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मा विद्विषावहै ॥

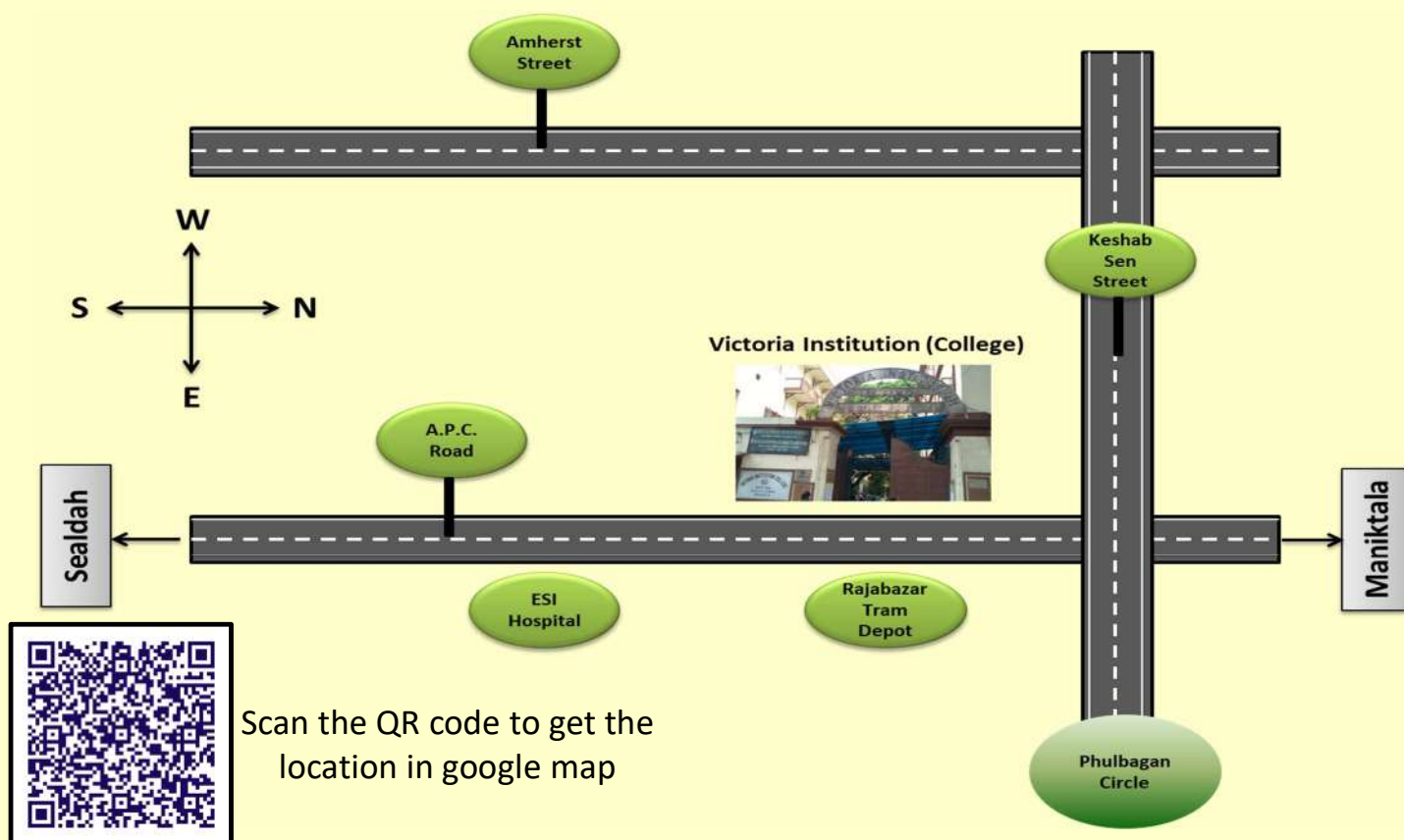
*Let both of us (teacher and disciple) be equally protected.
Let knowledge permeate both of us in same measure.
Let our valour rise to the challenge of knowledge.
Let our learning invigorate us.
Let there never be any malice between us.*

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Message from the Principal



Victoria Institution (College), established in 1932, stands as one of the oldest undergraduate women's colleges affiliated with the University of Calcutta. Envisioned as a harbinger of women's empowerment, the college has since become a nurturing ground where education meets inspiration. Its hallowed precincts have been graced by iconic figures such as Sri Ramakrishna Paramahansa, Swami Vivekananda, and Rabindranath Tagore—each leaving behind a timeless legacy that continues to shape our ethos. Anchored in the vision of founders —Brahmananda Keshub Chandra Sen and his daughters, Maharani Suniti Devi and

Sucharu Devi—the college remains committed to fostering resilience, critical inquiry, and social responsibility among its students.

Over the decades, Victoria Institution (College) has emerged as a vibrant hub where young women from diverse backgrounds converge to pursue academic excellence across disciplines in science, arts, and commerce. Our dedicated faculty not only impart curriculum-based knowledge in alignment with the University of Calcutta's prescribed syllabus but also enrich the academic journey through value-added certificate courses and skill-based programs. Resonating with the principles of the National Education Policy (NEP), these offerings emphasize application-oriented learning, promoting both professional competence and intellectual curiosity. The college fosters a dynamic academic culture through student seminars, workshops, extension lectures, and collaborative projects. Personal mentoring and participatory events—both intra- and inter-college—encourage leadership, team spirit, and civic engagement. Students benefit from a strong support system that ensures their academic, emotional, and social well-being.

Modern infrastructure enhances this holistic experience, with ICT-enabled classrooms, Wi-Fi-enabled campus, well-equipped laboratories, a rich library, an auditorium, and a seminar hall. Safety and comfort are paramount, with round-the-clock CCTV surveillance and a secure on-campus hostel facility. A wide range of student clubs and cells actively work to promote gender sensitization, peer teaching, and career readiness, creating opportunities for personal growth, creative expression, and social awareness. In its third cycle of assessment, the college proudly holds a NAAC accreditation, reflecting its ongoing commitment to quality assurance and institutional excellence. Our Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) further strengthens this vision by encouraging an ecosystem of creativity, entrepreneurship, and innovation among students and faculty.

As we continue to uphold the ideals of our epoch-making founders, we warmly invite every aspiring learner to be part of this transformative journey. At Victoria Institution (College), education is not just a path to success—it is a celebration of empowerment, heritage, and lifelong discovery. We extend our heartfelt wishes for a fulfilling and inspiring academic experience ahead.

To realise your dreams the College provides you with —

1. A Rich heritage – 90 years of glorious service in women's education and empowerment
2. A green idyllic campus with lovingly nurtured age-old trees and shrubberies
3. A Heritage Building
4. Vibrant campus culture
5. In-house auditorium and conference rooms
6. ICT enabled lecture halls and smart class rooms
7. Hostel facility for out-station students
8. Ragging free campus
9. Central Library with ~40000 books and Seminar libraries for Honours departments
10. Well-equipped laboratories
11. Wi-Fi enabled campus
12. Canteen
13. Cheap store
14. Playground
15. Safe and secure environment with male and female security guards and closed circuit television for constant monitoring of college premises (24X7)
16. Campus placements

You on your side must pledge to abide by the following code of conduct —

1. Punctuality and Regularity in attending classes and tests conducted by the departments.
2. You will switch off all the fans, lights and ACs when you leave the classrooms.
3. You will not use mobile phones during class.
4. You will display ID cards on your person.
5. You will not mishandle or damage library books, computers, laboratory equipments and other College properties.
6. You will not be party to any kind of ragging in the campus and will at once report it to the College authority if such an incident comes to your notice.
7. You will not paste any poster anywhere on the College walls, or gates, but only at designated boards put up for such purpose.
8. You will not encourage or participate in any form of slogan shouting during College hours and thereby causing disturbance to the happy academic ambience in the College.
9. You will not indulge in or participate in any kind of violent activities that may disrupt the peaceful atmosphere in the College.
10. You will respect the cultural, religious and regional diversity of our country.

The College authority will take action against offenders for violating the code of conduct and take necessary strict action against offenders.

OUR INSTITUTION

1.1 History of the Institution

Victoria Institution, originally named as The Native Ladies Normal and Adult School, was founded on 1st February, 1871, by Brahmananda Keshub Chandra Sen under the auspices of the Indian Reform Association of which he was the President. The aim of the Institution as laid down by Keshub Chandra Sen was to build up a scheme of education “specially adapted to the requirement of the female mind and calculated to fit woman for her position in the society.” Education, he said, should be “both natural and national” and his followers pursued the aim with apostolic fervour while nurturing the Institution.



Kamal Kutir, 1955

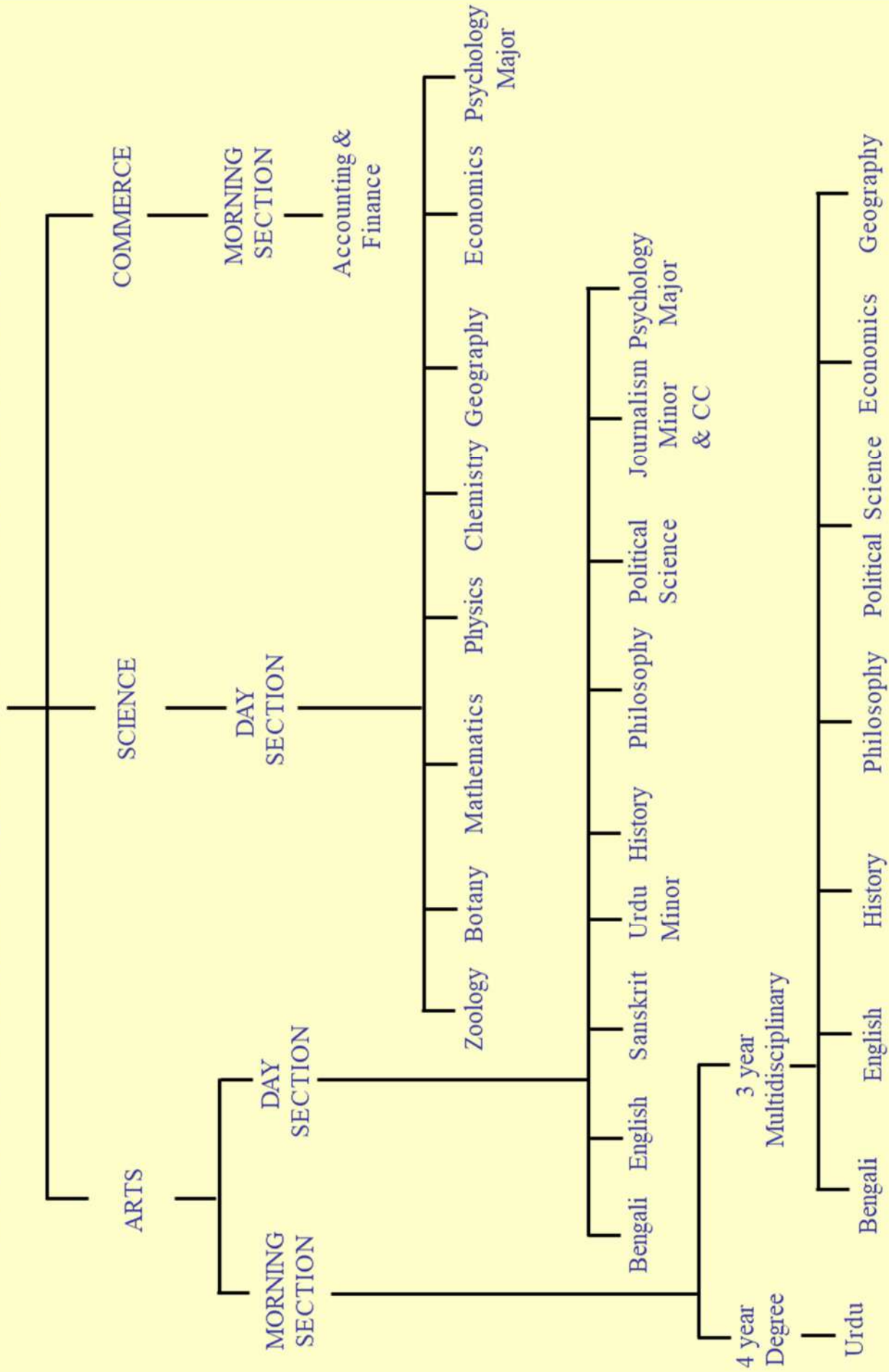
In 1932, the college section of the Institution was set up under the patronage of Maharani Suniti Devi, Maharani Sucharu Devi (daughters of Keshub Chandra) and other Board members among whom was Dr. Bidhan Chandra Roy who took keen interest in the growth of the Institution and remained associated with it till death.

The college which started I.A. course in 1932 soon became the first-grade women's college teaching up to B.A. Honours course in several subjects (1935). The science section of the college was opened in 1950. To meet the growing demand from the girls aspiring for higher education the Morning Section of the college was opened in 1963. In the Platinum Jubilee Year (2006-07) the college introduced B.Com. (Honours) course. At present the college has Arts, Science and Commerce sections conducting Honours and General courses for more than 2000 students. It is also a study center for distance education of Netaji Subhas Open University.

Over the years the goals and objectives of Victoria Institution (College) have been redefined keeping in mind Women's growing role in different sectors of public life. But Keshub Chandra Sen's “comprehensive scheme of education” through special lectures, distance education (‘antapur shiksha’), vocational training and physical training still forms the core of the education system of Victoria Institution (College).

For nine decades Victoria Institution (College) has been rendering commendable service for the promotion of women's education in Bengal combining tradition with modernisation. The mission of the college is to realize the founder's dream of creating a generation of empowered women.

12a B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com. Faculties & Programmes (under Curriculum & Credit Framework, 2022)



1.2b Semester-wise Courses for 4 year B.A./B.Sc. (Honours with or without Research)

	DSCC/ Core (Major)	Minor (m1 & m2)	IDC	AEC	SEC	CVAC	Summer Internship	Dissertation/ Research work	Total Credit
Semester	22x4= 88	8x4= 32	3x3= 9	4x2= 8	3x4= 12	4x2= 8	1x3=3	(1x4= 4)+ (1x8= 8) = 12	172
1	1x4= 4 3TH+1P/TU	1x4= 4 (m1) 3TH+1P/TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2= 4			21
2	1x4= 4 3TH+1P/TU	1x4= 4 (m1) 3TH+1P/TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2= 4			21
3	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 (m2) 3TH+1P/TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4				21
4	4x4= 16 4x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 (m2) 3TH+1P/TU		1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU					22
5	4x4= 16 4x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	m1+m2 2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)							24
6	3x4= 12 3x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 m1+m2 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)							20
7	4x4= 16 4x(3TH+1P/ TU)							1x4*	20
8	3x4= 12 3x(3TH+1P/ TU)							1x8 *	20
Credits	22x4= 88	8x4= 32	3x3= 9	4x2= 8	3x4= 12	4x2= 8		(1x4)+(1X8)= 12	169+3= 172
Marks	22x100= 2200	8x100=800	3x75= 225	4x50= 200	3x100= 300	4x50 = 200		1x100+1x200= 300	Total Marks =4300

Marks= 25 marks per credit.

TH = Theory P = Practical TU = Tutorial

Discipline Specific Core Course (DSCC): A course, to be compulsorily studied by a student as a core requirement of the Major subject.

Minor: A subject of same broad discipline to be studied by the student with lesser number of courses other than the major subject.

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC): Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) courses are the courses based on the knowledge of languages. There shall be two AEC courses:

a) Compulsory English

b) MIL/ Alternative English; MIL includes: Bengali, Hindi & Urdu.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): SEC courses are based upon skill enhancement. Student shall study 2 SECs based on Major subjects in 1st and 3rd semester. In the 2nd semester the student can study Artificial Intelligence (for Science discipline) or Digital Empowerment (for Humanities & Language discipline) or as specified in the syllabus of the concerned Major subject.

Practical/ Tutorial: All courses other than AEC & CVAC will have one Practical/ Tutorial.

Common Value Added Course (CVAC): There shall be 4 CVAC courses of 2 credits each. In the 1st semester, 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVs & another one in CVAC in Constitutional Values. In the 2nd semester there shall be 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVs & the students shall select the other CVAC from a pool of courses.

Summer Internship: All the students are required to do one 3 credits Summer Internship at the end of the 2nd or 4th or 6th semester.

Inter Disciplinary Course (IDC): There shall be 3 IDCs of 3 credits each, to be studied in the first 3 semesters. The students shall take IDC from the different subjects other than the Major and Minor subjects.

Research/ Dissertation:

a) Students obtaining CGPA equivalent to 75% marks after successful completion of all the first 6 semesters may opt for Honours with research Degree Course in the 7th & 8th Semester.

b) Students choosing a 4-year Bachelor's degree (Single major with Research course) are required

to take up research projects under the guidance of a faculty member. The students shall have to complete the Research in the 7th & 8th semester of 4credits and 8 credits respectively.

c) Students pursuing 4-year Single major Degree without Research shall have to take up to 1 additional DSCC (should be a Project work/ dissertation & the course will be of 4 credits) in 7th semester and 2 additional DSCCs (courses are of 4 credits each and at least one should be a Project Report/ Seminar) in 8th semester.

1.2c Semester-wise Courses for 3 year B.A./B.Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

	CC1	CC2	Minor	IDC	AEC	SEC	CVAC	Summer Internship	Total Credit
Semester	8x4= 32	8x4= 32	6x4= 24	3x3=9	4x2= 8	3x4=12	4x2=8	1x3= 3	124
1	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU		1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2=4		21
2	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU		1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2=4		21
3	1x4= 4 (3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+1P/TU	1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4			21
4	2x4=8 4x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 (3TH+1P/TU)		1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU				22
5	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						20
6	1x4= 4 (3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						20
Credits	8x4= 32	8x4= 32	6x4= 24	3x3= 9	4x2= 8	3x4= 12	4x2= 8		125+3 =128
Marks	8x100= 800	8x100= 800	6x100= 600	3x75= 225	4x50= 200	3x100= 300	4x50= 200		Total Marks =3200

Marks= 25 marks per credit.

TH = Theory P = Practical TU = Tutorial

Core Course (CC): Courses, to be compulsorily studied by a student as the requirement of Core subjects.

Minor: A subject to be studied by the student with lesser number of courses than the two core subjects.

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC): Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) courses are the courses based on the knowledge of languages. There shall be two AEC courses:

a) Compulsory English

b) MIL/ Alternative English; MIL includes: Bengali, Hindi & Urdu.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): SEC courses are based upon skill enhancement. The students shall study 3 SECs 2 from each of 2 core subjects in 1st and 2nd semester respectively and in 3rd semester 1 SEC from the Minor subject.

Practical/ Tutorial: All courses other than AEC & CVAC will have one Practical/ Tutorial.

Common Value Added Course (CVAC): There shall be 4 CVAC courses of 2 credits each. In the 1st semester, 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVS & another one in CVAC in Constitutional Values. In the 2nd semester there shall be 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVS & the students shall select the other CVAC from a pool of courses.

Summer Internship: All the students are required to do one 3 credits Summer Internship at the end of the 2nd or 4th or 6th semester.

Inter Disciplinary Course (IDC): There shall be 3 IDCs of 3 credits each, to be studied in the first 3 semesters. The students shall take IDC from subjects other than the concerned core subjects & minor, not more than one from the each of the Multidisciplinary pool.

1.2d Semester-wise Course Structure for 4 year B.Com. (Honours with or without Research)

Semester (I – VIII)	DSC (Major) 88 Credits (22 Papers x 4 credits)	Minor 32 Credits (8 papers x 4 credits)	Multi- Disciplinary 9 Credits (3 papers x 3 credits)	AEC** 8 Credits (4 papers x 2 credits)	SEC 12# Credits (3 papers x 4 credits)	VAC** 6 Credits (2 papers x 4 credits)	Intern- ship 3 Credits	Dissertation / Research Project (12 Credits or (3 papers x 4 Credits)	Total Credit (163 Credits)
I	1x4 =4	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (MIL 1)	1x4=4	2+2			21
II	1x4 =4	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (Eng 1)	1x4=4	2+2	3 #		21 + 3 #
III	2x4=8	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (Eng 1)	1x4=4				21
IV	4x4=16	1x4=4		1 x2=2 (MIL 2)			3 #		22 + 3 #
V	4x4=16	1x4=4							20
VI	4x4=16	1x4=4					3 #		20 + 3 #
VII	4x4=16	1x4=4						1x4=4 (Research Method) x 4 Credits and Research /	24
VIII	2x4=8	1x4=4						Dissertation 8 Credits Or *2 Papers x 4 Credits=8	20
Total for 8 Semesters	22 x 4 = 88	8 x 4 = 32	3 x 3 = 9	4 x 2 = 8	3 x 4 = 12	2 x 4 = 8	3 #	12	169 + 3 # = 172

AEC and VAC Papers are Common for All UG Programmes (B.A., B.Sc., B.Com.)

Discipline Specific Core Course (DSCC)/Major: A course, to be compulsorily studied by a student.

Minor: A subject of same broad discipline to be studied by the student with lesser number of courses other than the major subject.

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC): Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) courses are the courses based on the knowledge of languages. There shall be two AEC courses:

a) Compulsory English

b) MIL/ Alternative English; MIL includes: Bengali, Hindi & Urdu.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): These courses are designed to provide skill-based knowledge and are aimed at providing competencies, skills etc. SEC courses are based upon skill enhancement.

Practical/ Tutorial: All courses other than AEC & CVAC will have one Practical/ Tutorial.

Common Value Added Course (CVAC): There shall be 4 CVAC courses of 2 credits each. In the 1st semester, 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVIS & another one in CVAC in Constitutional Values. In the 2nd semester there shall be 1 compulsory CVAC in ENVIS & the students shall select the other CVAC from a pool of courses.

Summer Internship: All the students are required to do one 3 credits Summer Internship at the end of the 2nd or 4th or 6th semester.

Inter Disciplinary Course (IDC): There shall be 3 IDCs of 3 credits each, to be studied in the first 3 semesters. The students shall take IDC from the different subjects other than the Major and Minor subjects.

Research/ Dissertation:

a) Students obtaining CGPA equivalent to 75% marks after successful completion of all the first 6 semesters may opt for Honours with research Degree Course in the 7th & 8th Semester.

b) Students choosing a 4-year Bachelor's degree (Single major with Research course) are required to take up research projects under the guidance of a faculty member. The students shall have to complete the Research in the 7th & 8th semester of 4credits and 8 credits respectively.

c) Students pursuing 4-year Single major Degree without Research shall have to take up to 1 additional DSCC on Research Methodology in 7th semester and 2 additional DSCCs (courses are of 4 credits each and at least one should be a Project Report and the other is theoretical course) in 8th semester.

1.2e Semester-wise Course Structure (B.Com-3 year undergraduate)

Semester (I – VI)	MDC (Core/Major) 88 Credits (22 Papers x 4 credits)	MDC (Minor) 32 Credits (8 papers x 4 credits)	Inter- Disciplinary 9 Credits (3 papers x 3 credits)	AEC** 8 Credits (4 papers x 2 credits)	SEC 12 Credits (3 papers x 4 credits)	VAC** 6 Credits (2 papers x 4 credits)	Intern- ship 3 Credits	Total Credit (163 Credits)
I	1x4=4	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (MIL 1)	1x4=4	1 x4 Or 2x2=4 (ENVS)		21
II	1x4=4	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (Eng 1)	1x4=4	1 x4 Or 2x2=4 (NSS / NCC)	3 #	21 + 3 #
III	2x4=8	1x4=4	1x3=3	1x2=2 (Eng 1)	1x4=4			21
IV	4x4=16	1x4=4		1 x2=2 (MIL 2)			3 #	22 + 3 #
V	4x4=16	1x4=4						20
VI	4x4=16	1x4=4					3 #	20 + 3 #
Total for 6 Semesters	16 x 4 = 64	6 x 4 = 24	3 x 3 = 9	4 x 2 = 8	3 x 4 = 12	2 x 4 = 8	3 #	125 + 3 # = 128

AEC and VAC Papers are Common for All UG Programmes (B.A., B.Sc., B.Com.)

Major/Core Course (MDC): A course, to be compulsorily studied by a student.

MDC (Minor): A subject of same broad discipline to be studied by the student with lesser number of courses other than the major subject.

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC): Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) courses are the courses based on the knowledge of languages. There shall be two AEC courses:

a) Compulsory English

b) MIL/ Alternative English; MIL includes: Bengali, Hindi & Urdu.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): These courses are designed to provide skill-based knowledge and are aimed at providing competencies, skills etc. SEC courses are based upon skill enhancement.

Value Added Course (VAC): There shall be 4 VAC courses of 2 credits each. In the 1st semester, 1 compulsory VAC in ENVS & another one in 2nd semester in NSS/NCC.

Summer Internship: All the students are required to do one 3 credits Summer Internship at the end of the 2nd or 4th or 6th semester.

Inter Disciplinary Course (IDC): There shall be 3 IDCs of 3 credits each, to be studied in the first 3 semesters. The students shall take IDC from the different subjects other than the Major and Minor subjects.

1.3 Subject Combinations Offered

● Day Section

4 year B. A./ B. Sc. (Hons with or without Research)

Disciplines of Major & Minor subjects for B.A./B.Sc.:

(i) **Humanities & Language Discipline:** History, English, Bengali, Urdu, Political Science, Sanskrit, Philosophy, Journalism & Mass Communication, Economics, Mathematics, Geography, Psychology.

(ii) **Science Discipline:** Physics, Zoology, Chemistry, Botany, Economics, Mathematics, Geography, Psychology.

Course Name	Minor Subject Combinations
B.A. Bengali (Major)	Any two from History, Pol.Sc./ Sanskrit, Philosophy/Geography/Journalism.
B.A. English (Major)	Combination (1) Any two from History/Mathematics, Pol.Sc./ Sanskrit, Philosophy/Journalism.
	Combination (2) Any two from History/ Pol.Sc./ Sanskrit, Geo/Phil/ Journalism.
B.A. Sanskrit (Major)	Combination (1) Any two from History, Philosophy/Journalism, English/Bengali.
	Combination (2) Any two from History, Philosophy/Journalism, Economics.
B.A. History (Major)	Combination (1) Any two from Pol. Sc./Sanskrit, Philosophy/Journalism, Economics/Beng./Eng./Urdu.
	Combination (2) Any two from Pol. Sc./Sanskrit, Philosophy/Journalism/Geography, Eng./Beng./Urdu.
B.A. Political Science (Major)	Combination (1) Any two from History, Geography/Philosophy/Journalism, Eng./ Beng./ Urdu.
	Combination (2) Any two from History, Philosophy/Journalism, Economics/ Eng./Beng./Urdu.

B.A. Philosophy (Major)	Combination (1) Any two from History, Pol. Sc./Sanskrit, Economics/ English/Bengali/ Urdu.
B.Sc. Botany (Major)	Zoology, Chemistry
B.Sc. Zoology (Major)	Botany, Chemistry
B.Sc. Mathematics (Major)	Physics, Chemistry
B.Sc. Physics (Major)	Mathematics, Chemistry
B.Sc. Chemistry (Major)	Mathematics, Physics
B.A. Geography (Major)	Any two from Mathematics / History, Pol. Sc./ Sanskrit, Eco/ Beng. /Eng./ Urdu.
B.Sc. Geography (Major)	Mathematics and Economics
B.A. Economics (Major)	Mathematics is compulsory and any one subject from Pol. Sc./Philosophy/Journalism.
B.Sc. Economics (Major)	Mathematics and Geography
B.A. Psychology (Major)	Combination (1): Pol. Sc. And Economics
	Combination (2): Any two from History, Pol. Sc./Sanskrit, Eng./Beng./Urdu.
B.Sc. Psychology (Major)	Botany and Zoology

● Morning Section

4 year B. A. (Hons with or without Research)

Programme Name	Minor Subject Combinations
B.A. Urdu (Major)	History, Pol. Sc.

3 year B. A/ B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

Disciplines of Multidisciplinary courses for B.A./B.Sc.:

(i) Humanities Discipline: History, English, Bengali, Urdu, Political Science, Sanskrit, Philosophy, Journalism & Mass Communication.

(ii) Science Discipline: Physics, Zoology, Chemistry, Botany, Geography, Economics, Mathematics, Psychology.

Programme Name	Core Course and Minor Subject Combinations
3 year B. A. (Multidisciplinary)	Any three from History, Political Science/Sanskrit, Philosophy/Geography/Journalism, Economics/Bengali/Urdu/English. (Economics & Geography both can be taken for 3 yr Multidisciplinary B.Sc., not for 3 yr Multidisciplinary B.A.).
3 year B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)	Any three subjects from the following combinations: Combination (1) Economics, Maths, and any one from the following subjects Geo./Philosophy/Pol. Sc./Sanskrit.
	Combination (2) Maths, Geography and any one from the following subjects Pol. Sc./Sanskrit/ English/Bengali/Urdu.
	Combination (3) Economics, Geography. and any one from the following subjects Maths./History/Pol. Sc./Sanskrit.
	Combination (4) Zoology, Botany, Chemistry
	Combination (5) Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry

● Morning Section

3 year B. A/ B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

Disciplines of Multidisciplinary courses for B.A./B.Sc.:

(i) Humanities Discipline: History, English, Bengali, Urdu, Political Science, Philosophy.

(ii) Science Discipline: Geography, Economics.

Programme Name	Core Course and Minor Subject Combinations
3 year B. A. (Multidisciplinary)	Any three from History, Pol. Sc., Philosophy/Geography, Economics, Bengali/Urdu/English (Geography & Economics both can be taken for 3 yr Multidisciplinary B.Sc. not for 3 yr Multidisciplinary B.A.)
3 year B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)	Students have to take Geography, Economics and any one of History/Pol. Sc./Bengali/English/Urdu

For 4 year B. Com (Hons or Hons with Research) and 3 year B. Com degree subjects are specified in the respective syllabi.

1.4 Interdisciplinary Subjects (IDCs) offered by Victoria Institution (College) AY 2025-26

DAY SECTION

4 year B. A. (Hons with or without Research)

The students shall take three IDCs from three different subjects listed below other than the Major and Minor subjects.

- 1) Bengali, 2) Sanskrit, 3) English, 4) History, 5) Political Science, 6) Philosophy, 7) Economics, 8) Journalism & Mass Communication, 9) Geography, 10) Psychology (only Sem 1 & 2), 11) Mathematics (Must pass in Mathematics in 10+2).

4 year B. Sc. (Hons with or without Research)

The students shall select three IDCs from three different subjects listed below other than the Major and Minor subjects.

- 1) Chemistry, 2) Mathematics (Must pass in Mathematics in 10+2), 3) Physics, 4) Botany, 5) Zoology, 6) Journalism & Mass Communication, 7) Economics, 8) Geography, 9) Psychology (only Sem 1 & 2), 10) Bengali, 11) English, 12) Sanskrit.

3 year B. A (Multidisciplinary)

The students shall select three IDCs from three different subjects listed below other than the concerned core subjects & minor subject.

- 1) Bengali, 2) Sanskrit, 3) English, 4) History, 5) Political Science, 6) Philosophy, 7) Geography, 8) Economics, 9) Journalism & Mass Communication, 10) Psychology (only Sem 1 & 2), 11) Mathematics (Must pass in Mathematics in 10+2).

3 year B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

The students shall select three IDCs from three different subjects listed below other than the concerned core subjects & minor subject.

- 1) Botany, 2) Chemistry, 3) Mathematics (Must pass in Mathematics in 10+2), 4) Physics, 5) Zoology, 6) Journalism & Mass Communication, 7) Economics, 8) Geography, 9) Psychology (only Sem 1 & 2), 10) Bengali, 11) English, 12) Sanskrit.

MORNING SECTION

4 year B. A. (Hons with or without Research)

The students shall take three IDCs from three different subjects listed below.

- 1) Bengali, 2) English, 3) Philosophy, 4) Economics, 5) Geography.

3 year B. A/ B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

The students shall select three IDCs from three different subjects listed below other than the concerned core subjects & minor subject.

- 1) Bengali, 2) English, 3) Urdu, 4) History, 5) Political Science, 6) Philosophy, 7) Economics, 8) Geography.

4 year B. Com (Hons or Hons with Research) and 3 year B. Com degree

1. Microeconomics 2. Macroeconomics

1.5 Skill Enhancement Courses (SECs) offered by Victoria Institution (College)

DAY SECTION

4 year B. A. (Hons with or without Research)

Major Subject	1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
Bengali	As per syllabus	Byaboharik Bangla	As per syllabus
English	As per syllabus	Academic Writing	As per syllabus
Sanskrit	As per syllabus	Spoken Sanskrit & Computer Awareness for Sanskrit	As per syllabus
History	As per syllabus	Understanding Cultural Heritage and Tourism	As per syllabus
Political Science	As per syllabus	Understanding the Legal System	As per syllabus
Philosophy	As per syllabus	Recent Issues in Philosophy : Political and Ethical	As per syllabus
Geography	As per syllabus	Digital Empowerment	As per syllabus
Economics	As per syllabus	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing	As per syllabus
Psychology	As per syllabus	Emotional Intelligence	As per syllabus

4 year B. Sc. (Hons with or without Research)

Major Subject	1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
Botany	As per syllabus	Biofertilizer & Biopesticides	As per syllabus
Chemistry	As per syllabus	Artificial Intelligence	As per syllabus
Mathematics	As per syllabus	Artificial Intelligence	As per syllabus
Physics	As per syllabus	Scientific Writing Skills	As per syllabus
Zoology	As per syllabus	Aquaculture	As per syllabus
Geography	As per syllabus	Artificial Intelligence	As per syllabus
Economics	As per syllabus	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing	As per syllabus
Psychology	As per syllabus	Emotional Intelligence	As per syllabus

Skill Enhancement Courses (SECs) offered by Victoria Institution (College)

3 year B. A./ B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as CC1	As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as CC2	As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as Minor

Subject	1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
Mathematics	As per syllabus	Artificial Intelligence	As per syllabus
Economics	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)

MORNING SECTION

4 year B. A. (Hons with or without Research)

Major Subject	1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
Urdu	As per syllabus	As per syllabus	As per syllabus

3 year B. A/ B. Sc. (Multidisciplinary)

1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as CC1	As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as CC2	As per the syllabus of the subject chosen as Minor

Subject	1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
Economics	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)	Economic Data Analysis and Report Writing (EDARW)

For 4 year B. Com (Hons or Hons with Research) and 3 year B. Com degree

1 st Sem	2 nd Sem	3 rd Sem
As per the syllabus	As per the syllabus	As per the syllabus

Note: As per order, please refer to the Centralised Admission Portal for all admission related procedures.

2. TUITION & SESSION CHARGES 2025-2026

TUITION FEES (MONTHLY)			
B.A. (MINOR)	Rs. 50.00		
B.A. (MAJOR)	Rs. 75.00		
B.Sc. (MINOR)	Rs. 85.00		
B.Sc. (MAJOR)	Rs. 110.00		
B.Com. (MINOR)	Rs. 60.00		
B.Com. (MAJOR)	Rs. 85.00		
OTHER FEES		SEMESTER CHARGES	
ADMISSION FEES (PER SEMESTER)	Rs. 200.00	COLLEGE EXAMINATION FEES	Rs. 200.00
IDENTITY CARD FEES (for two semester)	Rs. 50.00	ELECTRICAL EQUIPEMENT FEES	Rs. 150.00
TRANSFER FEES (ONE TIME)	Rs. 200.00	STUDENT UNION FEES	Rs. 150.00
MAINTENANCE FEE FOR SEMESTER III	Rs. 100.00	STUDENT HEALTH HOME MEDICAL FEES	Rs. 5.00
ONLINE PROCESSING CHARGE (ONE TIME)	Rs. 200.00	FESTIVITY, CULTURAL & MAGAZINE FEES	Rs. 135.00
C.U. SPORTS FEE (AT THE TIME OF ADMISSION)	Rs. 60.00	LIBRARY FEES	Rs. 130.00
C.U. REG. FEE (GENERAL) (AT THE TIME OF ADMISSION)	Rs. 110.00	POOR FUND	Rs. 10.00
C.U. REG. FEE (SC/ST/OBC/PH) (AT THE TIME OF ADMISSION)	Rs. 35.00	DEVELOPMENT & MAINTENANCE FEES	Rs. 325.00
		BUILDING FEES	Rs. 200.00
		GENERATOR MAINTENANCE FEE	Rs. 50.00
		STUDENT MEDICAL BENEFIT FUND	Rs. 5.00
		COLLEGE SPORTS FEE	Rs. 10.00
		TOTAL	Rs. 1370

LABORATORY FEES	
GEOGRAPHY (MINOR/MDC)	Rs. 300.00 (PER SEMESTER)
GEOGRAPHY (IDC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 300.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PHYSICS (MINOR/MDC)	Rs. 300.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PHYSICS (SEC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 300.00 (PER SEMESTER)
CHEMISTRY (MINOR/MDC)	Rs. 400.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (MINOR/MDC)	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (IDC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (SEC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
ZOOLOGY (MINOR/MDC)	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
ZOOLOGY (IDC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
ZOOLOGY (SEC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
MATHEMATICS (MDC) <i>For Sem I, II & III</i>	Rs. 250.00 (PER SEMESTER)
MATHEMATICS (SEC) <i>For Sem II if AI taken</i>	Rs. 250.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PSYCHOLOGY (IDC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PSYCHOLOGY (SEC) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
COMMERCE (SEC) <i>For Sem II, III & IV</i>	Rs. 450.00 (PER SEMESTER)
JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION (MINOR)	Rs. 500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PHYSICS (MAJOR)	Rs. 1200.00 (PER SEMESTER)
CHEMISTRY (MAJOR)	Rs. 1600.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (MAJOR)	Rs. 1400.00 (PER SEMESTER)
ZOOLOGY (MAJOR)	Rs. 1400.00 (PER SEMESTER)
GEOGRAPHY (MAJOR)	Rs. 1200.00 (PER SEMESTER)
MATHEMATICS (MAJOR) <i>For Sem I, II & III</i>	Rs. 400.00 (PER SEMESTER)
PSYCHOLOGY (MAJOR)	Rs. 500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
EXCURSION/FIELD TRIP/STUDY TOUR	
HISTORY (MAJOR) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 4000.00 (PER SEMESTER)
HISTORY (MINOR) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
GEOGRAPHY (MAJOR) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 5000.00 (PER SEMESTER)
GEOGRAPHY (MINOR) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	Rs. 2500.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (MAJOR) <i>Sem II (Major) & Sem IV (MDC 200)</i>	Rs. 9000.00 (PER SEMESTER)
BOTANY (MINOR) <i>Semester I & III (Major), Semester I (Minor+MDC), Semester III (Minor, MDC 100 & MDC 200)</i>	Rs. 1000.00 (PER SEMESTER)
ZOOLOGY (MAJOR) <i>For applicable Semester(s)</i>	<i>Will be decided by the dept. depending on the place of visit</i>

3. *Evaluation System*

Victoria Institution (College) focuses on holistic learning and encourages students to think critically. While the College adheres to the evaluation norms prescribed by the University of Calcutta it endeavours to maintain a continuous evaluation system.

- Students are assessed on a continuous basis through innovative and reformed techniques such as group discussions, assignments, analytical tests, presentations, quizzes, practical and projects.
- Identification of slow and advanced learners is made by the faculty on the basis of MCQ tests.
- Class tests are organised by the teachers to carry out regular performance appraisal of the students.
- Remedial classes are used to support learners with different abilities and pace. Students with advanced needs are encouraged to research and given more complex tasks.
- All students are encouraged to participate in inter-college competitions to optimize their potential.
- Students are given multiple opportunities to succeed. Through internal assessment students are encouraged and guided to improve their responses with more than one attempt at times.
- Poor performance due to frequent absenteeism is dealt by sending letters to the parents of such students.

Parent-Teacher-Student Meeting

The college periodically organises Parent-Teacher-Student Meeting in presence of the Principal. During the meeting, a comprehensive discussion concerning the performance and problems of a student is taken up.



Examinations at the college



Parent-Teacher-Student meet of Department of Psychology

4. Activities

The College conducts a plethora of extra-curricular and co-curricular activities to make curriculum delivery more effective and enjoyable for the students. Activities like Seminars, Extension lectures, Students' Talk, Quiz Contest, Poster Competition, Workshops, Cultural programmes, Awareness programmes are given equal weightage to promote experiential learning among students. Field trips, educational tours (as recommended in the syllabus) are regularly organised by the College, without affecting the scheduled classes in any way. Practical and Project works are also conducted with equal care and diligence. The main objective of the Institution is to make teaching – learning interesting and interactive.

Excursion/Field Visits conducted by different departments as part of the curriculum:



Students of Botany department in a field visit to AJC Bose Indian Botanic Garden



Field visit and workshop for Zoology students to Vidhanagar College Apiculture Unit



Industry Visit programme at BSE Institute Limited by Dept. of Commerce



Department of History at Shantiniketan



Department of Geography at Sangla-Chitkul, Himachal Pradesh



Educational tour to Ramchandrakhalí Gram Panchayet, Dept. of Pol. Science

Study tour conducted by different departments as part of extracurricular activity:



Educational Trip to Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre, Dept. of Physics



Visit to Alipur Jail Museum, Dept. of Bengali



Educational trip to Kolkata Science City, Dept. of Mathematics



Visit to the Museum, Dept. of History, (Morning section)



Visit to RBI Museum, Dept. of Economics

SEMINAR/ EXTENSION LECTURES/ WORKSHOP/ STUDENTS TALK:



Career Counselling programme under Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI - EIRC), Dept. of Commerce



ICPR-sponsored Periodical Lecture Series, Dept. of Philosophy



*One-day workshop on Arduino
Dept. of Physics*



One-day outreach program at Bose Institute, Dept. of Chemistry



6th series Extension Lecture supported by ICSSR-ERC, Kolkata, Dept. of Pol. Science



Extension lecture in observance of Meghadutotsava, Dept. of Sanskrit

SEMINAR/ EXTENSION LECTURES/ WORKSHOP/ STUDENTS TALK:



Students Talk, Dept. of Mathematics



*Workshop on Bibliography,
Dept. of Urdu*



*Workshop on Application of Excel
in Statistics, Dept. of Economics*



*Seminar on Partition
Literature, Dept. of English*



*Student's Talk in observance of
World Poetry Day, Dept. of English*



*Talk delivered by student of
Botany department*

SEMINAR/ EXTENSION LECTURES/ WORKSHOP/ STUDENTS TALK:



*Two Days Workshop on;
Geospatial Analysis of Landslides,
Dept. of Geography*



*Student Talk, Dept. of Political
Science (Morning Section)*



*Extension Lecture on plant tissue
culture by Department of Botany*



*Extension Lecture entitled
"THE IMPACT OF FEMINISM
ON URDU LITERRATURE"*



*Presentation of models/charts by
the students of Botany Department*



*Industrial visit to a Microbrewery
by student of Botany Department*

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITY:



Celebration of women's day by Department of Botany

Department of Botany, Victoria Institution (College)
in collaboration with
IQAC, Victoria Institution (College)
organises
One day student orientation programme on
CAREERS IN LIFE SCIENCE

Patron: Dr. Maitreyi Ray Kanjilal
Principal

Resource Organization:
AM Educare, Kolkata

Date: 11 December 2024 **Time:** 11:30 am
Venue: Room 23 (Smart Classroom, Arts Building)

Student orientation program organised by Botany Department



Film Screening in observance of Birth Anniversary of Satyajit Roy, Department of Bengali



Rabindra Jayanti Celebration



Film screening in observance of Women's Day, Dept. of Pol. Science



Itihash Mela, Dept. of History in observance of Museum Day



Independence Day Celebration

Cultural Activities



*Dance performance by students
at Kolkata Book Fair*



Basanti He by Morning Section



*Cultural programme
during NAAC visit*



*Celebration of International
Mother Language Day by
Morning Section*



Fresher's Welcome



Glimpses of Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony

Annual College Sports 2024-25



Annual College Sports



Prize Distribution



Badminton Tournament



Kho Kho Tournament



Skipping competition



Shot-put event

STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS

Students of the Dept. of Commerce participated in State Level Inter-College & University Competition organised by The Institute of Company Secretaries of India [ICSI-EIRC Kolkata] at Rajarhat Campus on 25.04.2025 and secured several awards.



3rd position in Calligraphy, Zakia Shahin



1st position in Debate, Suchandana Halder & Anjali Choudhury



2nd position in Dance, Anamika Chetry, Chumki Chakraborty & Tanisha Kundu



Best College award for overall performance



Subhamitra Pradhan of 2nd Semester English received Bronze Medal in West Bengal State Karate Championship



Aratrika Sikdar and Debasmita Dey of 3rd Semester, Dept. of Economics secured 2nd runner-up position at the 5th Annual Economics Summit organized by St. Xavier's University



Shweta Mukherjee of 3rd Semester, Physics received the 3rd prize in State level essay competition.

JOURNAL & MAGAZINES

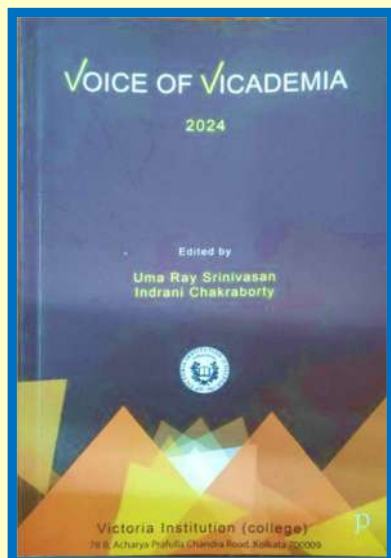
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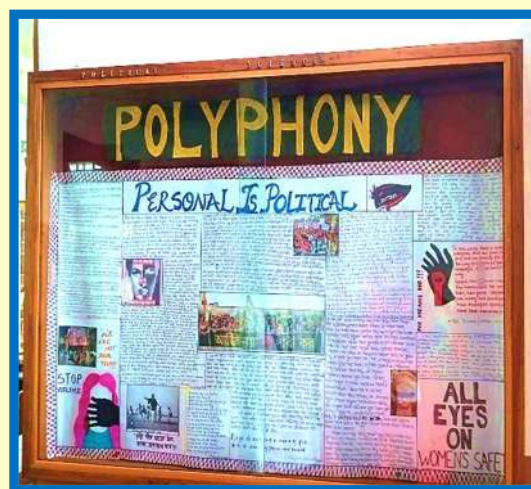
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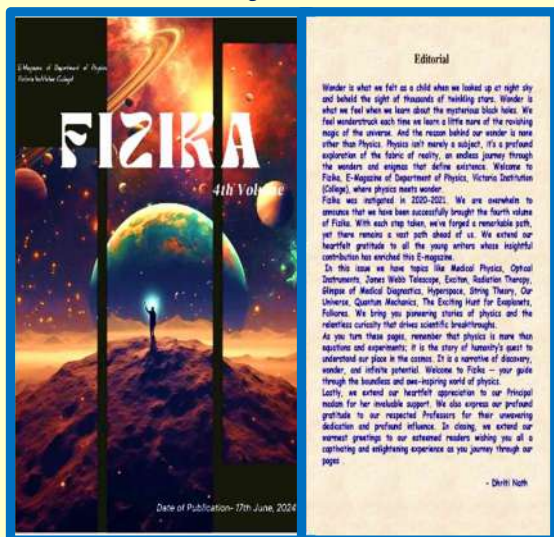
Angana (Bengali)



College Academic Journal
VOICE OF VICADEMIA



Polyphony (Pol Science)



E-magazine
Fizika - Dept. of Physics



E-magazine
Phoenix - Dept. of English



College Magazine
Kamal Patra



5. *National Cadet Corps (NCC)*

The National Cadet Corps (NCC) in India was established on July 16, 1948, under the National Cadet Corps Act XXXI of 1948. NCC is a youth development movement, that provides exposure to the cadets in a wide range of activities, with a distinct emphasis on social services, discipline and adventure training ensuring their all-round development so that they become able leaders and useful citizens.

Victoria Institution (College) boasts of a highly functional NCC unit. It is run under the guidance of one of the professors who invites, encourages and initiates a number of events each year for the NCC cadets. Every year the NCC cadets of the college are made to participate in different social awareness and community service oriented activities like observation of National Youth Day, World Environment Day, International Yoga Day, Kargil Diwas. They have also organised awareness campaigns, conducted blood donation camps, carried out Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and Puneet Sagar Abhiyan on a regular basis. Besides, the NCC cadets, take active part in different college and inter-district sports events and have also participated in collective sports events like Fit India Run.





6. *National Service Scheme (NSS)*

The National Service Scheme (NSS) is a scheme of the Central Government of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. Launched in the year 1969 marking Mahatma Gandhi's Birth Centenary year, it aimed at providing hands on experience to students (young NSS volunteers) in community service; the official motto being 'NOT ME BUT YOU'.

The NSS Unit of this College was established in 1975 with the philosophy of philanthropy and community service as its core values. Each year new volunteers are recruited by the NSS cell who devote their time towards various community services, ranging from conducting awareness programmes (both within and beyond the campus), special camps to maintenance and beautification of the college campus. In recent times the NSS unit has received quite a few funds to keep up the good work. The Institution encourages and invites students each year to participate in NSS activities as volunteers. Upon completion of three years as NSS volunteer, Calcutta University furnishes a certificate of appreciation towards each volunteer which is distributed from the college and which is held in high regard by universities, institutes of higher learning and employers across the country. At present the NSS unit is carrying out a plethora of social welfare activities under the leadership of Programme Officer, Dr. Chitrita Bhowmik.



Anti-Plastic Drive within and beyond the campus



The Gift of Learning: A Social Outreach Initiative



Distribution of winter garments to children in the local slums.



Workshop on Preparation of Herbal Abir in collaboration with Nature Club

7. Alumni Association

Victoria Institution (College) has an Alumni Association which started its journey after duly going through the registration process in 2004-2005. It is registered under West Bengal Government Act of 1961. The vision of the Association is to provide impetus to normal functioning of the Institution. The Alumni Association identifies and honours alumni who have made significant positive contributions to society, celebrating their achievements and fostering a culture of service and excellence. Through recognition programs, they inspire current students and strengthen community bonds.

It attempts at fostering a bond amongst old students and cultivates a feeling of fellowship among the members. Over the past years, the association has organized several programmes like Basanta Mela, Handicraft Exhibition, Reunions, seminars, one day lectures and yearly picnics for members. Such events create an interactive platform and engenders building a robust network among alumni members across the country and the world. The association constantly attempts to assist it's Alma Mater in various ways and it also takes initiative to stand in assistance of students who face financial obstacle in completion of their academics in the college. The Principal who is also the President of the Association presides over all the meetings and events.



Annual General Meeting



Special Talk in observance of 205th Birth Anniversary of Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar



Annual Picnic

8. FACILITIES

8.1 Library

Victoria Institution (College) has a well-equipped and well-furnished library to cater to the needs and requirements of the students and teachers, towards study and research. The library with its spacious infrastructure, ample seating capacity, a rich collection of books (both in terms of quantity as well as quality) and a quaint ambience, has become a happy space where students can further enrich their intellectual resources – a place where they can spend some quality time, outside class hours.

Special features :

- A collection of over 42,000 books.
- A collection of rare books and special collection on Keshub Chandra Sen.
- Open Access and Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC) systems for browsing library resources.
- Two independent wings for the Day and Morning sections housed in two different sectors with their own infrastructure and staff pattern.
- Availability of newspapers, periodicals and magazines related to career development and general knowledge.
- Availability of online resources through N-LIST (INFLIBNET) and Library Facebook page.
- Reading room facility along with borrowing, internet and photocopy facilities for students and staff.
- Careful guidance by Librarian and library staff to access all kinds of library facilities.

Apart from the Central Library, all the Departments maintain their respective Seminar Libraries which are equally resourceful, provide subject specific books and are easily accessible by the students.



8.2 Hostel

Since its inception, Victoria Institution (College) Hostel has been engaged in ensuring affordable accommodation facilities for its outstation students. The Hostel is a three storied building with spacious rooms housing nearly 72 students from various parts of Bengal and even other states of India. Being located within the college campus, the resident students do not have to undertake the cumbersome journey to reach their classes everyday.

Over the last few years, extensive refurbishment work has been undertaken. In recent times, the hostel building has been extended to include two dormitories with attached washrooms. However, allocation of these rooms is made in accordance to merit.

A female hostel warden appointed by the college supervises the day-to-day functioning of the Hostel. Principal personally meets the resident students to understand their everyday challenges and occasionally arranges for interactive sessions with their guardians to discuss problems.

Glimpses of VIC Hostel



Accommodation and Amenities

- **Rooms:** The rooms have ergonomically designed furniture that include beds, individual Study Desks, lockers and Cupboards with hangers.
- **Toilets:** The hostel has ample clean toilets with attached baths and solar heaters to provide hot water during winter.
- **Reading Room:** Every floor of the hostel has a separate reading room. The reading room has computers and free high speed unlimited Wi Fi connection. Boarders can access this room till 12 midnight. In addition, an extended balcony with lights, desks and chairs are also available to facilitate late night study.
- **Security:** 24×7 security with guards at the main door at all times and CCTVs are installed to monitor entry and exit of the hostel, while maintaining privacy of the residents. After college hours students are allowed to go outside with Gate Pass from the Warden. However, returning to hostel at 8 pm is mandatory.
- **Food:** Apart from usual lunch and dinner, the hostel mess also serves 2 light meals and one heavy snack after college hours. The students are provided fresh food with nutritive value. Non-vegetarian food consisting of either fish or egg is served everyday. The menu is decided in the beginning of each week, after consultation with the boarders. Special menu is planned for Sundays. The food is served in presence of the Hostel Warden.
- **Recreation:** The residents have an access to various indoor and outdoor games. Television is installed in the dining area where boarders can watch news everyday and other entertainment programs on Sunday. The boarders also receive the Daily newspaper. Various cultural programmes are also organised to ensure bonding among students.
- **The College Hostel is a home-away-from-home.** The hostel is a safe space for the students and allows them to embrace an identity of womanhood that is confident, poised and ready to grapple the challenges of the world.
- **Hostel seats of students who are unable to qualify at the Calcutta University Examinations will be cancelled.**

STUDENTS' HEALTH HOME MEMBERSHIP:

The Institution has long been a Universal Member of Student's Health Home. The boarders can avail this facility and get almost all their medical treatment from this organisation at a very nominal cost.



Botany Museum



History Museum



Auditorium



Zoology Laboratory

8.3 Museum

- The Museum of the History Department has a good collection of replica of coins, art objects, sculptures and paintings of different ages and styles.
- The Departments of Zoology and Botany maintain their respective museums, where well- preserved specimens, models along with various types of charts are displayed for the students.

8.4 Laboratories

The Departments of Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany, Psychology and Geography have their own well-equipped laboratories. The Department of Mathematics provides students with computer facilities for numerical, statistical and computer lab work. The Department of Commerce and Journalism have their respective computer laboratories.

8.5 Auditorium

The college has a spacious auditorium (with a seating capacity of 300), known as the Keshub Memorial Hall, where cultural programmes, seminars, workshops and competitions are held regularly.



Mathematics Laboratory



Computer Laboratory



Smart Classroom



Chemistry Laboratory



Botany Laboratory



Physics Laboratory

8.6 Students' Canteen & Cheap Store

- The College Canteen provides students with nutritious food at an affordable price.
 - The cheap store provides educational stationeries, photocopying facilities etc.
- Students' Common Room

8.7 Students' Common Room

The Students' Common Room is provided with indoor games and daily newspapers – English, Bengali & Urdu – and is meant for the use of the students during their leisure periods.

- Sanitary napkin vending machines have been installed inside the Students' Common Room.

8.8 Gymnasium and Yoga Room

The college has a gymnasium equipped with exercise bike, tread mill, barbel, dumbbell etc. There is a yoga room that serves as a serene space for meditation.

8.9 Safe drinking water

Automatic water filtration unit is installed in all the blocks, in all student zones. One filtration unit with cooling system is installed in front of student's common room.

8.10 Students' Union

The Students' Union of Victoria Institution (College) is a statutory body and is involved in different activities under the guidance of teachers of the College.

8.11 Universal Membership of Students' Health Home

Victoria Institution (College) has long been a Universal Member of Students' Health Home for which it collects an annual fee of Rs. 10, from each student and the students get almost all their medical treatment from this organization at a very nominal cost. Presently our Institution is under the jurisdiction of Central Kolkata Regional Centre of Students' Health Home, which operates from its Moulali centre. The outdoor clinic remains open from 12 to 2 pm from Monday to Saturday.

Arrangements have been made to introduce Students' Safety Policy with the help of the New Indian Assurance Company Ltd.

8.12 Students' Poor Fund

The college has a students' Aid Fund which extends financial help to students with financial constraints and those who do not get any other scholarships. The objective is to enable them to purchase books and educational aids, meet College Fees, University Examination Fees and other necessary expenses.

In addition to the above Students Medical Benefit Fund formed by the contribution of students. Every student pays Rs. 10 per annum towards the maintenance of the fund. This is a contingency fund created to tackle emergency situations like an accident or a critical medical need faced by any student. A body consisting of the Principal, teaching staff and non-teaching staff oversees the disbursement of the fund.

8.13 Prizes Awarded

Prizes are given to the students of the college for academic excellence and to the meritorious but economically disadvantaged students from the following Funds :

- There is an Endowment Fund for Prizes created from donations made by Sm. Nilima Datta, Ex-Professor, Department of Zoology; Sm. Sukla Sen, Ex-Professor, Department of Sanskrit; the family of Late Dr. Dipali Datta, Ex-Reader, Department of Chemistry for meritorious students pursuing Zoology Honours Course, Sanskrit Honours and B.Sc. General Course with Chemistry respectively.
- There is an Endowment fund, declared in 2020 for prize (book) created from the donation made by Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti, Ex-Principal, Victoria Institution (College), for the highest scorer in Chemistry Honours, in the memory of her father, Late Sunirmal Mukherjee.
- There is a special fund for Prizes created from the donations made by the family of late Prof. Ratna Sen (Dept. of Philosophy) and the family of the late Dr. Samita Ghosh (Dept. of English) for the highest scorer in Philosophy (Honours) and English (Honours) respectively in the B.A. Examination.
- The teachers and ex-teachers of the College declare many prizes for the rank holders in the various subjects of the University Examination.
- Students securing highest percentage of attendance of each department are awarded a prize in the Annual Prize Distribution Ceremony of the College.

8.14 Special Facilities for differently abled Students

All kinds of help are extended in terms of books, loans and free studentship, concession in hostel charges, etc. to visually and physically challenged students. The college also makes a conscious effort to accommodate these students in the hostel, if required. Such students are requested to contact the office for further details. The college has also divyangjan friendly toilets and facilities like ramps and rails.

8.15 Eco-friendly Measures and Green Campus initiatives

The institution believes in an eco-friendly campus. The college has endeavored to establish "plastic free campus" through regular monitoring. The College has also taken initiatives to include solar panels to facilitate Thermal water heaters and Rain water harvesting.

8.16 Students' Support Cells

Several Students' Support Cells like Grievance Redressal Cell, Anti Ragging Cell, Women's Cell, Career Counselling Cell (formed in accordance to the guidelines of regulatory bodies, wherein applicable), exist in the College to address any type of queries, needs and complaints of the students and provide them due assistance. Regular sensitization programmes and events are also conducted by some of the cells to generate awareness and keep the students updated.



Poster Competition organized by Women's Cell in observance of Elimination of Violence against Women



Earn while you Learn: Accelerate Action, Build Sustainability, organized by Women's Cell in collaboration with NSS unit.



A Walk to the residence of Swami Vivekananda in observance of National Youth Day Celebration by the Anti-ragging Cell

Awareness programme by Anti-ragging Cell



Awareness programme related to career prospects conducted by Career Counselling Cell

Observance of World IP Day by IPR Cell

8.17 External Grants

Details of External Grants Received During 2018-2024

Sl. No.	Purpose of the Grant	Date of received	Name of the Granting agency
1)	Fourth Series of Extension Lectures for Undergraduate Students of Political Science and Allied Social Sciences	09.10.2018	Indian Council of Social Science Research, Eastern Regional Centre, MHRD
2)	Fifth Series of Extension Lectures for Undergraduate Students of Political Science and Allied Social Sciences	07.11.2019	Indian Council of Social Science Research, Eastern Regional Centre, MHRD
3)	Collaborative Research Schemes (Research Projects)	13.01.2020	UGC-DAE-CSR,KC
4)	Collaborative Research Schemes (Research Projects) (Renewal)	18.02.2021	UGC-DAE-CSR,KC
5)	Collaborative Research Schemes (Research Projects) (Renewal)	21.01.2022	UGC-DAE-CSR,KC
6)	Periodical Lecture Scheme, 2022	03.11.2022	Indian Council of Philosophical Research, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India
7)	Three Day Workshop on "Environmental Economics"	19.02.2024	Indian Council of Social Science Research, Eastern Regional Centre, MHRD
8)	Organizing the Inter College Sports and Game Championship, 2023-24 (District Level)	06.02.2024	Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal
9)	Development Grant (Construction of Ramp and Toilet for PwDs)	22.03.2024	Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal
10)	Development Grant (Installation of Fire Extinguishers)	22.03.2024	Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal
11)	Development/Renovation of Library Infrastructures	26.03.2024	P.C. Chandra Group
12)	Compulsory NSS activities	FY23-24	NSS, University of Calcutta
13)	NSS activities (AIDS and Health Awareness Camp)	30.03.2024	NSS, University of Calcutta
14)	NSS activities	03.08.2024	NSS, University of Calcutta
15)	NSS activities (Hepatitis Awareness)	22.07.2024	NSS, University of Calcutta
16)	Development Grant (Purchase of Indoor games and Gym equipments)	06.09.2024	Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal

8.18 SCHOLARSHIPS AND SCHEMES

We at Victoria Institution (College) always try to facilitate all the running schemes provided by Government of West Bengal for the welfare of the students. Given below are the schemes which are currently active:

1. West Bengal Student Credit card: To enable the students to pursue education without having any financial constraints.

2. Aikyashree Scholarships: Scheme is to provide financial assistance as a scholarship to minority students so that they can complete their basic and higher education without thinking about the financial burden.

a. Post Matric Stipend under Talent Support Program (TSP): For students with less than 50% marks.

b. Post- Matric Scholarship: For students with marks 50%-59%

c. SVMCM Scholarship for Minorities students: For students with 60% and above marks.

3. Kanyashree Prakalpa: It is introduced to improve the status and wellbeing of girls, specifically those from socio-economically disadvantaged families through Conditional Cash Transfers. The Kanyashree Prakalpa scheme has two benefit components.

a. Annual Scholarship:

Annual scholarship to be paid to the girls from the age of 13 to 18, for every year. It helps to ensure that the girls remain in school and unmarried at the time.

b. On-time Grant:

Under the Kanyashree Prakalpa Scheme, the one-time grant will be paid to girls between the age of 18 and 19.

4. Oasis scholarship: It enables students belonging to SC, ST and OBC categories of the state to pursue their education with financial assistance.

5. Swami Vivekananda Merit Cum Means (SVMCM) Scholarship Scheme: It is introduced to assist the meritorious students belonging to economically backward families in the State of West Bengal to pursue higher studies.

Apart from all the Govt. sponsored schemes and scholarships, a student can avail the scholarship from College Poor Fund. Students will get 30% concession in admission fees under this scholarship.

8.19 COMPULSORY INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

As per the latest guidelines of University of Calcutta (CCF 2022), a compulsory internship Program should be undertaken within the 6th semester, evaluated during the 2nd, 4th, or 6th semesters, and concluded at least 15 days before the commencement of the concerned end-semester examination. The duration of the internship is between 15 to 30 days. The college has Internship Nodal Officer and Departmental coordinators who offer personalised guidance to students.

Internship Program	Department	Date	Internship offering company/ organisation/ institute.	Topic	Status	No. of participants	Session
1.	BOTANY	06/12/24 to 23/12/24 (Batch 1) 06/01/2025 to 20/01/2025 (Batch2) 15 days	AM Educare	Phytochemical Extraction and Synthesis of GNP	Completed	15	2024-25
		16/05/2025 to 30/05/2025 (15 days)	AM Educare	ESKAPEE group pathogen isolation from Tilapia fish gut	Offered	6	2024-25
2.	Chemistry	05/05/2025 to 19/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Business Analytics	Completed	2	2024-25
3.	Physics	16/05/2024 of 21/06/2024 (60 Hours)	UGC-DAE Consortium for Scientific Research	Fabrication of basic electrical equipments used in U.G. Laboratories and study of their performance	Completed	2	2023-24
4.	Mathematics	12/05/2025 to 26/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Finance	Offered	5	2024-25
5.	Zoology	10/06/2024 to 29/06/24	University of Kalyani, Department of Ecological Sciences	Hands on training	Completed	3	2023-24
6.	Psychology	13/05/25 to 30/05/25	Child Development Centre, Apollo Multidisciplinary Hospitals	Counselling and management of clients in the field of Clinical Psychology	Offered	25	2023-24
		15/05/25 to 30/05/25	Antara Psychiatric Hospital	Counselling and management of clients in the field of Clinical Psychology	Offered	43	2023-24
7.	Geography	15/01/2025 to 13/05/2025 (15 working days)	Geotech Solutions	Application of Advance Geospatial Science & Technologies for Mangrove Conservation and Sustainable Disaster Management in Coastal Ecosystems	Completed	17	2024-25
8.	Commerce	05/05/2025 to 19/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Business Analytics	Completed	19	2024-25
		12/05/2025 to 26/06/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Finance	Offered	3	2024-25
		19/05/2025 to 02/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Marketing	Offered	13	2024-25
9.	History	28/04/2025 to 21/05/2025	State archaeological Museum	Museum	Completed	32	2024-25
		15/05/2025 onwards	State archaeological Museum	Museum	Offered	21	
10.	Bengali	09/06/2025 to 30/06/2025	Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with Oihik	Learning to act	Offered	14	2024-25
11.	English	05/05/2025 to 19/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Business Analytics	Completed	21	2024-25
		12/05/2025 to 26/05/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Finance	Offered	1	2024-25
		19/05/2025 to 02/06/2025	Praxis Business School, Kolkata	Marketing	Offered	6	2024-25
		09/06/2025 to 30/06/2025	Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with Oihik	Learning to act	Offered	37	2024-25
12.	Economics	18/06/24 to 28/06/24 (60 Hours)	INNOVIUS RESEARCH	Market research	Completed	2	2024-25
13.	Urdu	21/04/2025 to 10/05/2025	West Bengal Urdu Academy	Bibliography	Completed	38	2024-25
		02/07/2025 to 19/07/2025	West Bengal Urdu Academy	Bibliography	Offered	30	2024-25
14.	Political Science	07/05/2025 to 26/05/2025	Sabar Training Research institute	Public policy	Offered	53	2024-25
15.	4 year and 3 year B.A, B.Sc., B.Com. course from various Departments	20/05/2025 onwards (15 days)	Dasgupta & Co Pvt Ltd	Bookkeeping and book management	Offered	34	2024-25
16.	3 year B.A, B.Sc., B.Com., MDC courses	06/12/2024 to 21/12/2024	Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with Aspasion	Marketing technology digital landscape	Completed	128	2024-25
17.	4 year and 3 year B.A, B.Sc.B.Com., course from various Department	-	ACES Infotech	Basic Awareness of AI	Upcoming	Registration in Progress	2025-26

9. DISTANCE EDUCATION

Victoria Institution - Netaji Subhas Open University Study Centre

The College is a Study Centre for Netaji Subhas Open University for distance education. Every Saturday and Sunday counselling programmes of the concerned University are conducted in the College Centre. The courses which are at present being offered at the NSOU, Victoria Institution (College) Centre are as follows:

- ❖ Bachelor's Degree Programme (3 years BA, B.Sc., B.Com) (BDP).
- ❖ Bachelor's Preparatory Programme (6 months).
- ❖ 2 yrs. P.G. Degree Course in Bengali, English, Political Science, Mathematics and Commerce, History and Public Administration.
- ❖ 2 yrs. Masters in Social Work (MSW).
- ❖ 2 yrs. Post Graduate Diploma in Journalism and Mass Communications (PGDJMC).
- ❖ 2 yrs. Post Graduate Diploma in Public Relations and Advertising (PGDPR & Ad.).
- ❖ 1 yr. Diploma Course in (i) Cooperation, (ii) Consumer Affairs.
- ❖ 1 yr. Bachelor of Library and Information Science.
- ❖ Certificate course on Human Rights (6 months).
- ❖ Certificate course (six month) on Pre-Primary Teachers' Training (in English and Bengali medium) is conducted on a collaboration basis by the Netaji Subhas Open University, Victoria Institution (College) and Learning and Living Resources Society at the College Study Centre. "The course is designed to impart a thorough and practical training in pre-primary child education based on the Montessori methods. The training provides an excellent foundation for all those who are involved or likely to be involved in pre-primary education, including teachers and parents".

N.B.- Any student of Victoria Institution (Day & Morning sections) studying B.A./ B.Sc. course under Calcutta University can simultaneously pursue any Certificate Course and BDP (Bachelor's Degree Programme) course of NSOU.

10. Value-Added and Add-on Courses

Value-added Course on Yoga and Fitness

Yoga offers a comprehensive range of benefits that align well with the goals of a holistic educational experience. By introducing Yoga as a value-added course, the college aims to empower students in terms of their physical fitness, mental health and emotional well-being, It can also be deemed as an additional skill-based programme for positive self-development, alternative career guide.

The Yoga course is conducted by Ms. Aparna Sarkar, Assistant Yoga Teacher trained from Patanjali Yogapith. The course is open for the teaching and non-teaching faculty as well along with the students.

Class Timing : 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (Tuesday and Friday Only)

Monthly Fees : 100/- for Students. 200/- for NTS and 300/- for Teachers.

Coordinators : Smt. Madhulina Das (9830655952)

Dr. Anuva Samanta (9830969298)



Value-added Course on Computer Training

Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with The Institute of Computer Engineers (India) - a unit of Techno India Group, conducts a Computer Concepts Course as well as Job Oriented Computer Course, for the College students.

Course Duration: 6 months.

Course Fee: Rs. 50/- per month

Combined Course Content: (For Science, Arts and Commerce Streams)

Computer Concepts Course: Computer Fundamentals, Windows, MS word, MS Excel, MS Power point, Internet, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence & Cyber Security.

Job Oriented Course: Web Design Using HTML & CSS, Python programming, Multimedia, Advance Excel, Power BI & Tableau, Artificial Intelligence & ML.

Benefits of the Computer course:

- ❖ Very nominal course fees (Rs. 50/- per Month) as compared to other private institutions.
- ❖ Students will get authorized certificates from The Institute of Computers Engineers (India) after completion of course.
- ❖ Classes and Exams will be taken in college campus.
- ❖ Computer Centre remains open every day from 9am-4pm except holidays and Sunday

Coordinators : Dr. Anuva Samanta (9830969298)

Smt. Madhulina Das (9830655952)

Sri. Peter Minj (9123085568)



Add-on Courses

Speak, Shine, Succeed: Mastering Personality & Aptitude

An add-on Course titled Speak, Shine, Succeed: Mastering Personality & Aptitude was organised by the Career Council and Placement Cell in a collaboration with IQAC, Victoria Institution (College).

The objective of this course was to holistically enhance students' professional presence, communication skills, analytical aptitude, and personal confidence. Through an integrated approach combining grooming, personality development, Vedic mathematics, and spoken English mastery, this course aimed to equip learners with essential life and career skills that foster employability, leadership, and personal excellence in academic and professional environments.

Contact Hours: 30

Facilitators: Dr. Devleena Majumdar (Department of Economics)

Mr. Pinaki Sarkar (Department of Philosophy)



Glimpses of Students' interaction with the resource persons



Distribution of Certificate after Course completion

Add-on Courses

Photography

Today Photography has become more than just a passionate hobby, it has emerged as a veritable profession, and has opened up new avenues for creative minds and aspiring photographers. This course in Photography is thus designed to provide a carefully structured guidance for our young enthusiasts about the basics of Photography - Camera fundamentals, Aperture, Manual mode, Shutter speed, the importance of lighting, and the craft of framing, various metering modes and color filters, as well as basic to advanced editing skills; with special focus on Smartphone Photography. Alongside Theory classes there will be Practical sessions in the form of field trips, to provide hands-on training from experts. Classes will be conducted in both offline and online mode. Certificates will be given after successful completion of the Course.

Course duration : 3 months. **Course fee for the students:** Very nominal

Class Timings: 9.30 am to 10.30 am (for Day Section) & 11.15 to 12.15 (for Morning Section)



**Distribution of Certificate
on Course completion**

Glimpses of classes being conducted

Discipline Specific Add-on Courses

Text and Performance: Staging a One-act Play

A Discipline Specific Add-on Course on 'Text and Performance: Staging a One-act play' conducted by the Department of English to examine the relationship between written text and its performance or interpretation on Stage.

The course was designed with a view to inform students - how texts are adapted for performance, how performance choices shape meaning and how different performance contexts influence the interpretation of a text. Experts like Prof. Ananda Lal from Jadavpur University and Dr. Nandini Bhattacharyya from Burdwan University were invited to deliver special talks in this respect. During the course the students learned a great deal about the practical aspects of bringing a One-act play to life. Under the supervision of Dr. Uma Ray Srinivasan, the famous one-act play 'Riders to the Sea' by J.M. Synge was staged by the student-participants.

Course duration: 30 hours



Students' rehearsal for the staging of Synge's One-act play 'Riders to the Sea'



Special Lectures conducted as part of the course

11. STUDENTS' ACTIVITY CLUBS

The Students' Activity Clubs aims to engage the students in meaningful activities enabling them to channelize their passions and interests beyond the constraints of the prescribed curriculum, simultaneously inculcating within them leadership skills, team spirit, multitasking abilities. The club activities range from carrying out sustainable and environmental initiatives (both, within and beyond the campus) to gathering awareness about electoral processes and consumer rights to orienting students towards the rich history of the Institution, while imparting elementary archiving skills. Besides, the students get to learn new things, and a scope to showcase their innate talents, creativity and originality.



CONSUMER CLUB – Special Talk on Consumer Rights and Fair Business Practices



CONSUMER CLUB – Visit to Consumer Fair



NATURE CLUB – Sapling Plantation



NATURE CLUB – Preparation of Compost and Herbal Abir



ELECTORAL LITERACY CLUB – Quiz Competition in observance of Constitution Day



HERITAGE CLUB – Observance of Birth Anniversary of Keshub Chandra Sen



HERITAGE CLUB – Screening of a Documentary on World Heritage Day



PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB – Exhibition



ASTRONOMY CLUB – Visit to Indian Centre for Space Physics



12. INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL

In the year 2018, the Ministry of Education (MoE) through MoE's Innovation Cell (MIC) launched the Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) program in collaboration with AICTE for Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) to systematically foster the culture of innovation and start-up ecosystem in education institutions. Victoria Institution (College) fosters women's empowerment through innovation, entrepreneurship, and skill development. Its IIC registration strengthens this focus on innovation by offering training, start-up support, and industry exposure.

Major Focus of IIC:

- ❖ To create a vibrant local innovation ecosystem.
- ❖ Start-up/entrepreneurship supporting Mechanism in HEIs.
- ❖ Establish Function Ecosystem for Scouting Ideas and Pre-incubation of Ideas.
- ❖ Develop better Cognitive Ability amongst Technology Students.

Programmes conducted by the college under the banner of IIC



13. Mentor-Mentee Programme

To ensure a continuous and systematic mentoring of students for academic, social, personal and career related guidance, Victoria Institution College has introduced a special Mentor-Mentee programme. This programme launched on 6th September, 2022 will be implemented on a regular basis for all forthcoming semesters. All the faculty members have been engaged in this mentoring process. Every Mentor is assigned with a group comprising of 30-35 students. The main objective of the program is to promote the Psycho-social well-being of the students, to help them maintain a balance between their physical and emotional health, encourage and update them about academic and extracurricular activities, to enable them to tackle challenges in the academic field and beyond. The programme also aims to identify problems (if any), and as per situation contact guardians, even consult the college psychologist in special cases, to take necessary action.

A Teachers' Orientation Programme on 'Communication with Students to promote their Psycho-social well-being' was also organised by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Victoria Institution (College) on 24.08.2022 to better equip the mentors in this regard.



14. MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between Victoria Institution (College) and other esteemed Institutions aiming to foster academic collaboration, share resources organize joint seminars/ workshops and more.



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
WITH SWAMI VIVEKANANDA
UNIVERSITY. Date 07.08.2024



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
WITH BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE.
Date 09.08.2024



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
WITH DURGAPUR WOMEN COLLEGE
Date: 14.13.2024



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
WITH VIDYANAGAR COLLEGE
Date: 10.01.2025



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH
INSTITUTE OF COMPUTER ENGINEERS.
Date: 16.01.2025



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH
CLUNY WOMEN'S COLLEGE, KALIMPONG.
Date: 21.03.2025



Faculty and Student Exchange Programme in a Workshop with Maulana Azad College on 14/08/24



Extension Lectures and Workshops with Mou Colleges



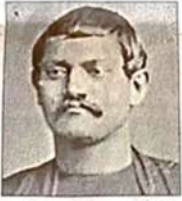
Students participating
in Inter College
Cultural Programme at
K K Das College

Student participating at Inter
College Poster Competition
at Maulana Azad College

Student exchange programme with
New Alipore College by Department
of Botany on 03/08/2024

এই সময়

জাগরণের কথা



বাংলার নারী শিক্ষার ইতিহাসে ভিক্টোরিয়া ইনস্টিটিউশনে একটি গুরুত্বপূর্ণ ভূমিকা রাখেন ব্রহ্মানন্দ কেশবচন্দ্র

(ছবিতে) বসন্তবাটি 'কমল' ১৯৩২ সালে এই কলেজ গড়ে তার আগে, ১৮৭১ সালে কেশবচন্দ্র কন্যা, কোচবিহারের দেবী এখানে নেটিভ লেডি অ্যাডাল্ট স্কুল প্রতিষ্ঠা প্রতিষ্ঠানের সঙ্গে জড়িয়ে সরোজিনী নাইডু, বিজ্ঞানবন্ধের নাম। গভীর সম্মরণ করেই প্রতিষ্ঠানের ১৫০তম বার্ষিকীতে বাংলার নারী জাগরণের রাজা রামমোহন রায়ের নামে



পথ হেঁটে নারীমুক্তির দিশায় ভিক্টোরিয়া ইনস্টিটিউশন

আন্তর্জাতিক নারী দিবস উপলক্ষে গত ৮ মার্চ ভিক্টোরিয়া ইনস্টিটিউশন (কলেজ)-এর মহিলা বিভাগ এবং জাতীয় সেবা প্রকল্প (এনএসএস) ইউনিটের যৌথ উদ্যোগে পনমাত্রা 'ওয়াকথন' প্রকল্প (এনএসএস) ইউনিটের যৌথ উদ্যোগে পনমাত্রা 'ওয়াকথন' প্রকল্প থেকে শুরু হয়ে যাত্রা পৌঁছায় আমহাঙ্গু স্ট্রিটে রাজা রামমোহন রায় স্মারক সংগ্রহশালায়। কলেজের অধ্যক্ষ ডঃ মৈত্রেয়ী রায় কাক্সিলারের পরিকল্পনায় ও উৎসাহে এই আয়োজন। বাংলার নারীশিক্ষার ইতিহাসে ভিক্টোরিয়া ইনস্টিটিউশন (কলেজ) গুরুত্বপূর্ণ। ব্রহ্মানন্দ কেশবচন্দ্র সেনের বসন্ত বাটি 'কমল কুটির'-এ ১৯৩২ সালে কলেজের পত্তন। ১৮৭১ সালে কেশবচন্দ্র সেনের জ্যেষ্ঠা কন্যা কোচবিহারের মহারানী সুনীতিদেবী এখানে প্রতিষ্ঠা করেন নেটিভ লেডিস নরমাল অ্যান্ড অ্যাডাল্ট স্কুল। কলেজের সঙ্গে জড়িয়ে আছে শ্রীরামকৃষ্ণ পরমহংস, সরোজিনী নাইডু, বিধানচন্দ্র রায় প্রমুখের নাম।



নারীর অঙ্গীকার

কর্মদক্ষতা এবং কর্মক্ষেত্রে কাজের পরিধি বাড়ানোর শপথও নারী দিবসের একটি অঙ্গীকার হওয়া উচিত। ৮ মার্চ, ভিক্টোরিয়া কলেজে উইমেন্স সেল এবং এনএসএস ইউনিটের যৌথ উদ্যোগে নারী দিবস উদযাপনের যে আয়োজন হয়েছিল, তাতে এমন দাবিই উঠে এল। অনুষ্ঠান পরিচালনায় ছিলেন অধ্যক্ষ মৈত্রেয়ী রায় কাক্সিলার।

তার মতে, শুধু খাতায়-কলমে শিক্ষা নয়, এর পাশাপাশি মেয়েদের স্বনির্ভরতা ও রোজগারের প্রকৃত পথের দিশা দেখানোর চ্যালেঞ্জও প্রত্যেককে নিতে হবে। উদ্দেশ্য, কলেজ-প্রান্তরের প্রতিটি স্টলে শোভা পাচ্ছিল ছাত্রীদের তৈরি অজস্র উপকরণ। সব কিছু শেষে আয়োজন করা হয়েছিল একটি মনোজ্ঞ সাংস্কৃতিক অনুষ্ঠানের।



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ফেব্রুয়ারি, ভিক্টোরিয়া ইনস্টিটিউশন (কলেজ)-এর প্রাচ্যবিভাগে পালিত হল মাতৃভাষা দিবস। কলেজের প্রতিষ্ঠাতা কেশবচন্দ্র সেনের মূর্তিতে মান্যদান করা হয় অনুষ্ঠানের শুরুতে। কথা হয় বাংলা, ইংরেজি, উর্দু ও জনজাতিদের মাতৃভাষা নিয়ে। ছিল বাংলা, উর্দু ও কুরুখ ভাষায় কবিতা পাঠ। অনুষ্ঠান শেষ হয় সমবেত কণ্ঠে অতুলপ্রসাদের 'মোদের গরব মোদের আশা' গানে। পরিকল্পনায় মৈত্রেয়ী রায়।



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