

Welcome Ceremony for the Principal, Victoria Institution (College) 1st June, 2023

Victoria Institution (College) welcomes the new Principal Madam, Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal on 1st June, 2023. The welcome ceremony, a momentous event, was held to celebrate the beginning of a new chapter under the leadership of a visionary educator and administrator. The faculty members and the non-teaching staffs took the opportunity to welcome the new principal at the Keshub Memorial Hall with heartfelt speeches, pledging their full support and cooperation in achieving the college's goals under the new guidance. The staffs of the college introduced themselves and the principal madam stepped forward to address the gathering and expressed her deep commitment to the college's growth and development, emphasizing her dedication to providing a supportive and inspiring learning environment.



Thanksgiving Ceremony for the Teacher-in-Charge 31st May, 2023

A small heartwarming program was arranged at Suniti Sabhaghar of Victoria Institution (College) on 31st May, 2023, to convey respect, love and gratitude to the outgoing Teacher-in-Charge, Dr. Uma Ray Srinivasan. This special event was dedicated to acknowledge the invaluable contributions, guidance, and mentorship that she had provided within a very short tenure. The faculty members joined hands in expressing their heartfelt gratitude and admiration for the Teacher-in-Charge, who had played an instrumental role in the college and had a profound impact in the administration.



Annual Prize Distribution & Celebrating Ninety Years of Excellence in Education, May 13th 2023

Annual prize distribution ceremony is one of the integral events of our college where proficiency prize winners are awarded with college certificates, trophies, and several special prizes. Owing to the nation-wide lockdown because of Covid, this annual event could not be organised since 2020. Annual prize distribution aimed at awarding all the proficiency prize winners for academic sessions 2020, 2021 and 2022 was organised on 13th May 2023 with great fanfare. Also the “Ninety-Years Celebration of Victoria Institution (College)” on Prize Day marked a momentous occasion for the college. The celebration served as a reflection on the college’s rich legacy honouring its contribution to education and women empowerment. The event commenced with an impressive opening ceremony graced by the presence of eminent personalities, esteemed faculty members, alumni and students. A hot air balloon displaying the rich heritage of the college was set afloat. Prizes were awarded to students for their outstanding performances. The celebration was embellished with vibrant cultural performances, showcasing diverse talents of the students.



Workshop on Domestic Violence and Mental Health by the West Bengal Commission for Women, organised by IQAC, dated 8.12. 2022

A Workshop on Domestic Violence and Mental Health was conducted by the West Bengal Commission for Women in collaboration with IQAC, Victoria Institution (College) on 8th of December 2022, to sensitize students regarding gender related issues. The esteemed Chairperson of the West Bengal Commission for Women, Smt. Leena Gangopadhyay and her team members Dr. Dipanwita Hazari, Smt. Sujata Pakrashi Lahiri, Smt. Debjani Chakraborty spoke on various aspects related to gender discrimination with special emphasis on the grave issue of Domestic Violence and how it is still rampant even within the educated and elite section of the society. Smt. Gangopadhyay cited several cases of domestic abuse handled by her as the Chairperson of WBCW, giving us an insight into the horrid and varied nature of such abuse and malpractices and the current judicial scenario as well. The audience were also made to understand the importance of being self aware , having knowledge of the procedures of filing a complaint , the legal consequences of such matters and the importance and sincerity with which such grievances are handled by the Commission.

The second half of the workshop focused on the issue of Mental health in general and also of the repressed and subjugated lot. T

his session was conducted by Dr. Subrata Bhattacharya and Dr. Chandan Naskar, assisting members of the WBCW Team. They not only discussed various cases but also encouraged and invited questions/ problems from students sitting in the audience, to help them out with their concerns. The response from the students was indeed overwhelming. The workshop was envisioned as a part of a greater drive to spread gender sensitivity amongst students, to promote awareness and encourage them to raise their voice against any kind of injustice or gender biasness.



INDUCTION PROGRAMME 2022 for SEMESTER-I Students

The Counseling Cell of Victoria Institution (College) organised an induction programme for the students of Semester-I on 20th September, 2022 at the Keshub Memorial Hall from 10 am onwards.



All the members of the counseling cell were present in the program along with the faculty members (advisors of the cell) from the Psychology department and some non-teaching staff who are also the members of the cell.

The program was started with a welcome address given by Dr. Paramita Roy Biswas from Dept of Economics followed by a lucid and interesting presentation by the convenor of the cell, Dr. Debjani Das Ghosh from Dept of Zoology. The presentation highlighted different activities carried out by the college

throughout the year beside the regular academic pursuits. The objective is to offer the students a holistic learning environment.



The faculty members from the Dept of Psychology addressed the students with the theme Familiarization: well being of the students. They also presented attractive slides and explained the challenges and attractions in entering higher education after school completing school education.

The last session of the programme was enriched through a motivational talk delivered by Smt Aloka Mukhopadhyay from Dept of Geography. Being a long time NSS coordinator, she encouraged the students in participating

community life, social works.

A very brief psychological counselling was there for each student.

Almost 520 students participated and enjoyed the programme thoroughly.



The whole programme was scheduled in different slots for ease of conduction and all the members of the cell along with the designated Non teaching staff conducted the programme very efficiently.

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME 2022 For Welcoming SEMESTER-I STUDENTS

Victoria Institution (College) arranged for an orientation programme on 19th September, 2022 at Keshub Memorial Hall from 10 am onwards.

All the semester-I students were cordially addressed by TIC Dr. Uma Ray Srinivasan mentioning the heritage of the college and contribution of the college in women's education of Bengal.



The teachers from the morning section were present and they addressed the students and said a few words about lasting healthy environment and the academic activities throughout the years.

Beside regular academic courses the college offers two add-on courses:

Shotokan Karate -Do Class

Computer Literacy Training course

The coordinators of the courses described briefly about the advantages and importance of both the courses.



Victoria Institution (College) has very strong and active NSS and NCC units for long time. The programme officers were present to motivate the students in joining the NSS and NCC units by highlighting the necessity of being a social worker and responsible citizen of the country apart from obtaining the academic degree.

The librarian of the college informed about the rich collection of various books, journals, magazines in the library and he also shared the process of being a member of the library and use of the reading room.

The upcoming course related to Photography was also mentioned by the course coordinator and he informed about the official face book page and you tube channel of the college.

To run the whole programme seamlessly, it was scheduled in different time slots for different streams. The respective departmental teachers were present in the designated slot also. Approximately 550 students were attended the programme very enthusiastically.



The whole programme was conducted by the teachers of different departments and ended by the vote of thanks raised by Dr. Mousumi Dasgupta from Department of Political Science.

PARTICIPATION OF STUDENTS OF SEMESTER 3 & 5 IN NATIONAL EXHIBITION, 2022



Students giving attendance for participating in National Exhibition, 2022



Students boarding for departure



Students enjoying the trip

One of the group photo



Students getting informations and knowledge from various scientific stalls