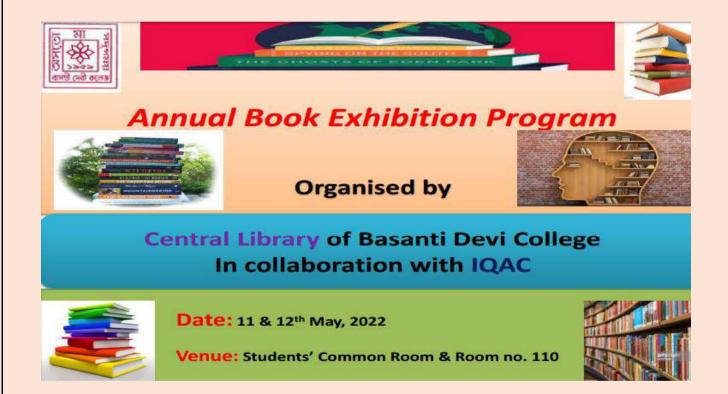
The college library contains a rich collection of more than 29,970 text and reference books, 4 daily newspapers, 3 employment-oriented newspapers and 8 Journals & Magazines. The college library provides personal ID to faculty members for accessing INFLIBNET/ N-LIST site that offers more than 80,000 e-books and 3,000 e-journals in full text form. The College Library is rated as one among the leading libraries of West Bengal, highly praised by NAAC for being developed according to NAAC recommendations. It is technologically equipped to offer students the scope to update themselves. Library Membership is compulsory and open access facilities are available.

FACILITIES, SERVICES& PROJECTS

- A.C. UGC-Network Resource Centre with high speed internet, LAN and Laser Printing.
- Dedicated Collection for **Remedial Program.**
- Facilities for Seminar Library in each department.
- Internet access for students.
- Photocopying and printing through multi-functioning photocopy machine inside the library.
- State-of-the-Art Conference Room for Conference/Seminar/Workshop sponsored by the UGC as ICT project for the Library
- Visit our dedicated library website: http://librarybdc.webs.com



- There is an 'Earn while you Learn' Scheme.
- Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) has been instituted (https://bdcl-opac.l2c2.co.in)



NSOU STUDY CENTRE OF THE COLLEGE



Netaji Subhas OpenUniversity (NSOU): The study centre offers scope for higher education to working persons. The centre runs PG and UG level courses.

Course Co-coordinator: Dr. Aparna Sadhu



Course co-ordinator Dr. Aparna Sadhu with NSOU staffs (from left to right Sri Swapan Saha, Sri Bibhuti Bhusan Pradhan, Dr. Aparna Sadhu, Sri Jiban Dey, Smt. Payel Halder, Sri Gautam Das, Sri Bishwanath Pradhan)

FACULTY

PRINCIPAL

Indrila Guha, B.Ed., M. Phil., Ph.D.

BURSAR

Dr. Amrita Mondal

ARTS DEPARTMENTS

BENGALI

Swachchhatoya Banerjee, B.Ed., M.Phil (HOD)	Associate Professor
Indrani Dutta Satpathi, B.Ed., Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Upasona Ghosh, M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Sandhya Naskar, M.A.	Associate Professor
Debarati Sikdar, Ph.D.	Assistant Professor
Swarnabha Bala, Ph.D.	SACT-I
Soumyadip Bose, M.A., B.Ed.	SACT-I

ENGLISH

Ralla Guha Niyogi, B. Ed., M.Phil., Ph.D. (HOD)	Associate Professor
Malobika Sarkar, M.Phil., Ph.D., Charles Wallace India Trust Awardee 2008.	Associate Professor
Chinmoy Dey, B. Ed., M.Phil.	Assistant Professor
Mitarik Barma, M.Phil.	Assistant Professor

EDUCATION

Aditi Sarkar, M.Phil., Ph.D. (HOD) Ramona Dutta, M.Phil., Ph.D. Sarmistha Mukherjee, B.Ed., M.Phil.

HISTORY

Palash Mondal, B.Ed., M.Phil., Ph.D. (HOD) Chilka Ghosh, Ph.D. Aurinjoy Biswas, M.A. Rousanara Khatun, B.Ed., M.Phil. Associate Professor Associate Professor SACT-II

Associate Professor Associate Professor Assistant Professor Assistant Professor

HUMAN RIGHTS

Ankhi Sen (Sanyal), M.Phil. (HOD) Atrayee Banerjee, Ph.D. Purbani Roy, M.Phil.

PHILOSOPHY

Durgarani Das, M.Phil, Ph.D. (HOD) Anindita Banerjee, M.Phil., Ph.D. Lieutenant Aparna Sadhu, B.Ed., M.A. (Hist), Ph.D. Tania Das, M.Phil. Mina Poddar, M.A.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Ankhi Sen (Sanyal), M.Phil. (HOD) Ruma Ghosh Dastidar, M.Phil., Ph.D. Rumki Bose (Majumder), M.Phil., Ph.D. Mihir Naskar, M.Phil., Ph.D.

SANSKRIT

Ananya Mitra, Ph.D. (HOD)	Assistant Professor
Sujata Mitra, M.Phil., Ph.D., Nyayatirtha	Associate Professor
Arpita Nath, M.Phil.	Assistant Professor
Shyamali Ray, M.A.	Assistant Professor

SOCIOLOGY

Barnika Bandyopadhyay, M.Phil., (HOD) Pinki Maitra Raha, M.Phil.

PSYCHOLOGY

Moumita Ghosh, M.Phil. (HOD) Saswati Nath, M.Sc. WOMEN'S STUDIES Nandini Mukherjee, M.Phil. (HOD) Taniya Basu, M.A. Piyali Halder, M.Phil.

Assistant Professor SACT-I SACT-II

Assistant Professor Associate Professor Assistant Professor Assistant Professor SACT-II

Assistant Professor Associate Professor Assistant Professor Assistant Professor

SACT-II SACT-II

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SACT-II

COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH (MAJOR)

Sanchita Ghosal, M.A., (Linguistics), M.A. (Eng), DELT (HOD)	SACT-II
Syeda Nadia Ali, M.A. (Eng), M.A. (Linguistics), DELT, Ph.D.	SACT-I
Riya Banerjee Ghosh, M.Com.	SACT-II

SCIENCE DEPARTMENTS

CHEMISTRY

Sumana Chatterjee, Ph.D. (HOD)	Associate Professor
Sanchita Ray, Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Amrita Mondal, Ph.D., BOYSCAST Fellow	Assistant Professor
G. C. Maity, Ph.D.	Senior Guest Lecturer
Churala Pal, Ph.D.	SACT-I
COMPUTER SCIENCE	
Kakoli Dey, MCA, M.Tech.(HOD)	SACT-II
Ananya Banerjee, B. Tech., M.Tech.	SACT-II
ECONOMICS	
Indrila Guha, B.Ed., M. Phil., Ph.D.	Principal
Rusati Sen, M.Phil. (HOD).	Associate Professor
Sraboni (Ghosh) Jha, Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Jayati Mukhuty, M.Phil.	Associate Professor
Purbasha Bhattacharya, M.Sc.	SACT-I
MATHEMATICS	
Gour Chandra Mondal, Ph.D. (HOD)	Associate Professor
Maitreyee Panja, Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Rumi Pal, M.Sc.	SACT-I
PHYSICS	
Md. Golam Masud, Ph.D. (HOD)	Assistant Professor
Sima Gupta Roy, Ph.D.	Associate Professor
Shukla Acharya, B.Ed., Ph.D.	SACT-I
Antara Nath, M.Sc., GATE 2019	SACT-II
Farha Khatun, Ph.D.	SACT-I

STATISTICS

Rusati Sen, M.Phil. (HOD) Ganesh Dutta, Ph.D. Associate Professor Assistant Professor

Joydeep Basu, Ph.D.	SACT-II
Dithi Bhattacharya, M.Sc.	SACT-II
Soumita Modak, Ph.D.	SACT-I
Ardhendu Banerjee, M.Sc., M. P. S. (IIPS, Mumbai)	SACT-I
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	
Udita Mukherjee, M.A. (Envs.), Ph.D.	SACT-I

LIBRARIAN

Kalipada Jana, M.A. (Envs), MLISc

JUNIOR LIBRARY ASSISTANT

Rupa Garai, M.A. (Pol. Sc.), MLISc

PHYSICAL INSTRUCTOR

Vaishali Ghate, B.P.Ed., M.P. Ed.

PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELLOR

Swagata Dutta, PG Dip. in Counselling and Well-being, PG Dip. in Conflict Management

WOMEN'S STUDIES CENTER

Members:

- 1. Dr Indrila Guha, Principal
- 2. Smt. Rusati Sen, Director
- 3. Dr. Sraboni Jha
- 4. Dr. Chilka Ghosh
- 5. Smt. Nandini Mukherjee
- 6. Smt. Swagata Dutta

COLLEGE OFFICE

SACT-I

Smt. Mamata Das, B.A.	Head Clerk/ Cashier
Smt. Chaitali Ganguli, B.Com.	Accountant
Sri Pankaj Das, B.A.	Office Clerk
Sri Samik Chowdhury, M.B.A.(HR), D.I.I.T.	Administrative Assistant
Sri Goutam Bhandari B.A.	Office Clerk
Sri Swapan Saha, B.Com.	Office Clerk
Smt. Anjana Sarkar B.A.,	Office Clerk

Sri Samar Adhikary, B.Com.	Office Clerk
Smt. Moumita Khatun M.A., B.Ed.	Office Clerk
OFFICE PEON	
Sri Kartick Purkait	Peon
SH Ratick Furkat	
OFFICE GROUP D	
Sri Jiban Dey	
Sri Bibhuti Bhushan Pradhan	
Sri Sajal Das	
Sri Gautam Das	
Sri Sanjib Das	
LIBRARY STAFF	
Smt. Suvra Sengupta, B.A.	Library Clerk
Sri Tushar Sarkar	Library Attendant
Smt. Sampa Das, MA (Education)	Reading Room Supervisor
PHYSICS LABORATORY	
Sri Sourav Maity	Lab. Attendant
Sri Chandra Kanta Maity	Lab. Attendant
CHEMISTRY LABORATORY	
Sri Rentu Mondal	Lab. Attendant
Sri Arpan Mandal	Lab. Attendant
PRINCIPAL'S CHAMBER	
Smt. Biva Mondal	
Smt. Payel Halder	
TEACHERS' ROOM	
Smt. Manju Biswas	
DARWAN/GUARD	
Sri Biswanath Pradhan	
Sri Sanjit Maity	

POSTGRADUATE SECTION

(DEPARTMENTS OF ENGLISH AND POLITICAL SCIENCE)

HISTORY OF THE DEPARTMENTS

The Post Graduate Section of Basanti Devi College consists of the Departments of English and Political Science. It was established in September 2013 under the aegis of ex-Principal Dr.Maitrayee Bardhan Roy and Prof. Shibranjan Chatterjee, President of the Governing Body of the college. Affiliated to the University of Calcutta, it follows the most accredited and comprehensive syllabus of the university. The Semester System (2 years) is modelled for timely commencement and completion of the Master's Degree Course and provides students the scope for obtaining academic excellence, opportunity to showcase their aptitude in various co-curricular activities, and help in pursuing higher education and employment.



COMPOSITION		
Principal & Coordinator (P.G.):	Dr.Indrila Guha	
Examinations-in-Charge (P.G.):	Dr.Srabani Jha (Ghosh)	
Officer on Special Duty (P.G.):	Dr.Purabi Banerjee	

Faculty Profile					
Department of English					
Ralla Guha Niyogi, B. Ed., M.Phil., Ph.D. (HOD)	Associate Professor				
Malobika Sarkar, M.Phil., Ph.D., Charles Wallace India Trust Awardee 2008.	Associate Professor				
Chinmoy Dey, B. Ed., M.Phil.	Assistant Professor				
Mitarik Barma, M.Phil.	Assistant Professor				
Nisarga Bhattacharya, M.Phil.	CWTT				
Anwesha Ray, M.A., NET	CWTT				
Department of Political Science					
Ankhi Sen (Sanyal), M.Phil. (HOD)	Assistant Professor				
Ruma Ghosh Dastidar, M.Phil., Ph.D.	Associate Professor				
Rumki Bose (Majumder), M.Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor				
Mihir Naskar, M.Phil., Ph.D.	Assistant Professor				
Shreyasi Ghosh, M.A.	SACT-II				
Arunima Bhattacharya,	SACT-II				

Non-Teaching Staff of Post Graduate Section

<u>Clerk</u>

- 1. Sri Shibnath Bera, M.A., B.Ed.(Special Education)
- 2. Smt. Nipa Mondal, B.A.

Administrative Assistant

1. Sri Samik Chowdhury, MBA

Other Supporting Staff

- 1. Sri Samar Adhikary (Accountant cum Cashier)
- 2. Sri Bibhuti Bhusan Pradhan (Group-D)
- 3. Smt. Biva Mondal (Group-D)
- 4. Smt. Payel Halder (Group-D)
- 5. Sri Gautam Das (Sweeper)
- 6. Sri Biswanath Pradhan (Gatekeeper)

INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES

Both the departments are fully equipped with ICT-enabled classrooms, a Smart Room, Seminar Libraries, a Central Library with enriching E-Library resources and reading rooms to facilitate academic pursuits of the students. Apart from a vast collection of books and resources in the Central library, the P.G. seminar libraries of English and Political Science boast of 149 books and 141 books respectively.

UNIVERSITY RESULTS

Department of English

Session	Total No. of Students Appeared	No. of Students Passed	60% and above or First Class	55% - 59%	50%- 54%	Below 50%
2017-2019	39	39		5	14	20
2018-2020	38	37	1	11	24	1
2019-2021	32	28		1	24	3

Department of Political Science

Session	Total No. of Students Appeared	No. of Students Passed	60% and above or First Class	55% - 59%	50%- 54%	Below 50%
2017-2019	3	3	1	2		
2018-2020	5	5		4	1	
2019-2021	NA*	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES OF POSTGRADUATE SECTION

The Post-graduate Section regularly organises Special Lectures, takes the students to seminars in other colleges/universities, encourages them to present academic papers and thereby prepares them for further studies and professional advancements. The Post-Graduate Section has organised 3 Special Lectures in the last academic year. Two Students' Seminars were organised by Department of English and Political Science individually. Selected students of Department of English were taken to attend four seminars at University of Calcutta, New Alipore College, The Bhawanipore Education Society College and Victoria Memorial.



Dr. Siddhartha Biswas, Associate Professor, Department of English, University of Calcutta delivering a Special Lecture.



Students' Seminar organised by Department of English on 13th March, 2019.



ONE DAY NATIONAL LEVEL WEBINAR ON "HUMAN RIGHTS IN AND AFTER PANDEMIC ERA: SOUTH ASIAN CONTEXT"

Prof. Kashinath Jena, Department of |Political Science, Tripura University delivering a special lecture on Human Rights.



Students' Seminar organised by Department of Political Science on 27th March, 2019.

STUDENTS' CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The Post-Graduate Section not only harnesses an atmosphere of academic excellence, but also encourages the students to participate in various co-curricular activities.





Rabindra Jayanti

Saraswati Puja



Post Graduate Departmental Picnic



Bhasa Dibas



South Kolkata District Sports Meet 2019, hosted by Basanti Devi College, Kolkata.



Students of Department of English put up aWallMagazineCommemoratingtheBicentennial birth anniversary of Emily Brontë.

Provisional List of Holidays for the Academic Year 2020-2021

Academic Session of the college starts from 1st July and ends on 30th June of the following year.

SL. No	Occasion
1	Id-ul-Fitr
2	College Foundation Day
3	Independence Day
4	Janmastami
5	Mahalaya
6	Puja Holidays
7	Gandhi Jayanti
8	Id-uz-Zoha
9	Bhatridwitiya
10	Jagaddhatri Puja
11	Muharram
12	Gurunanak's Birthday
13	Christmas Day [Winter Recess]
14	New Year's Day
15	Milad-un-Nabi [FatehaDohaz Daham]
16	Netaji's Birthday
17	University Foundation Day
18	Maghotsav
19	Republic Day
20	Saraswati Puja
21	Doljatra
22	Good Friday
23	Easter Saturday
24	Chaitra Sankranti
25	Bengali New Year
26	May Day
27	Buddha Purnima
28	Rabindrajayanti

Principal's discretion – 5 days

চিন্ত যেথা ভয় শূন্য, উচ্চ যেথা শির, জ্ঞান যেথা মুক্ত, যেথা গৃহের প্রাচীর আপন প্রাঙ্গণতলে দিবস শর্বরী বসুধারে রাখে নাই খণ্ড ক্ষুদ্র করি, যেথা বাক্য হৃদয়ের উৎসমুখ হতে উচ্ছুসিয়া উঠে, যেথা নির্বারিত স্রোতে দেশে দেশে দিশে দিশে কর্মধারা ধায় অজস্র সহস্রবিধ চরিতার্থতায়, যেথা তুচ্ছ আচারের মরুবালুরাশি বিচারের স্রোতঃপথ ফেলে নাই গ্রাসি, পৌরুষেরে করে নি শতধা, নিত্য যেথা তুমি সর্ব কর্ম চিন্তা আনন্দের নেতা, নিজ হস্তে নির্দয় আঘাত করি, পিতঃ; ভারতেরে সেই স্বর্গে করো জাগরিত॥ **রবীন্দ্রনাথ ঠাকুর** Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high; Where knowledge is free Where the world has not been broken up into fragments By narrow domestic walls Where words come out from the depth of truth; Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection; Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way Into the dreary desert sand of dead habit; Where the mind is led forward by thee Into ever-widening thought and action; Into that heaven of freedom, My Father, let my country awake.

Rabindranath Tagore

Thinking should become your capital asset, whatever ups and downs you may come across in your life. Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

The true wealth of a nation consists not in the store-up gold but in the intellectual and physical strength of its people.

C. V. Raman

The true laboratory is the mind, where behind illusions we uncover the laws of truth.

Jagadish Chandra Bose

যে বিদ্যার উন্মেষে ইতর-সাধারণকে জীবন-সংগ্রামে সমর্থ করিতে পারা যায় না, যাতে মানুষের চরিত্রবল, পরার্থপরতা, সিংহ-সাহসিকতা এনে দেয় না, সে কি আবার শিক্ষা? যে শিক্ষায় জীবনে নিজের পায়ের উপরে দাঁড়াতে পারা যায়, সেই হচ্ছে শিক্ষা।

(The education which does not help the common mass of people to equip themselves for the struggle for life, which does not bring out strength of character, a spirit of philanthropy, and the courage of a Lion- is it worthy of the name? Real education is that which enables one to stand on one's own legs.)

স্বামী বিবেকানন্দ

(Swami Vivekananda)

আমি দেশাচারের নিতান্ত দাস নহি, নিজের বা সমাজের মঙ্গলের নিমিন্ত যাহা উচিত বা আবশ্যক বোধ হইবেক, তাহা করিব; লোকের বা কুটুম্বের ভয়ে কদাচ সঙ্কুচিত হইব না।

विद्ययाऽमृतमश्नुते (Be immortal through Knowledge.)

ঈশ্বর চন্দ্র বিদ্যাসাগর

-ईशावास्योपनिषत्, ११

(lśopaniṣad, Verse-XI)

-श्रीविष्णुपुराणेप्रथमस्कन्धेएकोनविंशोऽध्यायः (ViṣṇuPurāṇa, 1,19.41)

साविद्यायाविमुक्तये (That is Knowladge which liberated

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