

Annual Report of College Activities (2017-2018)

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Part A : Curricular Activities

1) Educational visit to Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata on 26th October, 2017

Participants - 18 Students of 2ndyr Zoology (Honours)

Conducted by-Dr. Patralekha Mukhopadhyay & Sri. Sumallya Karmakar.

Due to the continuous development and enrichment of our knowledge of biodiversity, means of analysis, and concepts taxonomic experience is now-a-days an urgent tool in the field of Zoology. Keeping this view in mind Department of Zoology, Calcutta University has decided to make partnership with Zoological Survey of India in the field of research and already introduced the visit to this pioneer organization as an option in the B.Sc. curriculum of B.Sc. Zoology Honours.

Our students got the opportunity to have a keen observation of huge number of animal specimens particularly insects, mollusks, birds and mammals kept in well maintained condition at this prime Taxonomical Institute of India. They observed a good number of very rare specimens which are not possible to be found usually in nature at present. They came to know the modern techniques of dry and wet preservation of animals demonstrated by experts of different sections. Preparation of databases for the recorded huge specimens of the country has been taken as a challenging task by the present authority and the work is undergoing very efficiently by the technicians. Our students have been enriched with the knowledge on this latest technology. Students experienced with the basic idea of insect sampling methods and different techniques of collection of mollusks. Wildlife sampling methods were also demonstrated very well. A very large number of Birds and mammals are preserved and kept in good condition here since many years back. Our students got an idea how these animals are stuffed and preserved. The extinct bird Pink-headed duck is kept here with great care.



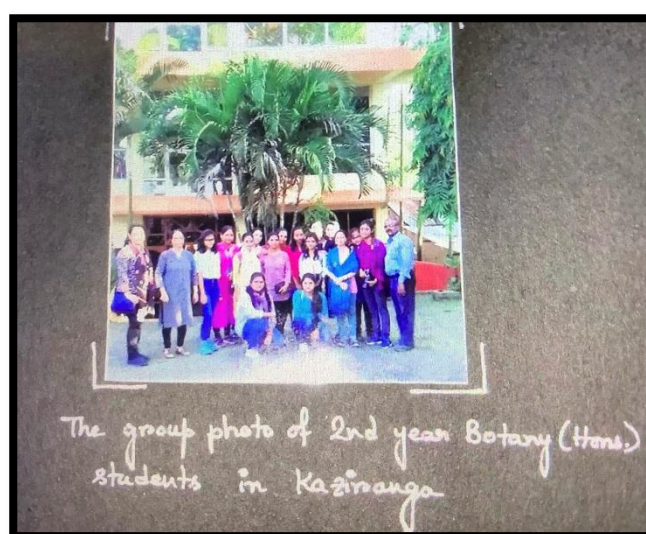
2) Long excursion to Shillong & Kaziranga conducted by Dept. of Botany
during 27.10.2017 to 2.11.2017

On 27.10.2017, we started our journey for Shillong and Kaziranga national park for the partial fulfillment of the requirement for the degree of Bachelor of science (Botany) CU. Total 14 students, two teachers and one laboratory assistant joined the group. The journey started on 27.10.2017 and ended on 2.11.2017. The main places we visited were Shillong and Kaziranga National park. The main aim of the excursion was to study the phytogeography of the local flora and plant collection.

The trip was very exciting and students gathered great knowledge from the field activities.



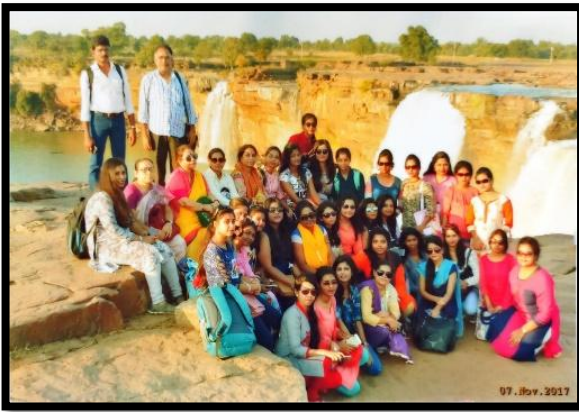
Plant collection



At Kaziranga National Park

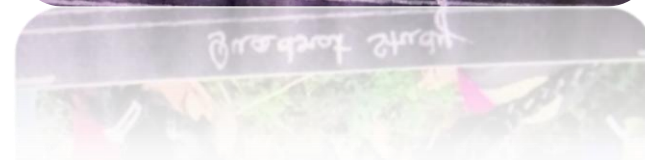
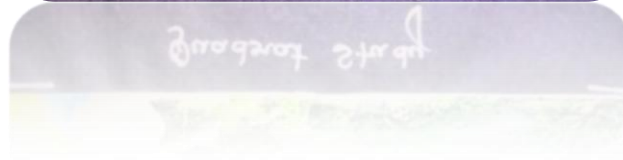
3) Field Excursion conducted by the Dept. of Geography during 5th November to 13th November, 2017

A field trip was organized with the 32 students of 3rd year (Honours) to Jagdalpur (Chhattisgarh), Araku– Vizag (Andhra Pradesh) from 5th November to 13th November 2017. They were accompanied by 3 teachers of the department and 2 non-teaching staffs. They studied the physical and socio-cultural aspects of the fields area and prepared a field report “Physico-cultural Survey of Lamni village, Jagdalpur and its surroundings”.



4) Filed survey conducted by the Dept. of Botany on 15.12.2017

On 15th December 2017, Dr. Aparna Pal along with laboratory assistant Sri Hrishikesh Choudhury guided 14 students of B.Sc. Botany Hons. Class to Salt lake, Kolkata for the Quadrat study. Students performed the study and survey of flora in that particular locality and calculated the species density, abundance and frequency of plant species under the guidance of the concerted teacher.



5) Report : College excursion to Pandua, Tribeni and Chandernagore,

on 23rd Dec, 2017

Conducted by Dept. of History

Department of History arranged a day trip to Pandua, Tribeni and Chandernagore on 23rd December, 2017. Fifty (50) students along with three teachers (Dr. Parnasabari Bhattacharyya, Dr. Suchandra Guha and Sri. Aditya Sarkar) took part in this educational trip. On 23rd December the journey began from college at 7.30 in the morning. A luxury coach was arranged from NBTT travel agency. We reached Chandernagore around 9.30 in the morning. KMDA park was the venue for our refreshment. From there we went to Pandua ,where we visited the Pandua Minar and the ruins of an old mosque. From there we came to Bansberia Hangseswari temple. The architecture and sculpture of the temple was unique. Then we came to Chandernagore. That was our last spot. We came back around 7.30 in the evening.



6) Report : College excursion to Kaziranga National Park

Conducted by Dept. of Zoology during 3rd - 7th Jan, 2018

Department of Zoology arranged a visit to Kaziranga National Park during 3rd - 7th Jan, 2018 for the study on Forest Ecosystem & its Bio-Diversity Assessment. 20 students along with two teachers (Dr. Patralekha Mukhopadhyay, Smt. Suchona Chakraborty) took part in this educational trip.

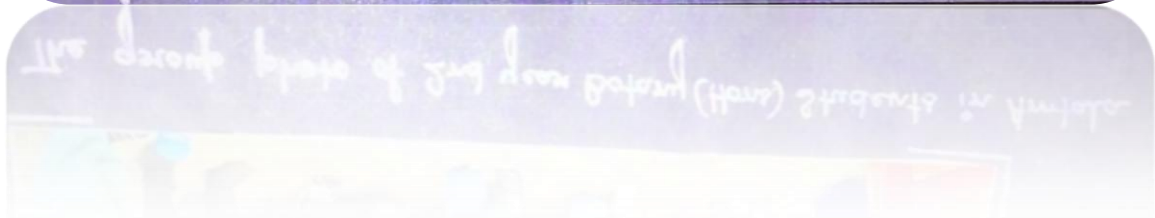


During this trip they have visited Hoollongapar Gibbon Sanctuary, Assam on 06.01.2018. On the last day of their trip students were enriched by visiting the Durrell wildlife (Pygmy Hog) Conservation Trust, Forest Department, Government of Assam on 7th Jan, 2018, which is located at Indiranagar Basistha, Guwahati. Tour to this place was conducted by Dr. Goutam Narayan and and Dr. Parag Jyoti Deka.



7) Local excursion to Amtala conducted by the Dept. of Botany on 17.1.2018

A group of 32 students along with Dr Aparna Pal, Smt.Sharmistha Basu, Smt Aditi Dey, Smt Payel Chatterjee and laboratory assistant Shri Hrishikesh Choudhury visited Amtala for plant collection and vegetation studies of the local flora. We started at 7:30 am in the morning and the trip ended at around 5:30 pm. Dr Aparna pal and Smt Sharmistha Basu guided the students of Botany hons. and Smt Aditi Dey and Smt Payel Chatterjee guided the Botany General students. The trip was very fruitful and the students learnt many things that day.



8) Study tour at Gopiballavpur conducted by the Dept. of Geography on 27.02.2018

On 27th February 2018 Geography departmental study tour was held at Shanti Niketan for part 2 general students in the guidance of Smt. Aloka Mukhopadhyay, Dr. Kaveri Brahma and Smt. Smriti Shil. Total number of students were 29. Purpose of the study was socio economic survey of a particular village (Gopiballavpur).



**9) Visit to Chintamani Kar Birds Sanctuary by Zoology 2nd Yr students
on 11th May, 2018**

Students of 2nd Year Zoology Honours visited Chintamani Kar Bird Sanctuary on 11th May, 2018. They surveyed the types of butterfly species present, their seasonal variation and their host plants in Chintamani Kar Birds Sanctuary. The group was accompanied by Dr. Debjani Das (Ghosh) and Dr. Sumallya Karmakar.

No. of students: 20.



Group photo in front of Chintamani Kar Birds Sanctuary



Survey works by the 2nd Year Zoology Honours students

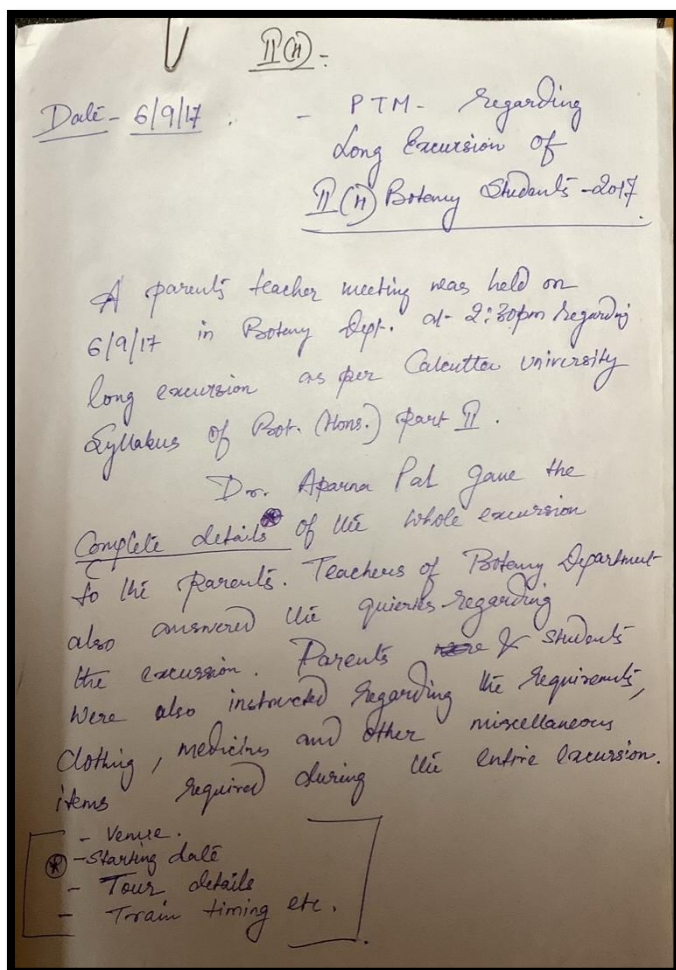
Part B : Co-curricular Activities

1) Parent-Teacher Meeting conducted by the Department of Botany on 06.09.2017

Agenda- Discussion regarding the long excursion.

Total no. of students attended the meeting- 15

Total no. of parents attended the meeting.-15



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Date - 6/9/17. Parent's Signature

Anwesa Palit	Sujata Palit.
Sahana Khahar	parashant khahar
Dipanjal Roy	Shikhi Roy
Lipi Roy	Sanjay Kumar Roy 06/09/2017
Anjum Nasim	Tamanna Parveen
Debadita Sarker	Rinku Sarker
Sharnistha Nasikar	Badal Ch. Nas
Unakshi Bera	06/09/17
Indrani Das	Lakshmi Das. 6/9/2017
Mobashra Uzma	Rahmat Jahari. 6.9.17.
Soumita Chatterjee	Gitan Chatterjee 6/9/17
Ananya Das	Tubhi Das
Rupomita Paul	Naira Paul.
Lipi Mondal	Sandhya Mondal
Asmita Ghosh	Shakya Ghosh.

2) Report on Parent-Teacher Meetings of the Department of Bengali (2017-2018)

12.09.2017

The department of Bengali always prioritizes parent-teacher conferences. This is because professors can interact with the parents of their students directly at such meetings. They can also discuss any concerns with them in-person. There have been two such meetings at the department during the 2017-2018 session. One of them was held on the 12th of September, 2017, and the other on 3rd April, 2018. The main concerns which were brought up at the meetings are as follows:

1. Students must focus on attending classes regularly,
2. Students must maintain a steady attendance without any dips in their attendance percentage,
3. Professors must provide academic guidance to students of all calibre, with special emphasis on those who need extra help to perform well in their examinations,
4. Students who drop out of college due to financial constraints should be encouraged to continue with their studies with government scholarships,
5. Most students, tired after a long commute to the college via trains, do not attend classes, which is why their parents are made aware of the situation and are asked to take proper care of their children,
6. Results of class tests and examinations are also discussed at great length,

These parent-teacher conferences were attended by principal Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti and professors of the department. The above points were also discussed and analyzed by the then Head of the Bengali Department, Dr. Tapasi Bandyopadhyay.

3) Report on the Extension Lecture

Organised by the Department of Philosophy on 15.09.2017

An Extension Lecture was organised on **15.09.2017**. Dr. Pralayankar Bhattacharya of Calcutta University delivered his lecture on “Democracy, Freedom and Education”. The purpose of the programme was to benefit the students before their exam. Keeping this in mind we made an endeavour to select the topic from their syllabus. The enchanting speech of Dr. Bhattacharya engrossed the students to the lecture. The interactive session with the speaker indicated the usefulness of the programme. 50 students participated in this event.



4) Career Awareness Programme by EIRC-ICSI in Collaboration with the Dept. of Commerce Victoria Institution (College) on 15.09.2017

A career awareness programme has been conducted on 15th September, 2017 by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India in collaboration with Victoria Institution (College). The main purpose of the programme was to encourage the students for the professional course. The course conducted by ICSI helps to make professionals who will be an expert in corporate laws, securities laws, capital market and corporate governance. Apart from the above areas of operation the professionals become responsible for all regulatory compliances of company. CSSS Reejesh Nair, the Assistant Director of EIRC-ICSI has taken the initiative to deliver those needs in the said programme towards our students. Overwhelming responses has been received from the students where they have shared their interest towards the course and career.



**5) Career Awareness Programme by EIRC-ICSI in Collaboration
with the Dept. of Commerce, Victoria Institution (College) on 16.09.2017**

A Career Awareness Programme has been conducted on 16th September, 2017 by the Institute of Cost accountants of India (ICAI) in collaboration with Victoria Institution (College). The institute is set up by an act of Parliament to develop and regulate the profession of cost and management accountancy in the country and is under the administrative control of Ministry of Corporate Affairs. The main purpose of the programme was to encourage the students for the professional course with their ongoing graduation course. The course conducted by ICAI helps to make professionals who will be an expert in the field of accounting, analysis, reporting and control, strategy, performance measurement, taxation, ethics and governance. CMA Vivekananda Mukhopadyay, the member of EIRC-ICAI and Mr. Trilochan Ghosh, IT officer of EIRC-ICAI has taken the initiative to deliver their speech regarding the said programme for our students. Overwhelming responses has been received from the students where they have shared their interest towards the course and career.



6) Report on Lecture And Demonstration of some Innovative Experiments
conducted by UGC- DAE Consortium, Kolkata Centre in the Physics Dept.
on 20th Sept 2017

UGC-DAE Consortium for Scientific Research, is an Inter University Centre, under the UGC, which provides the interface for the utilization of the DAE facilities, such as the VECC (Accelerator) at Kolkata. It also aims to make state of the art research facilities available to the research scholars from various institutes of higher learning. The Nuclear Physics & Electronics Group at the Kolkata Centre of the Consortium have developed some innovative, low cost experiments in Physics based on the available resources for demonstration to undergraduate students of different Colleges and Universities.

These experiments are illustrative in nature and contribute to the understanding of basics concepts in Physics. The group is headed by Dr S.S. Ghugre, who is a Nuclear Physicist. Shri Mukesh Kumar, Dr P.V. Rajesh and Shri Kaushik Basu are in charge of fabrication of experimental setup and technical support .

The Physics Department arranged for a Lecture cum Demonstration of some these innovative experiments on 20th Sept 2017 for our B.Sc (Physics Hons) students. The lecture was delivered by Dr Sandip Ghugre and this was followed by demonstration of experiments by Dr P V Rajesh and Shri Mukesh Kumar. Our students took keen interest in this programme and interacted actively with the Resource persons. They also participated in some of the experiments. No of student participants was twenty.



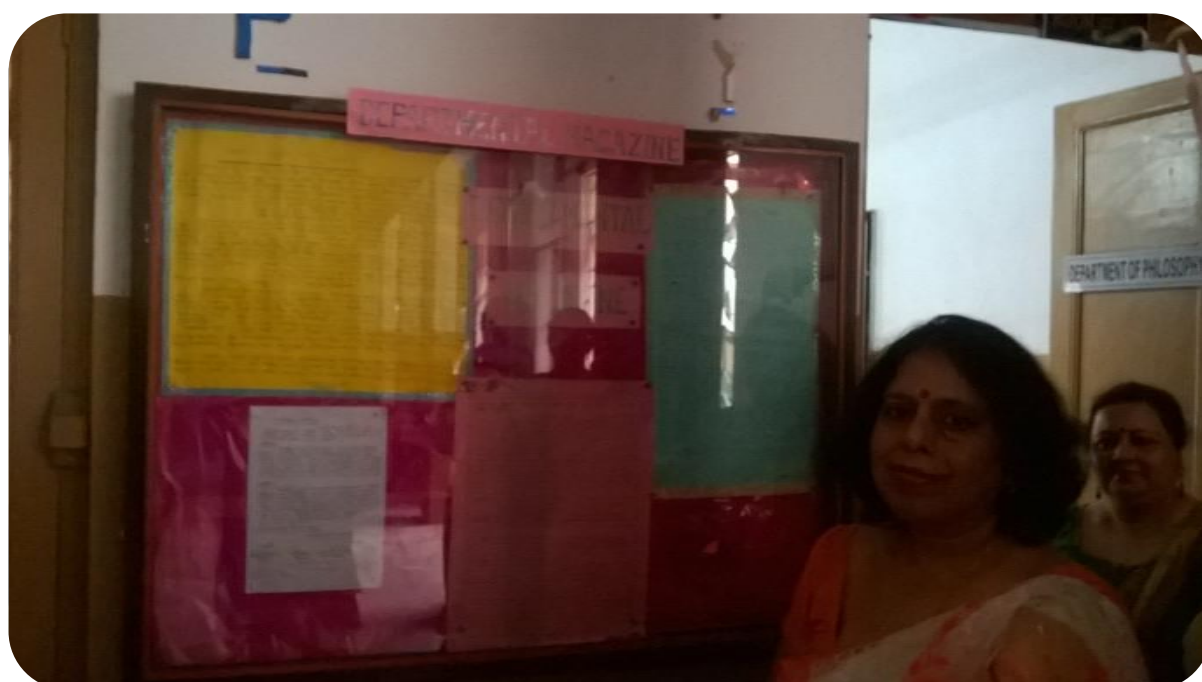
7) A Faculty Knowledge Sharing Programme organised by IQAC, Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with ICFAI Business School, Kolkata on 20th September 2017

The Seminar was focused on Learner Centric Andragogy and the Honourable speaker was Prof. Kumar Satyaki Ray, Associate Dean, IBS, Kolkata. The Teachers were enriched in constructive approach of teaching-learning process. This seminar obviously turned their knowledge into a negotiation with their students.



8) Publication of Wall Magazine by the Dept. of Philosophy on 20.09.2017

1st Year Honours students of our department took an initiative to wall up a magazine on various topics of Philosophy. Our Principal, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti inaugurated the magazine on the occasion of Teachers' Day celebration on **20.09.2017**.



9) Language Workshop organized by the Department of English on 22.09.2017

Resource person: Ms. Bartika Dutta (Language Expert and Faculty at Cambridge International School , Kolkata.)

The event was attended by students of all the three batches. It was a full house.They were thoroughly enriched by the demonstration and practical lessons given by the resource person regarding pronunciation,grammar,syntax ;how to improve fluency and various techniques of effective communication. Thelecture was followed by a short assessment: MCQ test for the students.

The programme was altogether a great success.



10) 3rd Series of Extension Lectures for Students of Political Science & Allied Social Sciences Organized by Department of Political Science during Nov, 2017 - Feb, 2018

The department of Political Science has successfully completed conducting the third series of Extension lectures for Students of Political Science and Allied Social Sciences (2017-2018) with the financial assistance received from the Indian Council of Social Science Research – Eastern Regional Centre, Kolkata. This year the series comprised of eight lectures beginning in November 2017 and ending in February 2018. Thematically, all the lectures were focused on issues prescribed by the University of Calcutta in its syllabus for Political Science honours. Since the lectures were meant to supplement the understanding of the undergraduate students, all the esteemed resource persons not only kept their lectures suited to the needs of the students but also pushed the boundaries by invoking interdisciplinary temper, raising critical enquiries and presenting newer discourses related to their respective themes. 1st lecture was delivered by Prof. Dipankar Sinha (11.11.2017) on Policy Making (Students present - 50), 2nd lecture by Dr. Debdatta Chowdhury (24.11.2017) on Gender & Politics (Students Present - 66), 3rd lecture by Prof. Sobhanlal Datta Gupta (29.11.2017) on Machiavelli : Contribution of Renaissance Thought (Students Present - 63). Prof. Debi Chatterjee (05.01.2018) was the resource person of the 4th lecture, her topic was Caste Question in Politics- Society Interface with special reference to Ambedkar's legacy. (Students Present - 44). Speaker of the 5th lecture was Prof. Shibashis Chatterjee (09.01.2018), he talked about State (Students Present - 54). The last 3 lectures were delivered by Prof. Partha Pratim Basu (11.01.2018) on Savarkar and Hindu Nationalism. (Students Present - 41), Prof. Sobhanlal Datta Gupta (13.02.2018) on Social Welfarism: Approach to Politics (Students Present - 30) and Prof. Shibashis Chatterjee (23.02.2018) on Post Colonial Approach to Politics (Students Present - 32).



**11) Participation in a Seminar at the Sanskrit Department, Scottish Church College,
Kolkata, 08.11.2017**

Three students of Sanskrit Department participated in a special lecture organised by the Department of Sanskrit, Scottish Church College, Kolkata on 08.11.2017. Four teachers of Sanskrit department, Victoria Institution (College) also went to join the programme. Renowned Professor Dr. Samiran Chandra Chakrabarti, the famous Indian Indologist and scholar of Onomastic & Vedic Studies delivered a special lecture on Vedic Literature. Students were mesmerised by his thoughtful yet simple presentation. Teachers and students were both benefited from the lecture.



12) Parent-Teacher Meeting, Dept. of Mathematics on 14.11.2017

Mathematics department arranged Parent-Teacher-Student meeting on 14.11.2017 at room no 2 as is being done every year for 1st year students. This interactive session provides the opportunity to the teachers to know about the social background of the students as well as to make the parents aware of the academic and behavioral activities of their daughters.



13) Report on Inter College Competition @ Zoo Festival 2017

during 14th - 17th November, 2017

The Alipore Zoological Garden, Kolkata, organised Zoo Festival 2017, from 14th November 2017 to 18th November 2017, to spread awareness amongst students. Several events were organised, namely clay modelling, quiz and extempore competition.

Students from several schools and colleges took part in the competitions. Students from the department of Zoology of Victoria Institution (College) took active part in the afore mentioned events. College students could participate in Quiz and Extempore competition. Two teams comprising of 3 students each, participated in the Quiz competition held on 16th November 2017. They were accompanied by Dr. Debjani Das Ghosh and Smt. Suchona Chakraborty. Two other teams, also comprising of 3 students each, participated in the extempore competition held on 17th November 2017. They were accompanied by Dr. Sucharita Saha and Sumallya Karmakar.

It is worth mentioning that 4 out of the six students who participated in the extempore competition, two from the English category and two from the Bengali category, won consolation prizes for their encouraging performances. Participation in such an event was an enriching experience for the students. Such participations are highly valuable, and we would eagerly participate in such events in near future so that the students can develop themselves in a holistic way.



14) Report on Departmental Quiz on 22.11.2017

Dept. of Economics

A Quiz Competition was organised by the Department of Economics on 22nd November, 2017 for the Economics honours students. All three years of the then 1+1+1 system participated enthusiastically. The theme was related to the subject 'Economics'. Since it was a departmental activity, the faculty members of the department prepared the questions, moderated the rounds and conducted the whole program.

The winner and runner up groups of the competition got prizes for their success and all the participants got tokens of appreciation.



15) Parent-Teacher Meeting conducted by Dept. of Chemistry on 28.11.2017

A Parent-Teacher Meeting was held on 28.11.2017 in our Chemistry Department in presence of principal, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti and all the faculty members. Notice regarding meeting was published on 14.11.2017. Meeting started sharp at 1 pm. Total fourteen students with their parents were present on that day. Meeting was started by the inaugural speech of our principal madam. Next our HOD delivered a brief speech on regulation and norms of Chemistry department. After this, individual interaction of guardian with teacher took place. Student's academic progress was discussed mainly. The meeting came to end with vote of thanks to guardian for coming and spending their valuable time with teachers.

16) Publication of Wall Magazine, Polyphony

by the Department of Political Science on 29.11.2017

The students of the department of Political Science (Day Section) annually publishes a Wall Magazine titled *Polyphony*. Each year an overall issue of socio-political relevance is chosen for this project; students come up with their original write ups / comments / interventions and their respective takes. By engaging them in this activity we try to enable them in cultivating some awareness about the surrounding social political events which is continuously shaping the world in which we live. It was published on 29th November, 2017 by Professor Sobhanlal Datta Gupta (Former Surendranath Chair of Political science, University of Calcutta) and the Principal of our college, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti. The programme was attended by 60 students from the department.



17) Report on Parent-Teacher Meeting conducted by Dept. of Physics on 29th Nov, 2017

Department of Physics conducted a Parent-Teacher Meeting on 29.11.2017 in presence of Principal, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti and all the faculty members. Total twelve students of 1st Year Physics Honours attended the meeting with their parents at Room No 6. Meeting began at 12 pm with inaugural speech delivered by our principal madam. Next our HOD, Dr. Gayatri Pal explained the regulations and norms of our college and Physics Department. Emphasize was made on attending regular classes. Also the performances of individual students in midterm test, class tests were discussed. An interactive session took place between individual guardian and the teachers of the department.

The meeting came to an end with vote of thanks to guardian for coming and spending their valuable time with teachers.

18) Parent-Teacher Meeting conducted by Dept. of Geography on 01.12.2017

A **Parent -Teacher Meeting** with the guardians of 1st year students (Honours) was held on 1st December, 2017 at 2pm and the results of mid-term examination was discussed. The meeting was started by the speech of our Principal Madam Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti in which she addressed the guardians of the students about importance of attendance of their wards and being regular in class. The result of mid-term and attendance of each and every student was discussed in presence of their parents. The guardians were requested to share the causes behind the poor attendance and poor performance in the mid-term examination of those students who were lagging behind in these two aspects. The teachers tried their best to solve the issues and extend their cooperation as much as possible to improve the performance of the students in future. The students securing good marks and sufficient attendance were also appreciated in the meeting to boost them for further betterment. The guardians also thanked the teachers for bringing up the problems of the students so that they could overcome them successfully.

19) Parent Teacher Meeting conducted by Department of Sanskrit

1st December, 2017

Department of Sanskrit conducted a Parent Teacher Meeting on 01.12.2017 in the seminar room of Sanskrit department in the presence of Principal. Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarty. 21 students of 1st year student along with their Parents were present in the meeting. Six teachers of the department were also there. At the very beginning of the programme, Principal Madam told about the importance of the meeting. Then the teachers announce the pre-test examination result of the students one by one and analysed those. Principal Madam suggested the teachers and also the parents to improve the weaker students to take care more about their study to improve their results. The students whose attendances were below the mark were also suggested to attend the regular classes.

The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks from the Head of the Department for the valuable time of the parents.

20) Parent-Teacher meeting on 04.12.2017

Dept. of History

Parent-Teacher Meeting was held on 4th of December at room no-25. Teachers discussed mid-term results and attendance instructions with the parents. Parent's turnout was very impressive. Out of 56 students, parents of 50 students were present. Consequences of poor performance in the test and low attendance were thoroughly discussed. Parents too put forward their views. Exchange of ideas between parents and teachers was very harmonious.



21) Report of Educational Trip to BITM on 09.12.2017

Dept. of Mathematics

Fifteen students of Mathematics Hons Part - I visited Birla Industrial and Technological Museum, Kolkata (BITM) on **09.12.2017** under the supervision of Dr. Anjana Bhattacharyya. The students experienced various practical applications of Mathematical tricks and formulae at Mathematical Gallery of BITM. One full day was spent there and the students returned excited and happy to the college in the evening.



22) Report on Primary Field Survey
Conducted by the Dept. of Economics on 16.12.2017

The Department of Economics organized a one-day primary field survey at the Sabala Mela on 16th December 2017. The Sabala-mela was held at the Salt Lake Central Park. The fair is held every year in Kolkata and the female members of self-help groups take part in it. The objective of the field survey was to understand how self-help groups are contributing towards women empowerment. Twenty-one students of 1st and 2nd year Honours participated in the field survey. They were accompanied by three teachers from the Department. The students prepared questionnaire. They interviewed 60 female members from different self-help groups. The participant self-help groups came from different districts of West Bengal. The data collected from the primary survey helped the students to highlight how the members of the groups have supplemented their family income and thus helped in raising the living standard of their families. The students prepared a field report on the basis of the primary data collected through the field survey.



23) Report of the Students' Development Programme

Organised by the Department of Economics on 03.01.2018

The Department of Economics, Victoria Institution (College) organized a 'Students Development programme' on 3rd January, 2018 at Suniti Sabhaghar with 30 student participants. The topic of the seminar was 'Importance of Self-motivation in a Student's life'. The honorable speaker was Professor Sharbari Saha, Faculty Member, ICFAI Business School.

Objective of the programme:

According to Andrew Carnegie, "People who are unable to motivate themselves has to contend with the mediocrity, no matter how impressive their other skills/ talents are."

Self-motivation is an essential life skill, as every individual on earth is different and has a purpose to achieve. To move towards your purpose, you need to be self-directed and have to be motivated towards your aims which helps in turning your dreams into reality.

Self-motivation is important because it clarifies all our goals.

Key points of the Lecture: 1) when we are self-motivated, the desire to change the status of your life will become clearer. This brings us closer to our aims and gives us a clear idea and tells you what you're working for. 2) Self-motivation helps in crossing the milestones that we set to achieve our goals. It helps us in crossing the roadblocks. 3) Self-motivation gives you the courage to cross barriers and helps us to try again. 4) It trains us towards perseverance making us face trials and fight our fears. Thomas Alva Edison, who invented the light bulb, said, "I have not failed but found 10,000 other ways that don't work". Our greatest fear makes us give up. But self-motivation helps in trying to do one more time. 5) Motivation teaches you to compete with your own self. The only opponent we have are ourselves. So, self-motivation helps in comparing ourselves with our previous performance and improve steadily.

To develop self-motivation skills we need to think positively, have determined goals, work hard to achieve that goal, keep learning from our mistakes.

On the whole, Self-motivation is a vital skill to adopt. It is an important quality for students to learn and excel in studies. This helps in igniting their minds to achieve goals.



24) Quiz Competition**Department of Sanskrit****09.01.2018**

A quiz competition was organised by the department of Sanskrit on January 9th, 2018 by the department of Sanskrit. Three groups were consisted of three year honours students for the Quiz competition. The topics were History of Sanskrit Literature and Vedic studies. Two teachers of the department asked questions and two teachers marked their score in the board of the seminar room of Sanskrit department. All groups performed well and after a tough competition the group of 2nd year students was announced as the winner of the competition. There was a simple prizes for all of them from the department. At the end of the programme, the Head of the Department talked about importance of arranging such Quiz competition which helps to revise the lessons of the students in this manner.

25) Report on the Poster Competition at Scottish Church College on 10.01.2018

Theme of the Poster: **Global Water Crisis And Conservation**

Main Focus: The poster was presented on the basis of the following facts like

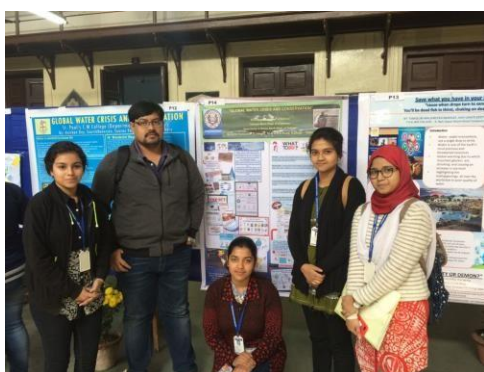
- i) Global scenario of scarcity of water
- ii) Impact of water crisis on ecology
- iii) Causes of water scarcity
- iv) Remedies and futuristic plans to conserve water



Name of the participants:

1) Sourodeepa Roy of Dept. of Botany, 2) Tahreem Munir of Dept. of Chemistry 3) Somi Sarkar and 4) Shreya Dey of Dept. of Zoology.

Achievements: The students hold first position in the competition

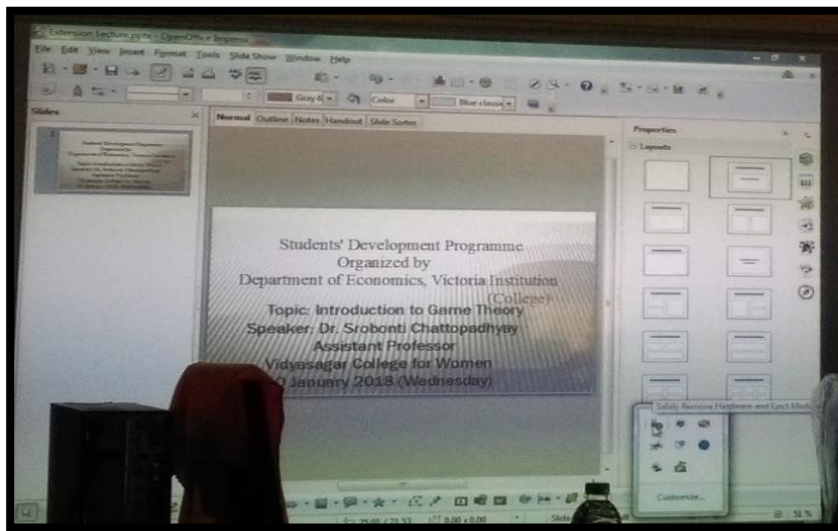


Students are highly thankful to Principal Madam, **Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti** for allowing them to participate in this programme and providing all the necessary supports. They are also thankful to the Teachers, **Dr. Ishita Saha** (Dept. of Chemistry), **Sri Sumallya Karmakar** (Dept. of Zoology) and **Smt. Sharmistha Basu** (Dept. of Botany) for helping us with this.

26) Report on the Extension Lecture for the Students

Organised by the Department of Economics on 10.1.2018

An extension lecture for the students of Economics Department was held on 10th January 2018. Dr. Srobonti Chattopadhyay, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Vidyasagar College for Women delivered the lecture on “Introduction to Game Theory”.



She explained the “Game Theory” for the students very lucidly.



Thirty students of the Department and the teachers participated in the programme.

27) Parents -Teachers Meeting dated 11.01.2018
Dept. of English

A meeting with the parents of the then 1st year students was held on 11.01.2018 at 12pm, in presence of the Head of the Institution and all the teachers of the department, to discuss matters like Students' Attendance, Performance and other allied issues. The teachers interacted with the parents to get their feedback on matters related to classroom teaching, how well their wards are getting on after enrollment, any difficulties faced by them regarding the syllabus or course. The students were also given equal scope to share their views.

The main thrust of the meeting was on improving students' attendance before their Test exam. The importance of maintaining 75% attendance was highlighted again and again. The candidates with poor attendance so far, were cautioned. The meeting came to a close with assurance on both sides (parents and Faculty) to co-operate with each other so that the students were benefitted in every way.

28) Write up on Departmental Parent-Teacher Meeting

organised by the Department of Political Science on 15.01.2018

One of the routine activities practiced diligently by the department of Political Science was the annual meeting between the Students- Teachers-Principal- Guardians' meet. These meets aimed at discussing any such issue which the students faced in their academics. It also provided a platform for the guardians to get an overall understanding of how the department functions in order to holistically educate their wards. Presence of the Principal once again, ensured that both the students and their guardians could reach out with their queries or issues or grievances to the highest authority. These meetings enabled solid coordination between all the stakeholders and embolden teacher student relationship to a very large extent. This year the meeting was held on 15th January 2018 and was attended by 55 students and their guardians.



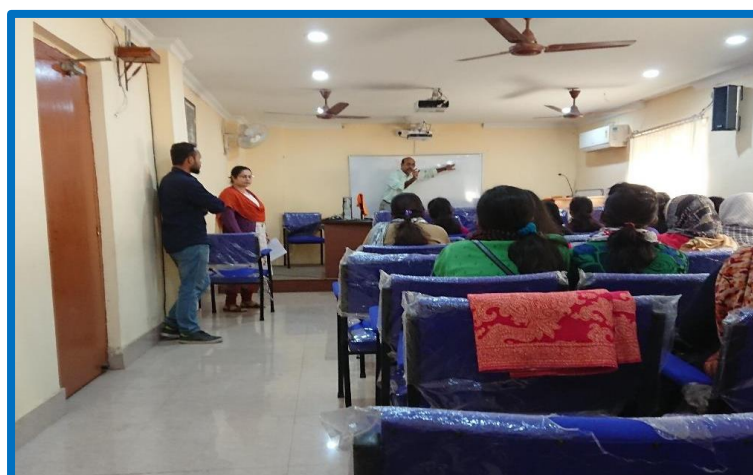
29) Students' Talk conducted by the Dept. of Mathematics on 16.01.2018

The students of 1st Year of Mathematics Honours participated in a Students' Talk organised by the Dept. of Mathematics at room no. 2 on 16.01.2018. Thirty six students were allowed to choose topics on which they gave a presentation in front of all Mathematics Honours students and departmental teachers. They were marked on the basis of their performances. This gave them the opportunity to rehearse themselves for future presentations.



30) Report of the Extension Lecture organised by the Dept. of Mathematics
on 19.01.2018

Department of Mathematics arranged an Extension Lecture by Dr. Partha Sarathi Mukhopadhyay, an eminent Mathematician on **19.01.2018** at Suniti Sabhaghar. The lecture covered topics on Linear Algebra with an emphasis on portions included in the syllabus. Students get the opportunity to interact with the speaker and were enriched by his thoughts and views.



31) Report on study tours arranged by the Dept of Physics (Feb, 2018)

- a) Nineteen students of 2nd year Honours were taken for a day long educational tour to the Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre on **15th February 2018**. The students were taken around the institution and shown various particle accelerators like Room Temperature Cyclotron (theory is included in the syllabus), Superconducting Cyclotron, Radioactive Ion beam facilities along with the Linear Accelerator. They also visited the laboratory where scientific people are indigenously fabricating detectors as a part of the international collaboration LHC (Large Hadron Collider). Dr. Shinjinee Das Gupta and Sri. Subhendu Chandra, teachers of the department accompanied the students.



- b) 15 students of 1st year Honours were taken for a day long educational tour to Birla Industrial and Technological Museum on **20th February 2018**. Two teachers of the department Sri. Subhendu Chandra and Dr. Shinjinee Das Gupta accompanied the students. The students attended special shows like High Voltage, 3D animation show on solar system, Bubble show, Coal Mine and also visited the scientific displays in different galleries.



32) Educational Excursion to Indian Museum, Kolkata
23.02.2018, Dept. of Sanskrit

An educational excursion to Indian Museum, Kolkata was organised by the Department of Sanskrit on 23.02.2018. 15 students of 2nd year, Sanskrit (Honours) and six teachers of Sanskrit department visited the Museum. Students visited the Archeology section, Art and Cultural section at the first half of the Day. After the lunch at Museum canteen, they visited the Egypt section, Zoological section, the Bharhut Gallery, Bronze Gallery and Coin Gallery. They gained the practical experience of inscriptions and ancient scripts and sculpture. Students were very happy after all day long visit to the Museum.



33) Report of Workshop on ICT organised by IQAC on 27.02.2018

An in-house One- Day Seminar cum workshop on “Use of ICT in Teaching, Learning and Administrative Practice and Development of e-learning modules” was organized by the IQAC, Victoria institution (College) on 27th February, 2018.

The Resource Person was Dr. Manas Kumar Baidya, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce, Malda College. Our principal madam and Teachers of the college actively participated in the workshop with great enthusiasm.



The following learning points were discussed in the workshop:

1. The Resource person showed us the use of Google Drive and its applications in creating, sharing and keeping the educational files in one place.
2. The Resource person discussed how to open, edit and create spread sheets with Google sheets and how everything that we think of could be saved in Google Keep.
3. We learned to create websites with Google sites and create forms and maintain calendar.
4. We came to know about the advantages of Google forms in collecting data, conducting surveys and performing quick assessment among other uses.
5. The resource person also showed us the application of Google forms in maintaining students' attendance, maintaining students' feedback, conducting MCQ tests etc.
6. Some innovative approaches were also discussed like creating own website of the faculty, uploading useful links in the website, creating the Reading List for the students', and uploading practice sets for the students.
7. We were shown the various steps of creating all these and accessing these from Gmail.
8. Faculty members were trained how to prepare e-learning modules.
- 9.



We are sure that through this application of ICT there would be advancement in Teaching- Learning and Administrative Practice.

34) One Day National Seminar on The Progressive Voice of Twentieth Century In Bengal

Pervez Shahedai: Hayaat O Khidmat conducted by the Dept. of Urdu on 28.03.2018

A One Day National Seminar was organized at Victoria Institution (College), by the Department of Urdu on 28.03.2018, under the sponsorship of West Bengal Urdu Academy, Kolkata. Pervez Shahedi is a progressive poet of Bengal, whose poetry is remarkably included in both the degree courses of Hons & Gen undergraduate programme.

The Seminar was started with a warm welcome speech by Dr. Farhat Ara Kahksahan, H.O .D of Urdu Department. In her welcome speech she expressed her sincere appreciation for the co-operation and financial assistance of West Bengal Urdu Academy, Kolkata. Then the Principal of the College, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti welcomes the delegates and guests with her highly impressive speech. The inaugural ceremony was presided by the renowned journalist Mr. F.S Ejaz, who expressed his lofty thoughts on the life and works of Parvez Shahedi. The Secretary of the West Bengal Urdu Academy and Chief Guest, Mrs. Nuzhat Zainab, also delivered an inspiring and comprehensive speech. The keynote address of the seminar was presented by Prof. Manzar Ejaz of Patna University, who also preside over the first session of the seminar. Five papers were presented in the first session respectively by: 1)Dr. Nikhat Jahan (Victoria Institution College, Kolkata), 2) Dr. Farhat Ara Kahkashan (Victoria Institution College, Kolkata), 3) Dr. Dabir Ahmed (Maulana Azad College, Kolkata), 4) Dr. Nusrat Jahan (Surendrenath College, Kolkata) and 5) Dr. Abubakar Jeelani (Ex H.O.D Kidderpore College, West Bengal).The first session was compared by Dr. Farida Anwar of Victoria Institution (College). The second session was presided over by Dr. A B. Jeelani. In this session also five papers were read out respectively by: 1)Dr. Tarannum Mushtaque (Narasinha Dutta College, Howrah), 2) Dr. Shabnam Parveen (Govt. Girls' Degree College, Kidderpore), 3) Janab Manzar Hussain (Maulana Azad College, Kolkata), 4) Dr. Shabana Nasrin (Lady Brabourne College , Kolkata) and 5) Dr. Farida Anwar (Victoria Institution College, Kolkata.)All speakers presented highly evocative papers. The session was compared by Dr. Nikhat Jahan, Lecturer, Victoria Institution (College) and with the vote of thanks by Neelofer Nabi, Guest Lecturer of Victoria Institution (College), the session ended successfully.

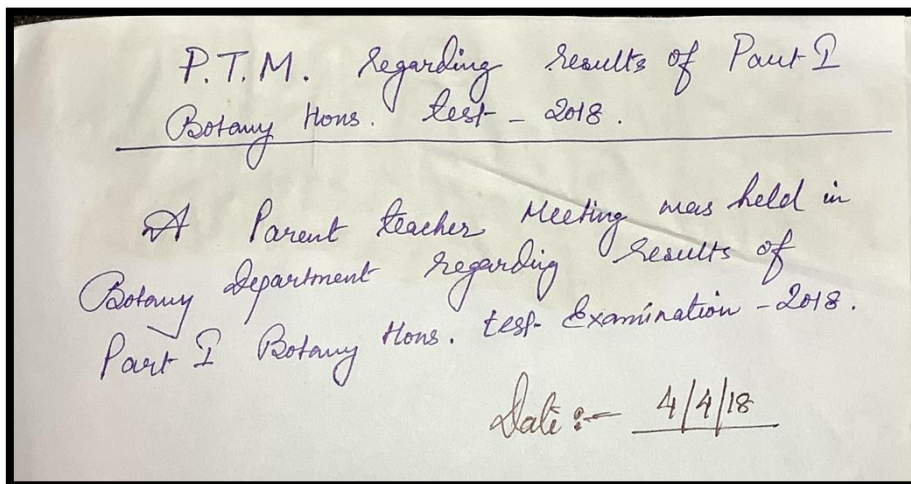


35) Parent-Teacher Meeting organised by the Department of Botany on 04.04.2018

Agenda- Discussion on results of part I Botany Hons. Test examination 2018.

No. of students attended the meeting- 8

No. of parents attended the meeting.-8



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PARENT - TEACHER MEETING - 4/4/2018

Serial no.	Roll no.	Name of the student	Signature of parents
01.	1076	Rafia Sarkar.	Babul Sarkar.
02	1112	Rukhsana Khatoon	MD. ALIM
03	1259	Somdutta Banerjee	Krishna Banerjee.
04	1303	Neeshaal Hossain	SPB
05	1244	Alishee Roy	Rina Roy
06	1305	Fatima Siddiqui	Md Mominul Hossain
07	1028	Ipoita Mukherjee.	Sovan Kumar Chatak

36) Report of One Day Seminar

Programme Organized by Victoria Institution (College)

in Collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), VIC on 06.04.2018

Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) organized a one-day seminar on 6th April, 2018 in Suniti Sabhaghar. The main objective of the programme was to discuss the structure and importance to introduce the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) at the undergraduate level.

The seminar was initiated by Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti, Principal, Victoria Institution (College) with her Welcome Address.

Honorable speaker of the programme was Dr. Swapan Kumar Pan, Principal, Gushkara Mahavidyalaya, Burdwan.

Main points discussed in the seminar were:

- a) students have the option to choose inter or multidisciplinary courses.
- b) Provides students with greater flexibility in the choice of course.
- c) CBCS is a step towards moving away from numerical marking to grading.
- d) Structure and grade points (semester wise).

The session was interactive and faculty members from different Departments of our college were present. The programme ended around 4:00 pm with the vote of thanks.



Part C : Extra - Curricular Activities

1) Report on Campus Cleaning Drive (02.08.2017-15.08.2017)

During 2nd August to 15th August' 17 NSS Volunteers were engaged for cleaning their college campus including class rooms, laboratories, libraries, toilets including lawns.



2) Student's Achievement in Sanskrit Recitation Competition

Department of Sanskrit

7th August -11th August, 2017

Sushmita Das, a III year Sanskrit honours student got the second position in the Sanskrit Recitation Competition organised by the Sanskrit College and University, Kolkata to commemorate the Sanskrit Week from 07.08.2017 to 11.08.2017.



3) A Report on the Awareness Programme of Traffic Rules:

‘SAFE DRIVE SAVE LIFE’ on August 12, 2017

The programme was hosted by the Traffic Police Section of Government of West Bengal, Sealdah Division, Kolkata. It was arranged by the Counselling Cell of the college on August 12, 2017 (Saturday) from 2:00 pm in the Keshub Memorial Hall.

Sealdah Traffic Police Division sent three personnel to conduct this programme and one main anchor was represent on behalf of a TV show: Kolkata JAAAGO – your city, your life. In the programme some audio-visuals were presented highlighting different traffic rules that every civilian should obey and follow on the road. Based on the campaign ‘SAFE DRIVE SAVE LIFE’ the programme emphasized on Dos and Don’ts when students are on the road, travelling through any public vehicle, face any emergency situationlike meeting an accident or observing an accident in front of them. Even while driving, dos and don’ts are pointed out by showing interesting lyrical audio-visuals. The students also participated in some question- answer sessions that came out from the audio-visuals. The police personnel very lucidly delivered a speech on the motto of ‘SAFE DRIVE SAVE LIFE’.

As a whole, one and half hour programme enriched the students about the necessities of safe driving, safe travelling, alertness of mind and body on the road throughout.



4) Seminar on CYBER CRIME on 19th September, 2017: A Report

‘An Interactive Hour on CYBER SECURITY AWARENESS’ - a seminar was organised by the Career Counselling Cell under the aegis of Victoria Institution (College) on 19th September, 2017 at Keshub Memorial Hall. Mr. Bivas Chatterjee, Public Prosecutor & Ethical Hacker, was the speaker of the day.

Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti, Principal, Victoria Institution (College), initiated the session by highlighting the necessity of awareness to cyber security.

Mr. Bivas Chatterjee, in his lucid and attractive talk, mentioned about the danger of un-alertness and misuse of cyber space. He explained different types of cyber crimes happening worldwide and discussed how dangerous and fatal could be this cyber related issues in one’s life with examples. Today the country is open globally and gradually becomes more digital in every aspect, so everyday gadgets we use, all are connected to the world through internet and all are vulnerable to abuse of cyber-criminals. The speaker highlighted the DOs and DONTs of internet use and also explained vividly where to approach and how to get rid of the problem as a victim of cyber crime. Finally, there was an interactive session with the speaker – where the faculty members and students cleared their doubts and shared their thoughts about the cyber related issues.



5) Sarodatsav organized by the Department of Bengali, Sept 2017

Following the legacy of the department of Bengali, the pre-Pujo celebrations were again organized in the year 2017. The students of the department participated in a cultural programme to celebrate the arrival of Pujo. The event was graced by the presence of Honorable Principal Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti and professors from various departments of the college. The seminar room was aesthetically decorated by the students: Maa Durga's face on the blackboard, alpana-covered floor, and Bengali cultural symbol, hand fan (haath pakha), adorned every nook and corner of room number 18. The students presented Dr. Indrani Chakrabarty, Dr. Tapasi Bandopadhyay, Dr. Uttara Ray, Smt. Sukriti Lahori Sinha, Smt. Jamilatul Ferdous, Smt Srabani Pal, Sri Biplab Roy with handmade traditional fans. Dance, music, and poetry lit up the atmosphere and spread the spirit of bonding and bonhomie. Department alumna Trisha Chakraborty's beautifully written poem touched the hearts of one and all. Many students participated in the cultural programme and displayed their unique talents. The event became a huge success with the coming together of students and professors in a spectacular celebration of sharadotsav.



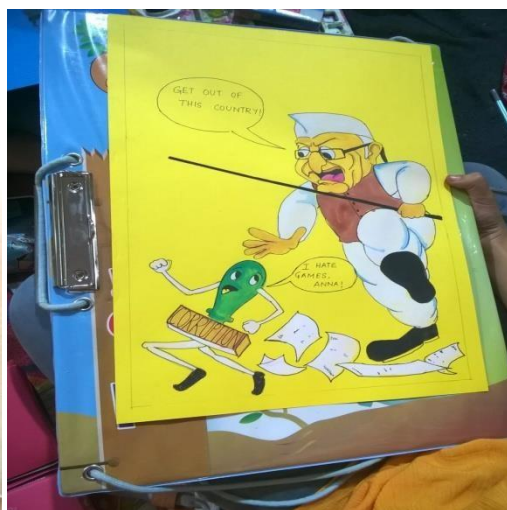
6) A Report on The Program to Observe Vigilance Awareness Week on 26.10. 2017

A “Sit and Draw” competition was organised under the aegis of the Counselling Cell of Victoria Institution (College) in collaboration with UCO Bank (Rajabazar Branch) on 26.10. 2017 at Keshub Memorial Hall to observe Vigilance Awareness Week (Oct 30th to Nov 4th, 2017).

The competition was held on Poster Making, Sloganeering and Cartoon Drawing on the theme – “My Vision: Corruption Free India”. Huge enthusiasm was noticed among the students regarding this event and more than hundred students participated in all the three categories of competition. Teachers also played active role in organising this event. Students displayed their innate talent and awareness in drawing and slogan writing.

The competition was held in English, Bengali and Hindi languages. Prizes were awarded to the best three participants from each category and all the participants were given the participation certificates also.

Before the commencement of the event the students, teachers and UCO Bank officials formed a “Human Chain” together to pledge for a Corruption Free India.



7) Declamation contest on
'Patriotism and Nation Building'
organised by the NSS Unit, VIC
1st December, 2017

It was held on 1st December 2017 at College premises, sponsored by Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India. Three winners (1st, 2nd, & 3rd) of our college participated in the District level contest and one of them was awarded with certificate .



8) Annual Sports 22.12.2017

The Annual Sports of Victoria Institution (College) for the academic session 2016-2017 was held on 22.12.2017. The event was organized by the Students' Union of our college under the supervision of joint conveners Md. Jiaul Anam Molla & Shri Sumallya Karmakar and other members of the Sports Committee. Approximately 250 students participated in various sports events like 100 m. Race, Javelin Throw, Discus Throw, Shot Put, Long Jump, Potato Race, Memory Test, Break the Pot and Go as you like. Besides, there were some other sports events like Musical Chair for the female teaching and non-teaching staffs and Kick the Ball for male teaching and non-teaching staffs. The prize distribution ceremony of the Annual Sports was held at the end of the programme presided by Principal Dr. Nibedita Ckkrabarti.





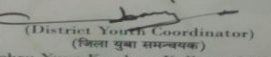
Students Participating in different events



9) Block/College Level Declamation Contest on 23.12.2017

The Department of Mathematics has always been encouraging students to participate in activities related to academics, career as well as wellness and life processes. Students of 1st year Mathematics Honours participated in Block/College Level Declamation Contest on Patriotism and National Building as part of Republic Day Celebration on 23.12.2017 at Vidyasagar College, Kolkata. Among them Amna Khatun and Humaira Khatoon secured 1st and 3rd place respectively.

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10) Career Counseling Cell's Report on Sanitary Health Campaign on January 16, 2018

The Career Counseling Cell of Victoria Institution (College) organised a 'Sanitary Health Campaign' on January 16, 2018 (Tuesday) from 11:30 am for raising awareness among the students about health and sanitation related issues. This was an appropriate programme for a girls' college. The programme was conducted by Procter and Gamble India Company within the college premises.

The representatives of the Company distributed various sanitary products among the students, apart from other livelihood products. Students from all the departments and classes joined this event with lot of enthusiasm.



11) Watching Biographical Cinema on the Life of Freedom Fighters

at Nandan Movie Theatre, Dept. of Bengali, 31.01. 2018

The fields of literature and cinema are closely linked; the study of these fields in relation to one another broadens the mind and expands one's imagination. A similar attempt was made by the Department of Bengali to offer a unique and rich cultural experience to its students in January, 2018.

Basanta Biswas was one of the revolutionaries who lost their lives during the freedom struggle in India. Biswas was hanged at the young age of twenty after he participated in the assassination of the Viceroy of India, Lord Hardinge. A biographical documentary centering on his life is *Banhi Balak Basanta*. The professors of the department attended the screening of the film along with the students at the iconic Nandan movie theatre. The second-year students were enthralled by this extraordinary experience and created lifelong memories during the trip.



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পরিচালনা : ডঃ শম্ভর মজুমদার
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শুভ মুক্তি
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12) Counselling Cell's Report on CAMPUS INTERVIEW

Conducted by TCS, KOLKATA on 13.02.2018

A campus interview for the final year students of the college was organized by the Counselling Cell of the college, which was conducted by Tata Consultancy Services (TCS), Kolkata. The interview program was scheduled on February 13, 2018 at the Keshub Memorial Hall of the college. It is worth mentioning that TCS has been conducting this type of campus interview program for last three years and every year a moderate number of students got selected cracking the final round. The students gathered in the Keshub Hall at around 11:00 am. on 13.02.18 and registered for the interview session. 97 students from Science, Arts and Commerce stream were registered and participated. The interview process started at around 11:30 am and continued the whole-day long. Four rigorous rounds were there – MCQ round, Group Discussion, Technical Round and finally Telephonic Interview from the Head Office of TCS (Mumbai). In each round some students were eliminated some are cracked successfully and went to the next round.

Finally, **12 students** were got selected and will be offered jobs from TCS, Kolkata. They will get their appointment letter after completing their final year study.

The final selection results made the successful students overwhelmed with joy and success. This campus interview program, in general, encourages the undergraduate students to explore the job prospect in the outer world.



13) Youth Parliament Competition on 23.03.2018

The Department of Mathematics has always been encouraging students to participate in activities related to academics, career as well as wellness and life processes. Students of 1st year participated in a youth parliament competition organized by Nehru Yuva Kendra on 23.03.2018, among them Smily Saha secured 2nd place.



	Sl. No.: 235		
NEHRU YUVA KENDRA, KOLKATA (NORTH)			
MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS & SPORTS (GOVERNMENT OF INDIA)			
(229/E, Vivekananda Road, Kolkata - 700 006)			
CERTIFICATE OF MERIT			
This is to certify that Sri/Smt/Km <i>Smily Saha</i>			
S/O, D/O, W/O			
has participated successfully in			
Competition / Training Programme Organised by Nehru Yuva Kendra - Kolkata (North)			
from to in association with			
..... at			
He/She participated / completed the course and secured <i>2ND</i> (Position)			
..... (Event).			
Date :	 District Youth Coordinator Nehru Yuva Kendra - Kolkata (North)		
Place : KOLKATA, W.B.			
			

14) Programme of 'Neighborhood Youth Parliament'

Conducted by NSS unit on 23.03.2018

It was organized by the NSS Unit of this college. Twenty four Volunteers of our unit took part on this programme.

They discussed on various issues on current affairs of local and national importance including various Govt. activities.



15) Special Camp Organised By NSS Unit in Ward No. 38 of Kolkata Municipal Corporation during 23rd March-29th March, 2018

The place is very close to our Victoria Institution (College). The camp was conducted by the leadership of the Programme Officer Mrs. Aloka Mukhopadhyay and the Camp has been attended by fifty N.S.S volunteers. Objectives of the Special Camping programme were to provide opportunities to the students for group living, collective experience sharing and constant interaction with the community. The volunteers of Victoria Institution N.S.S Unit adopted a total of one hundred and twenty five families of the urban slum for intensive development.

The programme was divided into two sessions. In the 1st session, seminar on different topics was arranged and in the post-lunch session volunteers and programme officers used to visit the slum. Volunteers were divided into several groups so that they could perform their duties easily. In its inauguration ceremony NSS volunteers sang opening song. Then Principal Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti of Victoria Institution had delivered a welcome address. Programme officer had mentioned in her speech about the life styles of the people of the slum. After lunch volunteers went to the slum and they also interacted with the slum dwellers by socio – economic survey. On the Second day one drawing competition was arranged by the Children of the slum. Above 50 slum children participated in this competition. Clipboard, drawing sheets, colour pencil, eraser and tiffin were served by the volunteers to the children. In the closing ceremony the volunteers organized a cultural programme with the slum children at Victoria College campus. The audience was also comprised of the slum dwellers. After the cultural programme, all the participants were given prizes on behalf of the N.S.S. Unit. Votes of thanks were given to all in the valedictory session.

The volunteers participated in this special camp with a lot of vigor and enthusiasm. The volunteers and the slum dwellers had become just like members of a beautiful family with proper co-operation and coordination.



16) Report of the Prize Distribution Ceremony held on 24.03.2018

A proficiency prize distribution ceremony is conducted every alternate year. In the year 2018, the successful students of the year of 2016 and 2017 were bestowed with Cups and Medals and Certificates. The toppers in Science stream, Humanities and Commerce are awarded with special prizes. Also the First Class holders of each Department are conferred with prizes and certificates.

In the year 2018, Pro VC, Academic, University of Calcutta, Professor Asis Chattopadhyay, graced the ceremony as the Chairperson. All the members of the Governing Body of the college were invited. Chairman, Smt. Smita Bakshi, President of the Governing Body, Chairman of the Governing Body Prof. Asit Ghosh was present among others. Our present Principal, Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti inaugurated the ceremony. Our former Principal, Dr. Sumitra Chowdhury was another noted invitee.

Some of the prizes are endowment prizes. Some are personally offered by the former and the existing teachers.

The function is inaugurated with the utterance of the Veda mantra " Sahana bhavatu, sahana bhunaktu....." and followed by an elegant cultural programme performed by the students.

The auditorium was completely filled up with awardees, parents, teachers and non teaching staff. We are proud to reward our successful students.



Student Receiving Prize

Part D : Commemorative Days

1) Teachers' Day Celebration on 05.09.2017

Dept. of Mathematics

Students of 1st year Mathematics Honours. arranged a cultural programme on Teachers' Day 2017 to pay respect to the teachers of the dept. It was a gala event and students got the opportunity to showcase their talents in cultural sphere.



2) Teachers' Day Celebration 2017

Department of Botany

05.09.2017

Students of 3rd year and 2nd year Botany honours arranged a cultural programme on Teachers' Day 2017 to pay respect to the teachers of the dept. It was a great event and students got the opportunity to showcase their talents in cultural sphere.



3) Teachers' Day Celebration, 05.09.2017
Dept. of English

The students of English Department had organized a small cultural programme, and mesmerized the faculty with their many talents in singing, recitation among others. They also made special arrangements to felicitate the teachers on this special day, showering their love, respect and adoration as always.



4) Teachers' day celebration on 06.09.2017, Dept. of History

On 6th September students of History department led by 3rd year celebrated Teachers' Day with music , recitation, dance and one act play. Principal Dr. Nibedita Chakrabarti graced the occasion. Teachers of the department were present and enjoyed the programme thoroughly.



5) Teachers' Day Celebration

Department of Sanskrit

15.09.2017

The Students of Sanskrit department arranged a programme to celebrate the Teachers' day on September 15th, 2017 to pay respect to the teachers of the department. The students decorated the seminar room of the department of Sanskrit with balloons and paper cutting. They also performed a cultural programme with recitation and singing.



6) Children's Day Celebration by the Dept. of History, 14.11. 2017

On 14th November 2017, Department of History distributed chocolates among students of all three years. Our students are technically no more children but to us they are. Students were surprised at this gesture on our part and were immensely delighted.



7) Inter College Quiz and Poster Presentation Competition

to commemorate National Mathematics Day on 22.12.2017, Dept. of Mathematics

Three group of part 1 Mathematics Honours students participated in a quiz and poster presentation competition conducted by K. K. Das College to commemorate National Mathematics Day on 22.12.2017, under the supervision of Dr. Dipanwita Paul Ghosh and Mr. Basudev Siddhya. Among them Shruti Dhar and Anwsha Das secured first position in the quiz competition. Another group comprising of Humaira Khatun, Anusree Dey and Tithi Sarkar secured 2nd position in the poster presentation competition. 3rd position of the same was taken by the group of Torsa Halder, Sayani Datta and Pritha Mitra.



Participants with Certificates of Quiz Competition and Poster Presentation Competition



8) Celebration of Rabindra Jayanti, May 2018 by the Department of Bengali

Rabindranath Tagore is the pride of Bengal and Bengalis. Tagore's birth anniversary or Rabindra Jayanti is celebrated on the 25th day of Baisakh (the first month in the Bengali calendar) across the state with pomp and fervour. In May 2018, the students of the Bengali department gathered to celebrate the Bard's birth anniversary. The students beautifully decorated the seminar room, room number 18, for the occasion. After a magnificent celebration and mesmerizing performances of Tagore's music, dance, poetry, the event culminated with a skit titled Antyeshti Satkar (The Last Rites). Participants from various years included Suchanda Saha, Poulami Saha, Rubina Yeasmin, Debolina Mukherjee, Ria Karmakar, Rima Dasgupta, Jui Mukherjee, Pushpa Sarkar, Sotabdi Chakraborty, among others. The audience were left spellbound by the artistry and talent displayed by the performers.

