

Field Excursion by Semester 2 General students of Geography Department 10.06.2023 – 11.06.2023

A field excursion was organized by the Department of Geography for the students of Semester 2 General Geography on 10th and 11th June 2023 to Santiniketan. Total 34 students from Morning (16 students) and Day (18 students) section of Geography Department participated in the trip which was coordinated by Smt. Aloka Mukhopadhyay and Smt. Prakriti Das. The senior professors of department Dr. Kaberi Brahma and Smt. Pubali Ghosh also accompanied and Sri. Hari Sadan Chowdhury, non-teaching staff assisted during the trip. The objective of the trip was to study and collect data on biodiversity (mainly floral diversity) of Santiniketan and then prepare a report on Biodiversity Register which a compulsory topic in the CBCS syllabus of Semester 2 General Geography (Paper: Environmental Geography CC2/GE2 Practical). The students did the data collection on different types of plant species (grass, herb, shrub, climber, creeper and tree) present on the surrounding areas of Kopai river on 11.06.2023. It was a very enriching experience for the students who were taught to do biodiversity survey which is an important part of Geography Practical. Later the students will be preparing a Project Report on “Biodiversity Register of the surrounding areas of Kopai Nadi in Santiniketan, Birbhum, West Bengal” under the supervision of Smt. Aloka Mukhopadhyay (Morning section) and Smt. Prakriti Das (Day Section) of Geography Department.



Preparation of plot during the Bio diversity survey



Studying the different floral species during the survey



A group photograph of the students and faculties participating in the field excursion

Group Presentation of Poster on “The Evolution of Geographical Thought” by Geography Department on 15.05.2023

A group poster presentation was done by the students of Semester 6 Geography Honours in Room No. 7 on 15th May 2023 in the presence of the faculty members of Geography Department. It is a part of Semester 6 Geography Honours CBCS curriculum as Core Course (CC) 13 – Practical (Paper: Evolution of Geographical Thought Lab, Topic 3: Group Presentation of five to ten students on any selected school of Geographical Thought). Total 32 students were segregated into 4 groups of 8 students each and demonstrated their respective posters groupwise on the following relevant aspects regarding “The Evolution of Geographical Thought”.

- GROUP A: HUMANISTIC APPROACH (Deepsikha Biswas, Tamoshree Chakraborty, Sayoni Guin, Kahkasha Shakil, Titli Biswas, Sharia Akhtar, Piyanka Mondal, Anwesha Kanjilal)
- GROUP B: BEHAVIOURAL APPROACH (Kahkashan Tarrannum, Tanisha Chatterjee, Neha Parveen, Ankita Saha, Sudipta Saha, Rukshar Khatoon, Saheli Sadhu, Mrinalynee Sana)
- GROUP C: DETERMINISM (Ayesha Islam, Krititapa Mridha, Raji Natta, Shreya Mondal, Keya Mondal, Megha Mondal, Shayani Biswas, Mamoni Biswas)
- GROUP D: POSSIBILISM (Ankita Naskar, Sreemoyee Sardar, Anwesha Mistri, Uttara Mahato, Falguni Khatun, Alfia Mushtaque, Shaika Anjum, Nafisa Shamim)

ONGOING PRESENTATION BY A GROUP OF STUDENTS ON THEIR SELECTED TOPIC REGARDING EVOLUTION OF GEOGRAPHICAL THOUGHT



Parents-Teachers Meeting with Semester 2 General students of Geography Department on 07.06.2023

A parents-teachers meeting was organized in the Department of Geography with the guardians of the 34 students of Semester 2 General (Morning & Day Section) and the faculties of the department. The meeting started at 12 noon and continued till 1:30 pm in the Room No. 7 of the Department. The purpose of the meeting was to meet the parents of the students who were going to participate in a field excursion to Santiniketan, Birbhum, West Bengal on 10th and 11th June 2023. This field trip was organized by Geography Department to study and collect data on biodiversity (mainly floral diversity) of Santiniketan and then prepare a report on Biodiversity Register which a compulsory topic in the CBCS syllabus of Semester 2 General Geography (Paper: Environmental Geography CC2/GE2 Practical). The faculties highlighted the safety and security of the students during the field trip. The students must follow the instructions given by the teachers at all the time. The teachers also mentioned the different items like I- card, sufficient water, personal medicines which were to be carried by the students. A few parents questioned about the food that will be given in the hotel. The teachers assured about the good quality as well as quantity of the food which would be served to the students. The students were asked to maintain nice and harmonious relation with other fellow students during the trip.



Parents-Teachers Meeting with Semester 1 Honours students of Geography Department on 25.02.2023

This parents' teachers meeting was held on the date of 25 February, 2023 in the Department of Geography to discuss about attendance and progression of Semester I Geography Honours students. Total 34 students along with their guardians were present along with the faculty members of Geography Department. The students with very poor attendance were mentioned and their guardians were requested to take a serious note of that issue. The students with lower efficiency in practical work were advised to improve by more time bound practise. Regarding the theoretical answers practise of time bound writing skill is advised with a proper view towards time management. The guardians of the students with unsatisfactory performances were requested to take special care of their wards. The guardians expressed their gratitude after getting informed about the attendance and progression of their wards. The teachers thanked the guardians for their presence.

