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Principal's Message

The Sunderbans, one of the most challenging topologies of the mother earth - is latent with caged potentialities in terms of human resources hoping to be unearthed today or tomorrow.

During 2016, UGC recognized the potential of our college and conferred upon us the status of *College with Potential for Excellence.*

The college is thus committed in bringing out excellence from amongst those – living in the Sunderbans - who during their childhood had very little opportunity to be excellent

Our Distinctiveness

• In Search of Excellence in the Sunderbans

Our Core Value

Vidyā Vimuktaye

Our Vision

We educate for

- Enlightenment
- Empowerment
- Enrichment

Our Idea of Quality

• Value addition to the stakeholders



Career Counselling on web designing



Programme on e- Shakharata

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Towards Enlightenment

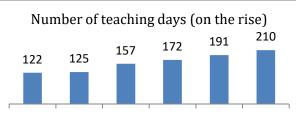
Transition to CBCS – the Change Management

During the year college has successfully implemented the change management to choice based credit system for which teachers have coped up with the requirements of new syllabus, administration redefined the annual academic calendar and accommodate two semesters, end semester assessments, class routine, objective record of class attendance of students etc.

Continuous Internal Assessment

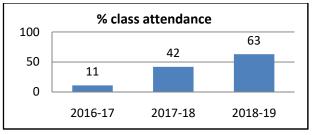
Whereas the affiliating university required every college to take one internal assessment during the end of each semester this college conducted continuous internal assessment every month. The marks scored in such internal assessment are than uploaded in the college portal for parental viewing.

More Days for Teaching-learning



2010-11 2013-14 2014-15 2015-16 2017-18 2018-19

Rising class attendance



College has been able to encourage the students to come to classes in large numbers by way of adopting several students' friendly measures.

Large numbered classes are divided into smaller sections so that students find a seat to sit in the classroom. The college has also provided back to back classes and the class timings of students of 1st $/2^{nd}$ Sem, 2nd year and 3rd year" remained mutually exclusive so that dearth of classrooms is not felt. The students face high cost of commutation because of the geographical disadvantaged location of the college. To mitigate such financial difficulty the students are provided with the opportunity of completing 100% of the 75 hour classes as required under CBCS by coming to the college on three days per week with the option of coming to college on the other the three days for library work, tutorial classes and add on training.

Good Results - Post graduate

| Bengali PG | % of 1st classes | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Result | | 2nd | 3rd | 4th |
| | 1st Sem | Sem | Sem | Sem |
| Batch 1 - 2016 | 69 | 91 | 97 | 97 |
| Batch 2 - 2017 | 100 | 100 | | |
| Batch 3 - 2018 | 36 | | | |
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<u>Good Results – Under graduate</u>

| CBCS | % of 1st classes | |
|----------------|------------------|---------|
| | | 1st Sem |
| Batch 1 - 2018 | | 17 |

Gallery



Renovated College Building



Visit of CPE Inspection Team



Teachers taking Class using Smart Board



Celebration of Sampriti Saptaho



Dance Focusing on National Integration



Paying Homage to Amar Jawans of Pulwama

TOWARDS EMPOWERMENT

The college appreciates that it has the crucial role to play in empowering the students with skills that are required in workplaces and life. The students of this region in general come from underprivileged families and never had any formal training for skill development and perhaps never had the mentoring and guidance about their abilities. Thus they require both training and mentoring. The college thus introduces several training programmes - THE SKILL UP PROGRAMMES and the round the year mentoring programme - THE SKILL PLUS PROGRAMME.

IQAC organizes several students' centric programmes, contests, events and functions around the year so as to provide opportunities to the students to participate and perform in such events

Principal encourages the teachers to rise above the role of being "only teacher" and encourages them to assume the role of Mentors to guide and counsel the students round the year for the purpose of making the students feel that "even I can do."



Sundarmon Dance Competition



Sundarmon Poster Competition

Female Empowerment

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Skill Up

Basic Computer Training (UGC - CoC Programme) Basic Proficiency in Communicative English (UGC - CoC Programme)

Preparation for Entry to Services (UGC - CoC Programme)

Basic Training in Tally (UGC - CPE Programme) **Fundamentals of Remote Sensing and GIS** (UGC - CPE Programme)

Sunday Open

Without any curtailment of the holidays and the vacations, the college has taken positive steps to keep the college open on Sundays for the purpose of running the Skill Up Training programmes.

Skill Plus

Encouraging Self directional skill

- On Mar 16, 2019, college organized events like
 - 1. Bio-data Contest
 - 2. Email Contest
 - 3. Interview Contest
 - 4. PPT Contest
 - 5. Letter writing Contest

The mentors encouraged and guided the students to write a bio data, communicate through official letter and e-mail, face an interview and present their SWOC through PPT. Such mentoring went for more than a month. Thereafter the students were provided an opportunity to participate in such contests, which helped the students to develop self directional skill

Developing lateral thinking abilities

During March 15, 2019 the college organized

- 1. Quiz Competition
- 2. Lateral Thinking Contest

Six mentors prepared **seventy six** mentees to gather knowledge and prepare a database of quiz questions and answer for the several rounds of quiz.

The students are also made to prepare for solving several lateral thinking exercises. All efforts taken together help the students to develop their **quizzing and lateral thinking abilities**.

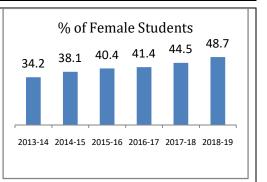
Developing the inner eye

Every human individual has an **inner eye** which reflects their beautiful minds. For the reflection of such beautiful minds, mentors encourage the students to participate in events like

- 1. Photography Contest 2019
- 2. Poster Competition 2019

and display their creations in exhibitions for peer viewing and judgment. All such efforts enable the silent talents to get reflected in their art pieces.

The college is imparting lights of higher education in the region of Sunderbans, where the general tendency is one of giving greater priority to son child in the question of providing higher education. During 2013-14 percentages of female students enrolment was as low as 34.2% which means 2 out of every 3 students taking admission in the college were male students. This college has its core value as Vidyā Vimuktaye, which means Education which Emancipates and liberates from all darkness and bondages. We appreciated the need of enlightening the "*parivars*" of this region and making them encouraged to send their daughters to the college by way of emphasizing on the value of Higher Education for the Girls. Vidyā Vimuktaye is getting reflected as the female enrolment have risen to 48.7% in 2018-19





ADD ON Classes



Developing Legislative Skill

This is an interesting and innovative way of developing students' awareness

about practices and procedures of

legislation by way of making the

students visit the State Assembly to

observe live proceedings of the

Mentors then prepared scripts of

proceedings

students rehearsed the said scripts for

one month encouraged the students to

parliament" session on March 15, 2019

and develop legislative skills. This

The art of speaking before an audience

can be nurtured and the Mentors by

way of imbibing self-confidence encourage the students to speak

before peer group during practice

Mentors make use of good videos and

movies to illustrate good instances of public speaking. All of the above

enable the mentors to develop a good

eloquence skill among the students

by way of making them participate in

2. Students' Seminar 2019

Mentors encourage the mentees to take

part in several performing art competition

Encouraging artistic skills

1. Antaksaari 2019

Elocution Competition 2018

Recitation Competition 2019

Dance Competition 2019

and display their creative and artistic

skills before the peer groups, teachers, and

judges. Many of these events are performed

in groups and thus the mentees learn to

Encouraging Eloquence Skill

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legislative assembly in session.

and participated in a

Assembly

event

sessions.

events like

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develop group skills.

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| Dibash | Enrichment Outcome |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Abhibhabak Dibash | On July 1, 2018, Principal met the parents of all 1 st year students and appraised them about the goals and vision, the attendance policy and the CBCS system. Parents also expressed their feedback about the college. Principal also urged the parents to send the girl |
| Abhishek Dibash | On July 2, 2018 Principal introduced all teachers and staff to the 1 st year students and appraised about the core values of the college, importance of regular attendance,. Teachers than met the students in their respective departments, and appraised them about the syllabus and the course outcome, internal assessment schedule etc. |
| e-saksharata Dibash | On July 7, 2018 IQAC Members met all 1 st year students to appraise them about the importance of email communications and the necessity of being e- literate. The event also invited to join the e-literacy club and encouraged them to communicate with the Principal through email. |
| Swadhinata Dibash | On Aug 15, 2018 the NCC and the NSS celebrated the independence day with flag hoisting, prabhat phery, Independence day quiz, Students seminar on Swadhinata, Film Show and community lunch. |
| Bandhan Dibash | On 25 th Aug, 2018 the college celebrated Raksha Bandhan, Anti Ragging Day and Fresher's Welcome for the 1 st year students. |
| Sikshak Dibash | On Sept 5, 2018 students celebrated the Sikshak Dibash (Teachers Day) by way of organizing cultural function to mark respect to the teachers and commemorating the birth anniversary of Dr S Radhakrishnan. |
| Sampriti Saptaha | During Sept 12, 2019 to Sept 16, 2019 the IQAC celebrated the 125th year of Chicago Address of Swami Vivekananda as Sampriti Saptaha and preached the ideas communal harmony, secularism, humanism and universal values by way of Students' Seminar, Students Quiz, Expert Seminar, Essay Competition and Poster Exhibition. |
| Gandhi Punnaha Dibash | On Oct 2, 2018 IQAC celebrated the 150 th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi by way of Campus Cleaning by the students followed by a film show on Gandhi – his work and life. |
| Siksharthi Dibash | On Oct 13, 2018, the IQAC celebrated the birth anniversary of Dr APJ Abdul Kalam as Siksharthi Dibash, (Students Day) where all teachers enacted <i>Mohisasur Mardini</i> to embrace Sarad Utsav. |
| Yuva Dibash | On Jan 12, 2018, the IQAC celebrated the birth day of Swami Vivekananda as Yuva Dibash when members of the e-literacy club were addressed by the Principal about how to write a bio data, how to make SWOT analysis and learn the art of self direction. |
| Sourya Dibash | On Jan 12, 2019, the IQAC observed the birthday of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as Sourya Dibash with a film show and critical appreciation of the life of Netaji |
| Biswa Vidyalay Dibas | On Jan 23, 2019, the IQAC observed the birthday of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as Sourya Dibash with a film show and critical appreciation of the life of Netaji |
| Ganatantra Dibash | On Jan 26, 2019, the IQAC observed the birthday of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose as Sourya Dibash with a film show and critical appreciation of the life of Netaji |
| Bhasa Dibash | On Feb 21, 2019, the Department of Bengali observed the International Mother Language Dibash and paid homage to the Bhasa Dibash martyrs. |
| Nari Dibash | On March 9, 2019, the IQAC celebrated Nari Dibash (International Women's Day), with Students Seminar on the life of great women personality, Expert Seminar on the Role of Women in Higher Education, Poster Exhibition and presentation of the Gender Audit Report. |
| Sundarmon | During March 12, 2019 to March 16, 2019 the IQAC celebrated the College week – the Sundarmon 2019 – where mentors and mentees performed several functions to display their skills and acumen. |
| Cultural Exchange Dibash | On March 17, 2019 the IQAC organized cultural exchange programme where 45 students who are the winners of the Sundarmon events were taken to Belur Math to get identified with the values and Culture of Swami Vivekananda All Sundarmon winners than visited the several tourist spots of Mahanagar Kolkata to know the life of Metro. |

Towards Enrichment

The college understands that a student should rise above being knowledgeable and skilled. He should become an enriched human being. It is believed that one of the most crucial functions of Higher Education is to make the students a good citizen for the country, a good neighbour for the society, a good person for the family, a good child for the parents. Inculcation of civic qualities, community orientation and fellow feeling can be obtained through initiation and sustenance of effort promoting human values and ethics.

The topological disadvantages of the Sunderbans make the inhabitants feel alienated from mainstream India. But they too have beautiful minds, the SUNDARMON – सुन्दरमन– সুন্দরমন

One distinctive initiative of this college is to find out Sundarmon in the Sunderbans which is enshrined in the college oath

> সুন্দর আমি, সুন্দর কথা শুনবো সুন্দর কথা শুনবো সুন্দর কথা ভাববো সুন্দর কথা বলব সুন্দর আমি সুন্দর মনে সুন্দর পরিবেশ করব সুন্দর জীবন গড়বো

The IQAC observes several "Dibash" with the conscious objectives of commemorating the birth/death anniversaries of the great Indian personalities and to increase awareness among the students about the fundamental duties and other constitutional obligations.

The Mentors perform a significant role in making the students celebrating and observing these "Dibash" and also explaining the significance of these "Dibash" while the Principal plays the pivotal role to encourage both Mentors and Mentees to participate in such functions and to extend their human existence beyond "self" and "shelf."



Aqamoni Dibash

Women's Dav

Raksha Bandhan

Towards Excellence

On March 16, 2019, the IQAC observed the Gourab Dibas – the Achievers' Day –towards recognizing the students who have achieved

- Excellence in studies conferred with the *Patho Gourab Medallion*
- Excellence in sports conferred with the *Krira Gourab Medallion*
- Winners and Runners up in Sundarmon Events awarded with the Sundamon Medallions



On March 16, 2019, the IQACalsoobservedalsoblasblastheSammanonaDibasDibas- thePerformersDay-towardsfelicitating the teachers and thestaff for

- Performing in Research and Studies are conferred with – Bankim Kriti Honour
- Delivering Administrative work – 24x7 – are conferred with – *Bankim Samadha Honour*
- Best Mentoring Efforts round the year – are conferred with – *Bankim Mentor Ratno*

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Awarding Bankim Sammanona

This college gives Bankim Sammanona Award – the highest honour that this college confers to any teacher or staff or Department for elevating the college to outstanding heights

Sammanona 2014 to Sri Kalyan Chattopadhyay for his untiring efforts for the development of the college in the capacity of RUSA coordinator

Sammanona 2015 to the Department of Bengali for successfully introducing Post Graduation in Bengali

Sammanona 2016 to Smt Subhra Biswas for serving the institution for five years as Teacher-in-charge and enabling the college to get reassessed by NAAC in 2015, obtaining RUSA Grant in 2015, obtaining the CPE status from UGC in 2016 besides making all round development of the college in all domains.

Sammanona 2017 to Sri Suman Sardar the clerk for serving the institution 24x7 and effecting all day to day work with regard to students affair with the affiliating university.

Sammanona 2018 to Dr Suchandra Biswas for her outstanding contribution in IQAC and and successfully implementing RUSA and CPE project

Awarding Bankim Kriti - The recipients of Bankim Kriti are

Dr. Tilak Chatterjee Dr. Kazi Tuhina Dr. Aparna Mukhopadhyay Dr. Argha Sarkar Smt. Madhumanti Roy Dr. Ritam Chatterjee Dr. Aniruddha Maity

Awarding Bankim Samadha - The recipients of Bankim Samadha are

Dr. Rina Chatterjee Sri Ajit Mondal Sri Tapan Kumar Das Smt. Arumita Dey Dr. Abhijit Siddhanta Sri Debanjan Banerjee Dr. Aparna Mukhopadhyay Smt. Sudipta Chakraborty

Dr. Krishna Basu Sri Debasis Roy Sri Bappaditya Koley Sri Debabrata Dey Sri Susanta Mondal Sri Kalipada Purkait Sri Ananda Sardar

Awarding Bankim Mentor Ratno – The recipients of Bankim Mentor Ratno is Smt. Arumita Dey

Towards Efficiency

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Mahanagar Bhraman

The winners of Subdarmon and for high Attendance were taken on a trip to visit Mahanagar Kolkata, River Ganges and Belurmath. P.C. Chandra group arranged for Lunch at Hotel Senator







