

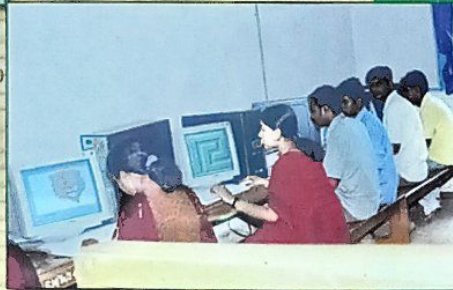
Left to right : Prof. Subimal Sen, Vice-Chairman, WBSCH; Abdus Sattar Molla, President, Bhangar Mahavidyalaya at the Seminar on 'The Environmental History of India' organised by the Dept. of History.



Left to right Sri D. Chakraborty, Dy. Director, SISI; Sri. D. K. Das, Dr. P. K. Basu, Principal, Bhangar Mahavidyalaya on 21st Nov, 04 at SISI



The College Inspection Team on 21/5/05 at Bhangar Mahavidyalaya  
Left to right – Sri Mrinal Kanti Bhattacharya ( G. B. Member), Sri Abdus Sattar Molla (President, G. B.); Dr. P. K. Basu (Principal), Dr. D. Bandhopadhyay (University Experts), Dr. A. M. Chandra (I.C., CU) Sitting 4th from left Dr. A. Ghosh (University Experts)

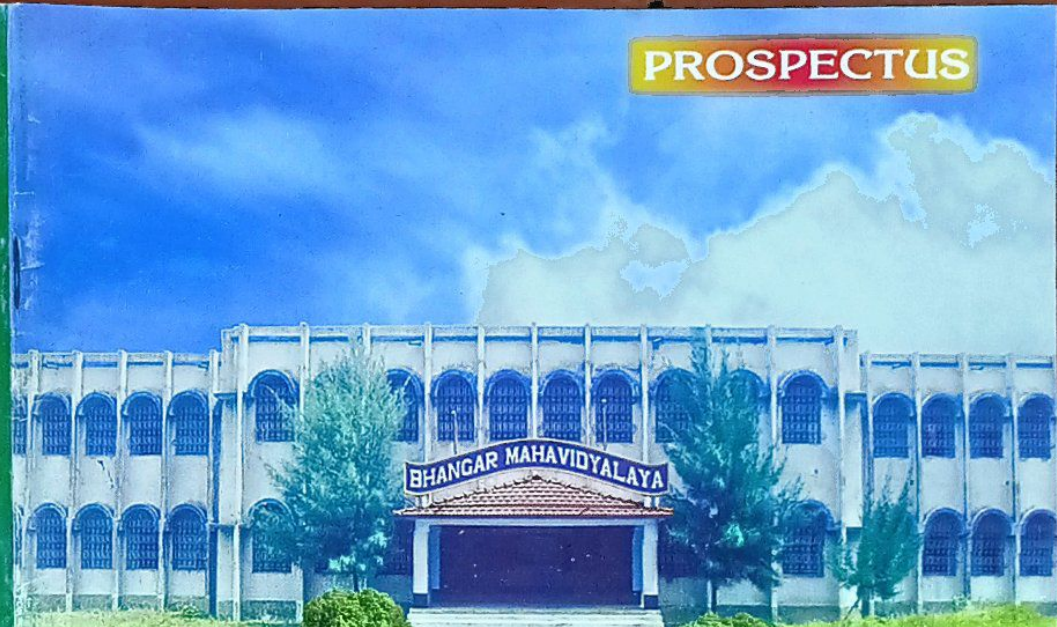


The students at the Computer Centre of the College



**BHANGAR MAHAVIDYALAYA**

P. O. : Bhangar, P.S.: Bhangar, Dist. : 24 Parganas (S)  
Pin. : 743502, West Bengal, Ph. : (Std. 03218) 270460



**Bhangar Mahavidyalaya**  
(COLLEGE)

Affiliated to the University of Calcutta  
Estd : 1997

### *Goals and objectives of the Institution*

- ◆ To create an all round development of personality through value based education .
- ◆ To reach to the economically challenged students ; those belonging to the minority communities and those still backward in thought as well as in expression .
- ◆ Exposure to the fundamentals of information technology through compulsory computer literacy programme.
- ◆ To help bring out the best in our students and contribute to the growth of the locality.
- ◆ Changing one self to be successful and to be accepted.
- ◆ Knowledge to wisdom : perception and application.



### **Brief Profile of the College**

Bhargar Mahavidyalaya was established as a general Degree College in 1997 in a predominantly Muslim inhabited and agrarian backward area adjacent to the Bhargar Police Station, about 25 Kms. from the Science City (Kolkata). It is the only Institution of higher learning within the wide periphery of Bhargar, Haroa, Minakhan, Northern neighbours are Sushil Kar College and Sonarpur College, Rajarhat (Derozio), Barasat, Basirhat & Kalinagar College are in the north and Kolkata Colleges in the West-all are outside the distance of at least 28 Kms. Although a good number of Higher Secondary Schools surround the locality for quite sometime (one of them since way back in 1914), the aspirations of the local intelligentsia for having a Degree-level college went unfulfilled for a longtime. Ultimately, the overwhelming masses of the locality came forward in large numbers with whatever assets they might have had-be it money or materials or even labour and the leadership was provided by a team of dedicated political activists and social workers headed by A. R. Molla, Hon'ble Minister, Govt. of West Bengal, Bhargar-1 Panchayat Samity and Shri Ajoy Chakraborti, Local MP, joined in

the race for raising funds. Thus Bhargar Mahavidyalaya saw the light of the day. The college got affiliated to the University of Calcutta to impart teaching in-Arts (English, Bengali, History, Political Science, Education, Philosophy), Social Science (Economics, Geography and Mathematics) and Commerce (Accountancy Group)-faculties of undergraduate studies. The college has just completed the eighth year of its fruitful existence. While honours teaching in Geography had already been introduced, w.e.f. the academic session 2001-2002, the same in Bengali was introduced w.e.f. the academic session 2002-2003, Political Science and History (Hons) were introduced in 2004-05. In this year English and Education (Hons) are being introduced. Plans are a foot to extend Honours teaching facilities in other subjects in coming years. Special mention may be made about the academic environment of this locality within the minority (Muslim) community. Bereft of any opportunity to undertake higher education till the establishment of this college, a large body of Muslim students (at least 50% of the total Intake of the college), specially girl students (at least 50% of students are admitted from the community) had a fight within and outside to pave the way for social transformation; in venturing to take up this challenge in an area where an overwhelming majority of the students from all sections have been engaged as the first generation entity in the domain of higher education.

## GOALS

Education is the manifestation of the soul. The college is situated primarily in a rural area. The aim of the institution is to reach out to the economically challenged students belonging to the minority communities and those still backward in thought as well as in expression. This ultimately with the hope of spreading the light of knowledge and wisdom around. Education as we know comes from the Greek word 'edu' and 'care' which means to bring out the talent faculty in the individual. Our goal is to participate in the process of bringing out the best in our students and contribute in our students and contribute to the growth of the locality.

## OBJECTIVES

Education is about awareness and all round development of the mind and body. Cultural activities, sports activities, NCC and NSS programmes as well as multi-gym facilities all go to create an all round development of the personality of the students.



Compulsory computer literacy programme of the college aims to make students more information savy and help them to get a more firm foothold in today's highly competitive world.

Awareness Camps, introduction of vocational courses, training courses in (in the pipeline) the college are expected to help the students of the institution to seek a better foothold in the job field.

*Will is more important than skill*

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## COURSES OF STUDY

- B.A. (Hons) : Bengali, Political Science, History; English and Education(forthcoming)
- B.Sc (Hons) : Geography
- B.A. (General) : Bengali, English, Political Science, History, Education, Philosophy
- B.Sc (General) : Geography, Economics, Mathematics
- B. Com (General) : Usual combination of subjects (Accountancy Group)

## ADMISSION PROCEDURE

1) Admission is made strictly on the basis of merit and reservations to various courses are made in keeping in with the Government Rules. Applications for admission to Degree Courses have to be made on the prescribed forms that is to be had from the college office by the dates fixed for the purpose. Forms will be issued on production of the original mark-sheet of the last qualifying public examination on the result of which admission is made. At the next stage, the admission form duly filled in and accompanied with necessary certificates and copies of Mark-sheet etc. has to be submitted and prescribed fees have to be paid to the office fixed for the purpose. The following documents in original are to be presented at the time of admission :

- Mark-sheet and certificate of the last qualifying Public Examination.
- Admit card of the Madhyamik/H.S. or other equivalent examinations where date of birth is mentioned.
- Passport size photo.

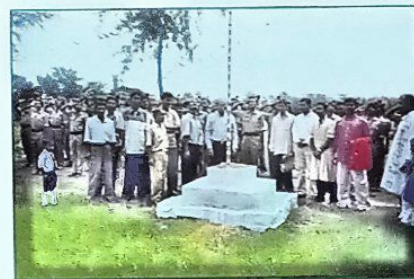
## ACADEMIC SESSION AND VACATIONS / RECESSES

The academic session commences from July every year and ends in the next June. The Vacations/Recesses are as follows :

1. Summer Recess : Normally, from 16th May to 30th June.
2. Autumn Vacation: Normally from the Sasthi of the Durga Puja to Bhatri Dwitiya.
3. Winter Recess : Normally from 25th to 31st December.

## CLASS ATTENDANCE

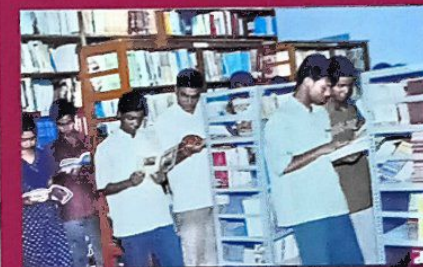
As per regulations of the Calcutta University, a student must attend at least 75% of the classes actually held during each session to be eligible to appear at the University Examination as a regular candidate. If the attendance of the student remains less than 75% but not less than 60% of the total number of classes actually held in one or more subjects, he may, however, be allowed to appear at the University examinations as a non-collegiate at the discretion of the authorities concerned.



15<sup>th</sup> August, 04 NCC Unit Parade

## EXAM SYSTEM

The two-year tenure of Part I (Hons. and Gen.) has been divided into 4 semesters of 6 months each, at the end of such semesters will be a term end exam and the 4<sup>th</sup> or the last of it will be the test or sent up examinations. Part II students will appear for the test or sent up examination at the end of their term.



Students at the College Library

## LIBRARY & READING ROOM

The College Library along with reading room facility is at present accommodated in a 1350 sq. ft. area. It is not yet fully equipped with optimum collection of books. Nevertheless, continuous efforts are being initiated to increase the number of titles as well as that of copies of such titles (both Text Books and Reference Books) as early as possible. Recently, a good number of copies had been added with the help of the UGC fund in the library. The library is in the process of being computerised.

*Books like friends, should be few and well chosen.*

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The Library Sub-Committee looks after the proper functioning of the Library.

On production of the College Fee Book, a student can receive his/her Library card from the Library.

Borrowers are responsible for the book(s) issued to them for home facility. In case of any damage or loss of any books issued to them, it will have to be replaced at his/her expense.

### SPORTS ACTIVITIES

Elaborate arrangements exist for both indoor and outdoor games and sports. The institution, being a co-educational one, there are both Girls' and Boys' Common Rooms equipped with facilities of indoor games.

The Annual Sports events are held every year in the college at which a large number of teachers, non-teaching staff and students participate, thereby fostering the spirit of co-operative living. Football, Cricket and Carom are some of the most popular games encouraged among the students. The college is in possession of a vast playground with beautiful landscape all around which makes a host of outdoor games feasible. The College participates in most of the games, sports and tournaments organised as Inter-Non-Govt. College meet by the Directorate of Sports, Govt. of West Bengal.



### STUDENTS' UNION

The Students' Union, an elected body is an important segment of the College, committed to students' welfare and maintaining a healthy atmosphere in the College; representatives from different classes and office-bearers of the Union are elected annually by the general body of the students through secret ballot. The activities of the Union include holding of fresher's welcome, annual cultural function, debates, publication of magazine, sports etc. The Students' Union is also closely associated with the administrative activities of the College, run according to democratic norms. The Students' Union has its own constitution approved by the College Governing Body.

### MULTI GYM - CUM - FITNESS CENTRE

1) A fully equipped Multi Gym is all set to become functional within the premises of Bhangar Mahavidyalaya. The centre is open to students of the college, members of the alumni association and youths from the locality -all at a nominal fees.

### COLLEGE MAGAZINES

The college publishes an annual wall magazine, named PAKSHEP. It contains a rich collection of poems, short stories, articles contributed by teachers and students alike. The Students' Union plays a big role in seeing through its publication. With success of wall magazines as well as the first edition of the college magazine 'SRISHTI' the college had gone ahead to come out with its second edition of the college magazine.

Departmental wall magazines exist other than the annual edition of the college magazine. There are the departmental wall magazines that had been brought out by the dept. of Geography, Bengali English, Political Science, Economics, History, Education, Philosophy and Commerce. Other departments are expected to follow suit soon.

### STUDENTS' HEALTH HOME

All bonafide students of the College are members of the Students' Health Home on the basis of universal membership. A nominal amount is collected from every student as membership fee at the time of commencement of each session.

### CANTEEN

The College authorities are seriously thinking of opening a cheap canteen for the benefit of the students. Food, snacks and tea are to be made available from the canteen at low rates, once it gets going. The facility will be soon available.

### ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The institution maintains an academic calendar prepared by the departments concerned in each term. This will be provided in a form of a booklet to the students at the time of admission.

### STUDENTS' AID FUND

The College has always endeavoured to make its education service available to students coming from low income group of families by giving generous concessions and monetary help to them in consideration of their merit and pecuniary conditions. The Aid Fund Committee is entrusted with the task of selecting deserving candidates and disbursement of money under the direct authority of the Principal. Every student has to contribute an amount of Rs. 20.00 (Twenty) each session to the Aid Fund.

### CONCESSIONS

The college does arrange for 'CONCESSIONS', for the students. Some of the available types of concessions are

a) Project officer cum District Welfare officer, Dept. of Backward classes welfare, Govt. of W.B.

b) Mohasin Fund Fixed Endowment

c) Labour Welfare Organisation, Govt. of India/Ministry of Labour, Kolkata

Also the Teachers' Council arranges for a few partial or full concessions according to the circumstances for those needy students who can not be covered under the above mentioned concession schemes.

### EDUCATIONAL EXCURSIONS

It is mandatory for students in Geography (both Hons. and General) to undertake educational tours for collection of relevant data. This provides for additional opportunities



Field Tour at Kalimpong, Department of Geography. With Professor of the Department.

to acquire knowledge of their curricula, apart from enabling them to familiarise themselves with the socio-economic and cultural life of the people of our motherland.

### NOTICE BOARD

Students are urged to take great care in looking at the Notice Board on coming to or on leaving the College. No excuse will be entertained, if notices on the Board are ignored.

### REMEMBERING NATIONAL DAYS

Celebrations of the birth anniversaries of national leaders are held by the College every year. Students enthusiastically participate in them in large numbers through elaborate programmes songs and speeches. National days like Independence Day, Republic Day, University Foundation Day and of course, College Foundation Day etc. are observed with due solemnity.

### TEACHERS' COUNCIL

A Teachers' Council, constituted as per the statute of the Calcutta University, consisting of all members of the teaching staff, assists the administration through active participation in various academic and administrative functioning of the college.

**NATIONAL CADET CORPS**

OFFERS -

<p><b>TO THE COLLEGE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NATIONAL</li> <li>• NURTURING OF</li> <li>• FUTURE LEADERS OF</li> <li>• THE COUNTRY.</li> <li>• RESERVOIR OF DISCIPLINED</li> <li>• AND NURTURED YOUTH.</li> </ul>	<p><b>TO THE STUDENTS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OPPORTUNITY FOR PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT.</li> <li>• INCENTIVES TO ACHIEVE</li> <li>• INCREASING EXCELLENCE.</li> <li>• OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE</li> <li>• ADVENTURE ACTIVITY.</li> <li>• HONORARY MEMBER ASSISTANT.</li> <li>• OPPORTUNITY TO TRAVEL</li> <li>• ABOARD.</li> <li>• EASYWAYS TO ENTER THE</li> <li>• ARMED FORCES</li> </ul>
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### NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

Bhangar Mahavidyalaya participates in the NSS under the Calcutta University, sponsored by the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Govt. of India. The NSS has undertaken various schemes in the recent times like the 'Blindness' Awareness camp, Safai Abhijan, World No-Tobacco day etc. in the college. NSS intends to organise and participate in such socially relevant schemes in the college and around.



Safai Abhijan organised by the NSS wing in collaboration with NCC on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 05

### NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC)

The college presently has a functional NCC unit under 33 Bengal Battalion NCC (both boys and girls) under the charge and able guidance of an NCC trained teacher to help install in the students the spirit of discipline, patriotism and nationalism.

### ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

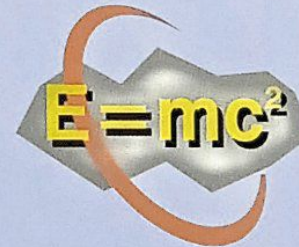
The Alumni Association formulated in the year 2003 aims to partake and contribute to some of the social programmes undertaken by the college like organising various camps viz. health, blood donation camps etc. The unit organised a film show to raise fund for the Tsunami relief fund on 18th Jan, 05.

### WBCUTA PRIMARY UNIT

In 2001, primary unit under WEST BENGAL COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION has been opened up in the college with all the teaching staff as its members.

### SHIKSHA KARMi UNION

It has been introduced in 1999 which upholds an educational atmosphere in the college. Each and every member of the non-teaching staff is very keen in performing his/her respective duties and responsibilities towards this institution. This helps in the maintenance of a peaceful atmosphere through active participation and representation of all the segments-(students, teaching and non-teaching staff) of the college.



### COMPUTER CENTRE

Knowledge has become essential in this world of information technology. The college provides a computer package in collaboration with WEBEL Informatics Ltd. (a Govt. of West Bengal undertaking) at a nominal fee of Rs 70/- per month from each student. This enrolment is compulsory for all students who join this college. Further,

- 1) Certificate in computer application
- 2) Diploma in software application
- 3) Diploma in D.T.P.

all these courses will be opened in collaboration with WEBEL. These courses being optional, Students willing can avail it.



The students at the Computer Centre of the College

### LABORATORIES

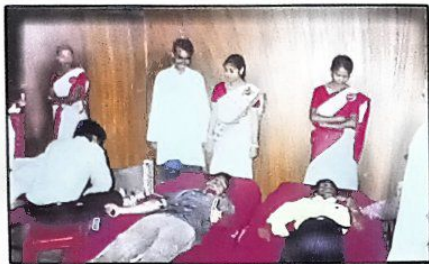
An well equipped Geography laboratory with an area of 500 sq. ft. (approx.) exists in the college premises which is quite adequate and satisfactory to accommodate all its needs.

## OTHER FACILITIES

A spacious cycle stand has recently been constructed in the college campus. It has helped to a large extent in keeping two-wheelers under cover from the wrath of nature. A car/vehicle parking space, students union room, common room, canteen will be available to students of the college. All these facilities will make for a better equipped college.



The Blindness Awareness Camp on 19<sup>th</sup> March, 05  
Dr. P. K. Basu, Principal, Bhangar Mahavidyalaya



Blood Donation Camp 26<sup>th</sup> Feb, 05

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

The college also arranges functions to observe the birth anniversary of Rabindra Nath Tagore. The College Foundation Day is enthusiastically observed on 27<sup>th</sup> February through Blood Donation camp every year where students, teachers and eminent educationalists usually participate. Cultural competitions are held in which large number of students participate. Also, seminars and debates on various contemporary and important topics are organised on a regular basis. The History department organised a UGC sponsored Seminar (19<sup>th</sup> Feb, 05) on the 'Environment History of India'.



The World no- Tobacco Day



Polio Awareness Camp organised by the College - May - June, 04

## REGISTRATION AND MIGRATION CERTIFICATE

Regular candidates are required to take initiative to obtain University Registration Certificate. Students who come from other Universities or Education Boards / Council are provisionally admitted on production of the migration certificate from such University/Board/Council. After provisional admission, they need to apply through the Principal within one month from the date of admission to the Calcutta University with the requisite Migration Certificate to get his/her admission confirmed.

The college will not be responsible if the University does not sanction migration to such candidates and in such cases provisional admission may be cancelled.

Registration forms are required to be filled up after admission. The college will not be responsible for the registration of those students who take transfer from the college.

## DISCIPLINE

It is mandatory to maintain strict discipline in the classes as also in the college premises. Students should not loiter or indulge in noisy and disorderly conduct in the college-yard, corridors or play ground. Students are required to appear at the examinations held by the college. Performance in the examinations and attendance in the classes are the criteria for promotion to the higher classes.

Sincere endeavours are made by the college authorities to mitigate all problems or difficulties of the students. The college offers an excellent opportunity to the students for personal contacts with the teachers for their academic help and guidance, a hallmark of the college.



The College Garden  
The Principal, Dr. P. K. Basu and the Staff Members

Students must be in their classes when the bell rings at the beginning of each period and must take their seats. They must not enter or leave the class rooms without permission of the teacher.

College property, furniture, library books, etc. must be treated with due care.

Students are not permitted to smoke in the college campus. Impersonation at roll call is an offence.

The Principal has authority to impose fines or other appropriate punishment and in extreme cases may suspend or expel an offender.



## THE NATURE CLUB

Once Wordsworth wrote.....

"Have I not reason to lament / What man had made of man" (Lines written in an Early Spring)  
The poet was pointing out how man had moved himself away from nature, even though bountiful nature has offered much. The 'Nature Club' of Bhangar Mahavidyalaya will make an attempt to rediscover the many mysteries and beauties of nature.

## TALENT FORUM

Talent, they say, is useless when not used and is not recognised. The "Talent Forum" of the college wishes and hopes to be that platform bringing out the painter, poet and many such hidden talents in our students by organising debate and other competitions.



1. Abdus Sattar Molla
2. Dr. Pradip Kumar Basu
3. Shri Badal Jamadar
4. Dr. Dilip Kr. Nandi
5. Shri Mrinal Kanti Bhattacharya
6. Manowara Begum

7. Smt. Luna Kayal
8. Smt. Nanda Ghosh
9. Smt. Debjani De
10. Dr. Nirupam Acharyya
11. Abdur Rahim Baldya
12. Sri Bimal Kumar Naskar
13. Selim Molla

## THE GOVERNING BODY : 2002 - 2006

- President (Govt. Nominee)  
Principal/ Secretary  
Member (Govt. Nominee)  
Member (University Nominee)  
Member (University Nominee)  
Member (Sabhapati, Bhangar-I Panchayat Samity)  
Member (Teachers' Representative)  
Member (- do -)  
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Member (- do -)  
Member (Non-Teaching Representative)  
Member (- do -)  
Member (Students' Representative)

## TEACHING STAFF

### PRINCIPAL

Dr. Pradip Kumar Basu, M.A. Ph.D.

### DEPARTMENT OF BENGALI

1. Dr. Nirupam Acharyya, M.A. Ph. D
2. Jahar Ali Mondal, M.A.

### DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

1. Smt. Madhumita Majumdar, M.A.
2. Sri Samaresh Mondal, M.A. (Guest)

### DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

1. Smt. Debjani De, M. Sc.
2. Smt. Sujata Biswas, M.Sc.
3. Smt. Banani Saha, M.Sc.(Guest)
4. Smt. Antara Jana, M. Sc. (Guest)

### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1. Sri Subrata Goswami, M. Com., M. Phil, MBA
2. Sri Hemanta Mondal, M. Com. (Guest)
3. Sri Nabin Samanta, M. Com(Guest)  
M. A (Eco), AICWA, LL.B,

### DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

1. Dr. Shib Shankar Sana, M. Sc. Ph. D.

### DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

1. Smt. Nanda Ghosh, M.A.
2. Samima Yasmin, M.A. (Guest)

### DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

1. Sri Somnath Mondal, M.A.
2. Smt. Soma Roy, M.A.
3. Sri Aparup Chakraborty, M.A. (Guest)

### DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

1. Smt. Sanjukta Chakraborty, M. Sc.
2. Dr. Tapan Kumar Banerjee, M.A. Ph.D (Guest)

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

1. Smt. Luna Kayal, M.A.
2. Smt. Oindrila Sengupta, M.A.

### DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

1. Smt. Malika Sen, M.A.
2. Smt. Barnika Bandyopadhyay (Muhuri), M.A.
3. Nizamuddin Ahmed, M.A. (Guest)
4. Smt. Kabita Pal, M.A. (Guest)

### LIBRARY

1. Mosa Karim, B.A., Dip. in Lib. Sc.(Librarian Asst.)
2. Abdul Marup Molla, B.A. (Library clerk)

## OFFICE STAFF

### GROUP : C

1. Abdur Rahim Baidya,	Accountant	B. Com. (Hons.)
2. Md. Kuddus Ali	Cashier	B.A.
3. Lalmia Molla	Clerk	M.P.
4. Tapash Kumar Debnath	Clerk	M.P.
5. Nityananda Mondal	Typist	M.P.

### GROUP : D

6. Bimal Kumar Naskar	Peon
7. Nazrul Islam Molla	Peon
8. Kamala Rani Sardar	Lady Attendant
9. Khayer Ali Molla	Guard
10. Rabeya Knatun	Sweeper (Part-Time)

### FEES STRUCTURE

- Tuition Fees for B. A. (General) : Rs. 50/-Monthly  
(As prescribed B. A. (Hons.) : Rs 75/-Monthly  
by the Govt, of B. Com. (General) : Rs 60/-Monthly  
West Bengal) B. Sc (General) : Rs 85/-Monthly  
B. Sc. (Hons.) : Rs 110/-Monthly
- Admission Fee : One month's Tuition fee for respective courses.
- Games Fee : Rs. 25/-
- Library Fee : Rs. 100/- (B. A. & B. Sc General)
- Library Fee : Rs. 700/- (for Hons. Students/B. Com.General)
- Magazine Fee : Rs. 50/-
- Social Entertainment Fee : Rs. 30/-
- Development Fee : Rs. 250/-
- Building Fee : Rs. 400/-
- Electricity Fee : Rs. 50/-
- Examination Fee (Internal) : Rs. 100/-
- Students' Aid Fund Fee : Rs. 20/-
- Identity Card Fee : Rs. 10/-
- Geography Laboratory Fee : Rs. 500/- (for B. Sc. Gen. Students)
- Geography Laboratory Fee : Rs. 3500/- (For B. Sc. Geo. Hons.Students)  
Rs. 3,000 + 500 - to be collected in two instalments)
- Computer fee : Rs. 70/- Monthly.
- Registration fee : As per Calcutta University Rates.
- Students' Health Home : Rs. 5/-

(Academic calender to be provided to the students who get admitted to the college)

*Our deeds were neither great nor rare. Mind is where we have to gather grace. Nissim Ezekiel*