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CHANDRAKETUGARH SAHIDULLAH SMRITI MAHAVIDYALAYA.

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P.O – DEBALAYA(BERACHAMPA), DIST.- NORTH 24 PARGANAS. (WEST BENGAL).

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A Short History

Debalaya (Berachampa) is an internationally famed place of archaeological interest because of 'Chandraketugarh' where the antiquities have been traced down to the post Mourya period and are still lying under the earth unexcavated. Our college was named after this glorious 'Chandraketugarh' and Dr. Sahidullah, a great Philologist of Bengal and a son of this soil. It was established on the 17th May 1997 under the affiliation of the Calcutta University as a degree college.

The long cherished dream of the people within this vast stretch of rural area encircling Debalaya in the district of North 24 Parganas for establishing an institution of higher education came into existence through the collective effort of the local people and the then representatives from the Lok Sabha to the Gram Panchayat of this locality who did a lot for the establishment of this institution. They had in their mind the constraints and problems faced by the students in pursuing their studies in the nearest college which was about 20 k. m. away.

The female students in particular, belonging mostly to the minority and backward communities, had to abandon their studies just after schooling. Students of poorer sections and mostly first generation learners had to experience the same. To overcome this, people from every walk of life spontaneously came forward with their humble and generous contributions for the cause of this college.

The foundation stone of this college was laid down by the then Hon'ble Finance Minister, Govt of W.B. Prof. Ashim Dasgupta as chief guest on the occasion. Prof. Satyasadhan Chakraborty Hon'ble Ex-Minister in charge of Higher Education. Govt. of W.B. was also present initially the college started functioning in the venue of Acharya Jagadish Chandra Basu Polytechnic college with three to four rooms, in the first week of August, 1997. Primarily General Degree course in Arts was introduced with the combination subjects of Bengali, Education, English, History, Philosophy and Political Science. Subsequently Honours courses in all these and other subjects have been extended affiliation by the University. The college shifted to its own building at Kaukepara on the 8th August, 2012. In the mean time, Vocational Courses at X+2 level in Home Science and Agriculture under the affiliation of the West Bengal State Council of Vocational Educational & Training have been incorporated

since 2005. A museum on Chandraketugarh has also been set up within the college premises.

Location

The college is located near a four point crossing being about 23 km. from Barasat in the West and 20km. from Basirhat in the East, 10 km. from Baduria in the North and 10km.from Haroa in the south on the Baduria Road, adjacent to Taki Road. By road the distance of the college from Kolkata is about 60km.

Ambiance

With an area of 1.54 acres of land, the present college building consisting of two blocks is unique because of its situation amidst the nature of a typical Bengal village with a vast expanse of lush green where the presence of every season is felt.

Although the building is still under construction, different departmental classes have been arranged. The college Central Library has been placed in the first floor of the new block.

Departments

At present there are seventeen UG Departments in the college, namely Bengali, English, Education, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Sociology, Economics, Arabic, Sanskrit, Geography, Physical Education, Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics& Mathematics teaching general degree courses. Honours courses are presently being run in Bengali, English, History, Philosophy, Education, Political Science, Sociology, Arabic, Sanskrit and Agriculture and Rural Development.

Various

Vocational Training programme, like poultry Farming, Food Processing & Preservation, and Pisciculture is being conducted in the college under the affiliation of West Bengal State Council of Vocational Education and Training at the 10+2 level.

The college campus has

- An well equipped Library.
- A state of the art Gymnasium.
- An ICT enabled block part of which is run by solar power.
- A central Server Room.
- A Medicinal Garden.
- A Rooftop Water Harvesting Project and lot of other facilities.

ADMINISTRATIVE BODY

The College is run by a Governing Body constituted under statute 93, of West Bengal State University and being effective from the 12th December 2022.

Sl. No.	Name	Designation
1	Dr Mohinr Rahaman Biswas	President, Govt. Nominee.
2	Dr. Saroj Kr. Chattopadhyay.	Principal and Secretary.
3	Dr Shaikh Kamal Uddin	W. B. State Council Nominee.
4	Dr Subhash Chandra Kayal	Govt. Nominee
5	Md Sariful Alam.	Govt. Nominee
6	Dr Soma Bhadra Ray.	University Nominee
7	Prof. Dinabandhu Barat	University Nominee.
8	Dr. Arabinda Shit	Teacher Representative.
9	Prof. Tanmoy Biswas	Teacher Representative.
10	Prof. Nivedita Karmakar	Teacher Representative.
11	Sri Sujal Pal	Non-teaching Representative.

The Governing Body assists the Principal in formulating the general principles and in executing different administrative and academic work for the well being of the institution as a whole. All teachers help in the day to day administration of the college. Office staff and student's Union cooperate with and assist the Principal in execution of the various programmes effectively.

FACULTY MEMBERS

Dr. Saroj Kr. Chattopadhyay. M.Sc.,Ph.D.

Principal.

BURSAR

Dr. Mili Dutta(Pal), M. A., M. Phil., Ph. D.

FACULTY OF ARTS

Department of Bengali :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. SupriyaDatta.	M.A., B. Ed., M. Phil.	Associate Prof.
2	Prof. Tanmoy Biswas	M.A., B. Ed.	Assistant Prof. & H.O.D.
3	Prof. SatyajitTudu	M.A., B. Ed., M. Phil.	Assistant Prof.
4	Aniruddha Ali Aktar.	M.A., M. Phil.	SACT
5	Dr Akikul Islam.	M.A., B. Ed., M. Phil. Ph.D.	SACT
6	Dr SabanaAzmi	M.A., Ph. D.	SACT
7	Soma Dey Pal	M. A. , B. Ed.	SACT

Department of English:

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Dr. Saurabh Bhattacharyya.	M.A., B. Ed., Ph. D.	Associate Prof.
2	Prof. Nivedita Karmakar	M.A., B. Ed.	Assistant Prof.
3	Dr Sraddha Nag	M.A., Ph. D.	Assistant Prof. & H.O.D.
4	Farha Laskar .	M.A.	SACT
5	Debjani Barat	M.A.	SACT

Department of Philosophy :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. Sarbani Mukherjee	M.A., B. Ed.	Associate Prof. & H.O.D.
2	Dr. Mili Dutta (Pal).	M.A., M. Phil., Ph. D.	Associate Prof.
3	Payel Saha	M.A	SACT
4	Pampa Chowdhury.	M.A., B. Ed.	SACT

Department of History :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. Rupa Chakraborty.	M.A.	Associate Prof.
2	Dr. Arabinda Shit.	M.A., B. Ed., Ph. D.	Assistant Prof. & H.O.D.
3	Dr Shipra Ghosh Halder	M.A., Ph.D.	SACT
4	Azibar Rahaman.	M.A. , B. Ed.	SACT
5	Dr Selim Uddin	M. A., Ph. D.	SACT-I

6	Md. Saiful Haque.	M. A. , M. Ed.	SACT
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Department of Education :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Dr Sulagna Chatterjee.	M.A., M. Phil., Ph. D.	Assistant Prof.
2	Dr Aisharya De.	M. Ed., Ph. D.	Assistant Prof.
3	Prof. Nripen Mandal	M.A., B. Ed.	Assistant Prof. & H.O.D.
4	Nasima Khatun	M. A.	SACT

Department of Political Science :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. Badiruddin Saikh	M.A., B. Ed.	Assistant Prof. & H.O.D.
2	Dr Susmita Bramha	M.A., Ph. D.	Assistant Prof.
3	Md. Torikul Islam	M.A.	SACT
4	Suparna Chakraborty.	M.A.	SACT

Department of Sociology:

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Dr. Sudeshna Biswas.	M.A., Ph. D.	Associate Prof. & H. O. D
2	Nita Karmakar.	M.A.	SACT
3	Sabnam Basu.	M.A.	SACT

Department of Arabic :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. Md. Ataullah Gazi	M.A.	Assistant Prof. & H. O. D.
2	Dr A. K. M. Mahdi Hasan	M.A. ,Ph. D	SACT

Department of Sanskrit :

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Prof. Anjali Biswas	M.A., M. Phil.	Assistant Prof. &H.O.D.
2	Nirup Maity	M.A., B.Ed., M. Phil.	SACT-I

Department of Economics :

1	Payal Ghosh	M.Sc.	SACT
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Department of Physical Education :

1	Rimpi Pal	M. P. Ed.	GUEST
2	Alamgir Hossain	M. P. Ed.	GUEST

FACULTY OF SCIENCE**Department of Agriculture & Rural Development:**

Sl. No.	Name of the Teacher.	Qualification	Designation.
1	Dr. Sudeshna Biswas	M.A., Ph. D.	Associate Prof.
2	Dr Himanish Bhattacharyya	M.Sc., Ph. D.	SACT
3	Payal Ghosh	M.Sc.	SACT
4	Mahmudul Hasan	M.Sc., B. Ed.	SACT

Department of Botany :

1	Tithi Biswas	M. Sc.	SACT
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Department of Zoology :

1	Ankita Dey	M. Sc.	GUEST
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Department of Chemistry :

1	Mahmudul Hasan	M. Sc. , B. Ed.	SACT
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Department of Physics :

1	Mousumi Ghosh	M. Sc.	GUEST
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Department of Mathematics :

1	Moumita Debnath	M. Sc., B.Ed.	GUEST
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Department of Geography :

1	Abishek Paul	M. Sc. , B.Ed. M. Phil.	SACT-I
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Office Staff

Sl. No.	Name	Qualification	Designation
1	Sri Sujal Pal	B.Com (Hons)	Accountant
2	Sri Mrinal Kanti Saha	B.A.	Clerk.
3	Sri Alak Dhar	B.A.	Clerk
4	Sri Amit Ghosh	B.Com.	Typist
5	Md Abdul Hamid	M.A.	Clerk
6	Sri Dipak Kumar Dutta	VIII Passed	Guard
7	Sri Prasanta Kahar.	M.A.	Guard
8	Sri Sukharanjan Mondal	VIII Passed	Peon
9	Ashis Dey	VIII Passed	Lab Attendant
10	Sri Tapas Chandra Karmakar	B.A.	Karmabandhu
11	Md. Kased Ali	VIII Passed.	Night Guard (Casual)
12	Raja Biswas	H.S.	Casual Staff
13	Md Selimuddin	B.A.	Casual Staff
14	Md Idrish Ali	B.A.	Casual Staff
15	Babai Sadhukhan	B.A.	Casual Staff

Library

Sl. No.	Name	Qualification	Designation
1	Dr Paramita Sen	M.A., M. Lib., Ph. D.	Librarian
2	Sri Sourav Chatterjee	B. Com.	Library Clerk
3	Gaffar Ali Mondal	B. A.	Library Peon
4	Sri Sagarmoy Chakraborty.	B.A. Dip. Lib. Sc.	Library Assistant (Casual)
5	Sakina Bibi	VIII Passed	Casual Staff

THE VISION OF THE COLLEGE

The college purports to promote higher education for the empowerment of the rural youths . It also aims to provide professional and vocational training to meet the changing needs for a better way to living and to make them socially responsible citizen.

THE MISSION

The mission of the college is to create an ideal academic ambience in the institution towards the fulfillment of the goal of quality education, particularly higher education, through service and mutual cooperation of all, especially of the teachers, students, non-teaching employees, guardians and other stakeholders. The mission is also to motivate the students participate to in different social and cultural programmes in and outside the college so that they become professionally capable and able to take their own, familial and social responsibilities.

OUR ENDEAVOUR

1. Success rate in the University Examination :

Year	B. A. Part- I (Honours)	B.A. Part-I (General)	B. A. Part-II (Honours)	B.A. Part-I I (General)	B. A. Part- III (Honours)	B.A. Part-III (General)
2010	88%	95%	93.3%	93.34%	99.35%	94.12%
2011	87%	90%	86%	91%	87%	91%
2012	74.43%	95.47%	76.68%	92.44%	76.23%	83.9%
2013	92%	95%	88.5%	78.40%	98%	90%
2014	87%	97%	79.5%	88.40%	77.59%	80.70%
2015	83.65%	94%	62.4%	90.93%	66.17%	73.86%
2016	88.5%	90.7%	86.56%	90.09%	72.1%	91.46%
2017	65.82%	55%	75.98%	90%	68%	23.76%
2018	90.73%	52.77%	81.2%	54.6%	64.12%	21.86%
2019	63%	49%	61%	47%	50%	15%
Year	Semester- VI Honours			Semester- VI General		
2021	100%			100%		
2022	100%			100%		

2. Co-Curricular Activities:

Departmental Seminars are organized regularly by the students and teachers' on various topics as decided upon joint meeting. The college also organizes various

State level and National level Seminars with collaboration with other colleges under UGC funding.

3. Celebration & Observance:

Various programmes are organised to celebrate / observe the following :

- A. Freshers' welcome
- B. Farewell ceremony of the students
- C. Birth anniversary celebration of Dr. Sahidullah
- D. Netaji's Birth anniversary Celebration
- E. Independence Day Observance
- F. Observance of Republic Day
- G. Celebration of Saraswati Puja
- H. Celebration of Rabindra Jayanti & NazrulPranam
- I. Cultural Fest
- J. Academic Seminar to celebrate the Birth anniversary of Prophet Muhammad.
- K. Inter-class and Inter-college Cultural and Quiz competitions annually.

4. Sports & Games:

Students participate in sports and games organized by the University . One Teacher-in-charge of Sports & Games looks Dr Arabinda Shit of the Dept. of History after the matters related to sports. Annual Sports and Athletic Meet is organized every year by the college.

5. Student Health Home

This college is a member of the Central Student's Health Home, Kolkata through which students are provided with medical treatment at concessional rates. Besides, in case of any emergency, students are sent to the local hospital and nursing homes by the college. The college has also entered a collaboration with a nearby nursing home for all such health related activities. Medical check up and Thalassamiae Camps are also organized.

6. Student's Union

This college has a democratically elected students Union having representatives from all classes. The members of the said union play a constructive role in voicing the concerns of the students in the teaching learning and other processes. They are also involved in the development activities and in maintaining a cordial relationship among the teachers, students and non teaching staff of the colleges. The Student's Union organizes the Fresher's Welcome, Farewell

of the outgoing students, Cultural Functions, Saraswati Puja, etc, and publishes the college magazine.

7. Magazine.

The college students' magazine "Chetana" is published by the students Union with the help and cooperation of the teachers and others staff of the college. Such publication help the students to express their literary talent and capacity for innovative thinking. A wall magazine is also published by them.

The Teacher's Council of the college also publishes an annual ISBN publication of their own in the name of "ALOR SANDHANE" to keep in touch with the modern trends of scholarship and to express their own views and research.

8. Library:

As the college is a newly established one, the number of books are quite limited; but all time new editions are being collected in the library with the introduction of honours courses in various subject and increasing demand of the students. Reading room and lending facilities have also been extended . The UGC periodically provides with grants for purchasing text & reference books.

9. Museum :

In order to make the students aware of their own cultural heritage and the value of relics of the lost city Chandraketurgh after which the college is named and to preserve all these, an effort is being made by the college through its museum named " Chandraketurgh Museum" within the college premises. Approximately 400 antique materials have already been collected for the museum. Various colleges periodically visit this museum. The college has concrete plans for further expansion of this museum.

10 (a). Teaching , Learning & Evaluation

While almost all the departments are well equipped with full time teachers, competent guest faculties are also employed for the departments that are understaffed. Teachers take personal care to ensure the all round development of individual students. Lecture method and ICT enabled methods of teaching are adopted. Special tutorial and remedial classes are also taken as and when necessary. Mentoring of students is also done with care.

Maintenance of class Allotment Register for teaching, preparation of evaluation sheet, keeping of attendances record etc, are among the regular practices of the college. Internet facilities aid are also available for the students. Model question are also provided by the teachers to the

students for better understanding of the content and coping with the requirements of the evaluation process.

10(b). Remedial Coaching Class :

The U.G.C. has allotted provision for organizing Remedial Coaching Classes in the college. Consequently the college has organized Remedial Coaching Classes for one hour from 9.00 A.M. to 10.00 A.M. in the college premises under the supervision of co-ordinator Prof. Milli Dutta(Pal) of the Dept. of Philosophy.

11 . Teaching & Non-Teaching Staff Council :

All the permanent Teachers are the member of the Teacher's Council as per University Status. The Teacher's Council plays an important role in governing the academic atmosphere of the college. They also extend help and co-operation to the Principal /T.I.C for the day to day college administration and other official works if and when assigned to them.

All the permanent non-teaching employees are the members of the Non-teaching staff council. They also help and cooperate the Principal for the smooth operation of the college and in administrative problems, time to time.

12. Concession:

Tuition fee concession is allowed at this discretion of the Concession Sub Committee where documents produced in support of the financial condition, attendance and the academic results of the concerned student are considered.

S.C./ ST/ Bidi Shramik or other stipend/scholarship holder who enjoy such facility from the Government are not considered for any concession from the college.

13. NSS Unit :

The college has a fully functioning NSS unit which plans, proposes and executes extension programmes both within and without the campus for the benefit of the stakeholders and the local communities.

14. Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) :

The college has a fully functioning IQAC established in accordance with the UGC Regulations with maintains checks and balance regarding the quality of the activities of the college.

13. Sub Committees / Cells :

The G.B. forms the following sub committees/ cells for the smooth running of the college and its development:

- i) Financial Sub Committee.
- ii) Academic sub Committee.
- iii) Development Sub Committee.
- iv) Recruitment / Selection / Screening Sub Committee.
- v) Disciplinary Sub Committee.
- vi) Concession Sub Committee.
- vii) Canteen Sub Committee.
- viii) Admission Sub Committee.
- ix) Student's Welfare Sub Committee.
- x) Cultural Sub Committee.
- xi) Anti Ragging Cell.
- xii) Anti Harassment Cell.
- xiii) Counseling Cell.
- xiv) Grievance Redressal Cell.
- xv) RTI Cell.
- xvi) NAAC Steering Committee.
- xvii) Museum Sub Committee.
- xviii) I. T. Upgradation Committee.
- xix) Building Sub Committee.

14. General Rules & Code of Conduct of the Students :

1. Under the Regulation of the West Bengal State University, Barasat, North 24 Parganas students will have to be regular in attending the classes. Student's Attending 75 % classes will be treated as Collegiate. If the attendance fails below that but not Below 60 % the student's will be treated as Noncollegiate. Students having less than 60 % attendance will be treated as Discollegiate. Such Discollegiate student's are not

- eligible for sitting for the University examinations, although the Noncollegiate ones may be rendered eligible through payment of non collegiate fee.
2. Both Honours are General courses students who do not attend at least 60% of the classes within three months after the admission may be asked to discontinue their studies.
 3. Every students must attend all the examinations conducted by the college. Absentees, only on medical ground, will have to produce Medical Certificate issued by a Govt. Registered medical Practitioner, with the application seeking consideration. The Principal reserves the absolute right to accept or reject such application on the basis of other records such as previous examination result, general attendance, conduct, etc.
 4. Any sort of cheating or malpractice either in the College or University Examination and such others offences will be seriously dealt with and may lead to immediate expulsion from the examination hall and other disciplinary actions.
 5. Students must maintain discipline both inside and outside the college, violation of which would be subject to strong disciplinary action.
 6. Shouting or unnecessary loitering within the college premises is prohibited.
 7. Smoking, tobacco chewing, consumption of any addictive product and playing cards is strictly prohibited in the college campus and subject to punishment.
 8. Students misbehaving with other students, Particularly girls, teaching and non teaching staff or any other staff of the college will be punished.
 9. No outsider is allowed within the college premises to move here and there and students should not bring such outsiders with them. If necessary arises, They are allowed only to meet the Principal or office staff with prior permission.
 10. Nobody will be allowed to enter into the room of the Principal or office without permission. Students' entry in a group than five will not be allowed.
 11. Students must pay their fees within the 15th of every month, failure of which consecutively for three month may lead to termination of their names form the attendance register.
 12. Attendance of all students in seminars, tutorial classes, special lectures, different celebrations conducted at the college is mandatory.

Course of Study and Admission

The following subject are offered for 4-Year Undergraduate Programme(Honours with Research/ Honours)

Bengali, English, History, Philosophy, Education, Political Science, Sociology, Sanskrit, Arabic. Agriculture & Rural Development.
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The following subject are offered for 3-Year Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Programme.

Bengali, English, Education / Physical Education, History, Philosophy/ Geography, Political Science, Sociology/ Sanskrit / Arabic , Economics, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Botany, Zoology.

As per regulations of the West Bengal State University , Barasat, students seeking 4-Year Undergraduate Programme(Honours with Research/ Honours) are eligible for applying in a subject in which she/ he have secured at least 50 % marks in aggregate (in the top four subject excepting Environmental Studies) and 45 % in the concerned subject or 55 % in that subject in the H.S.(W.B.C.H.S.E.) or equivalent recognized examination. However, in case of S.C. / S.T. students, relaxation of 5 % marks is allowed (i.e. 40 % in aggregate or in subject or in related subject).

Selection for Admission in 4-Year Undergraduate Programme(Honours with Research/ Honours) is done strictly on merit basis and through the publication of the merit list. However, the college authority reserves the right for cancellation of any application seeking admission in this college without assigning any reason thereof.

Selection for Admission in 3-Year Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Programme is done strictly on merit basis and through the publication of the merit list. However, the college authority reserves the right for cancellation of any application seeking admission in this college without assigning any reason thereof. All admission are guided by the notification of the Academic / Admission sub committee subject to the rules and regulations of the West Bengal State University, Barasat , North 24 Parganas.

Structure of the 4-year Undergraduate Programme (Honours)

Table 1: Semester-wise and Course category-wise distribution of credits

SEM	Major (DSC)	Minor	MDC	AEC	SEC	VAC	Internship	Total Credits
I	DS-1 (5), DS-2 (5)	MA-1 (5)		AE-1 (3)		VA-1 (3)		21
II	DS-3 (5), DS-4 (5)	MB-1 (5)		AE-2 (3)		VA-2 (3)		21
III	DS-5 (5), DS-6 (5) DS-7 (5)	MA-2 (5)		AE-3 (3)				23
IV	DS-8 (5), DS-9 (5) DS-10 (5)	MB-2 (5)	MD-1 (3)		SE-1 (3)			26
V	DS-11 (5), DS-12 (5)	MA-3 (5)	MD-2 (3)		SE-2 (3)		2	23
VI	DS-13 (5), DS-14 (5)	MB-3 (5)	MD-3 (3)		SE-3 (3)			21
Exit with Major after 3 years	70	30						135
VII	DS-15 (5), DS-16 (5) DS-17 (5)	MA-4 (5) MB-4 (5)						25
VIII	DS-18 (5), DS-19 (5) DS-20 (5), DS-21 (5)							20
Credit	105	40	9	9	9	6	2	180

DS: Discipline specific core course, MA: Minor discipline 1, MB: Minor discipline 2

**Credit (5) distribution: Lab-based Courses: L = 3, T/P = 2, Non-Lab based Courses: L = 4, T/P = 1

**For Music as a Major/Minor discipline, credit distribution: L = 1/2, P = 4/3

Structure of the 4-year Undergraduate Programme (Honours with Research)

Table 2: Semester-wise and course category-wise distribution of credits

SEM	Major (DSC)	Minor	MDC	AEC	SEC	VAC	Internship	Research project/ dissertation	Total Credits
I	DS-1 (5), DS-2 (5)	MA-1 (5)		AE-1 (3)		VA-1 (3)			21
II	DS-3 (5), DS-4 (5)	MB-1 (5)		AE-2 (3)		VA-2 (3)			21
III	DS-5 (5), DS-6 (5) DS-7 (5)	MA-2 (5)		AE-3 (3)					23
IV	DS-8 (5), DS-9 (5) DS-10 (5)	MB-2 (5)	MD-1 (3)		SE-1 (3)				26
V	DS-11 (5), DS-12 (5)	MA-3 (5)	MD-2 (3)		SE-2 (3)				21
VI	DS-13 (5), DS-14 (5)	MB-3 (5)	MD-3 (3)		SE-3 (3)				21
Exit with Major after 3 years	70	30							135
VII	DS-15 (5), DS-16 (5) DS-17 (5)	MA-4 (5) MB-4 (5)							25
VIII	**DS-18/19/20/21 (5) Any one from the above pool of courses is to be chosen by the student							15	20
Credit	90	40	9	9	9	6	2		180

DS: Discipline specific core course, MA: Minor discipline 1, MB: Minor discipline 2

**Credit (5) distribution: Lab-based Courses: L = 3, T/P = 2, Non-Lab based Courses: L = 4, T/P = 1

**For Music as a Major/Minor discipline, credit distribution: L = 1/2, P = 4/3

Structure of the 3-Year Multidisciplinary UG Programme
Table 3: Semester-wise and course category-wise distribution of credits

SEM	Core course (A)	Core course (B)	Core course (C)	MDC	AEC	SEC	VAC	Internship	Total credits
I	MA-1 (5)	MB-1 (5)	MC-1 (5)		AE-1 (3)		VA-1 (3)		21
II	MA-2 (5)	MB-2 (5)	MC-2 (5)		AE-2 (3)		VA-2 (3)		21
III	MA-3 (5)	MB-3 (5)	MC-3 (5)		AE-3 (3)			2	20
IV	MA-4 (5)	MB-4 (5)	MC-4 (5)	MD-1 (3)		SE-1 (3)			21
V	MA-5 (5)	MB-5 (5)	MC-5 (5)	MD-2 (3)		SE-2 (3)			21
VI	MA-6 (5)	MB-6 (5)	MC-6 (5)	MD-3 (3)		SE-3 (3)			21
Credits	30	30	30	9	9	9	6	2	125

MA: Core course 1, MB: Core course 2, MC: Core course 3

Credit* distribution: Lab-based Courses: L = 3, T/P = 2, Non-Lab based Courses: L = 4, T/P = 1

Outline of Academic Planning

a)General Academic	b)Vocational	c)Cultural	d) Social	e) Physical
1.Honours 2.General	Training Introduced	Competitions Held	Proposed Programmes	Games and Sports
Method of Teaching: 1.Lecture with demonstration through-	*Poultry Farming	*Recitation *Debate *Speech	*Adult Education *Health Camp *Environmental	* Football * Cricket *Carrom

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Projector • Chart and Model • Computer • Film and other Audio-Visual media 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Pisciculture *Fish Product Processing *Fruit Processing *Horticulture *Computer Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Drama *Song *Quiz *Extempore Lecture and others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Education *Plantation *Agriculture *Disaster Management *Relief Work 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Badminton *Table Tennis *Volley Ball and others
<p>2. Seminar</p> <p>3. Quiz</p> <p>4. Group Discussion</p> <p>5. Exhibition</p> <p>6. Tutorial</p> <p>7. Field Work and Project</p> <p>Evaluation:</p> <p>Different Examinations</p>	<p>Proposed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *First Aid *Nursing *Sanitary Inspection *Seed Technology *Art & Craft *Office Management *Apiculture and Others 			



DR. SAHIDULLAH: PHILOLOGIST PAR EXCELLENCE
(1885-1969)

Dr. Muhammad Sahidullah, the eminent philologist of Bengali was the son of this soil. He was born on 10th July, 1885 in the village Pearah near Haroa in the district of North 24 Parganas. He was the first Muslim student who passed with Sanskrit Honours from City College, Calcutta in the year 1910. He did his post-graduation from the University of Calcutta as a lone candidate in Comparative Literature as favoured by Sir Asutosh Mukhopadhyay, the then Vice-Chancellor, in the year 1912. In the year 1914, after acquiring a law degree, he joined the Basirhat Court as a young lawyer. But he was much uncomfortable with this profession and naturally left the practice and decided to join the Calcutta University as a research fellow under the great poet Dinesh Chandra Sen. He left for Dacca in the year 1921 and ultimately for Sorbonne University of France in the year 1926. He was awarded

Ph.D. Degree from this university for his original research on *Charyapada* written in French. Subsequently, he acquired knowledge on Vedic, Tibetan and Prakrita languages through immense research. In his life style he was very simple, open hearted and of non-egoistic nature and he dedicated himself for the cause of communal harmony in a major way. He was a renowned personality in the field of Comparative Philology. Often a parallelism is drawn between Dr. Sahidullah and Dr. Suniti Kumar Chattapadhyay for their contribution in Philology. Of his books, 'History of Bengali literature', 'History of Bengali Language', 'Bengali Grammar', 'Padmavati', 'Vidyapati Satak', 'Rubayet-e-Umar Khayam', 'Dinwan-e-Hafiz', 'Buddhist Mystic Songs', 'Pearls from the Holy Prophet', etc. are worth mentioning. This great son of Bengal breathed his last on 13th July, 1969.



CHANDRAKETUGARH: THE ANCIENT PORT CITY

West Bengal can boast of many ancient historical locations of which one of utmost importance is the archaeological site of Chandraketugarh situated in Berachampa of North 24 Parganas. Sites of Haroa, Debalaya, Hadipur, Singherati, etc. have yielded similar relics of ancient Bengal.

The relics can be dated from the Post - Mourya to the Pala period including those of the Sunga, Kanva and Kusana and Gupta periods. Excavations have brought to light evidence to prove that Chandraketugarh was a flourishing coastal town from about 4th Century B.C.E. down to the post Gupta age having trade contact with foreign countries in the early period of its history. The objects which have been found by incomplete but applaudable attempts of Archaeological Survey of India and private owners are gold and copper coins, ivory bangles and necklaces, bronze and terracotta female figures, various dolls, icons of gods and goddesses like Parvati, Yaksha, Yakshini and others. Various kinds of pots including Northern Black pottery of small and large plates, cups, bowls, tubs, etc. pottery cups with small spout (Unique in India), pitchers, jugs, basins, potteries, black polished pottery engraved in Brahmi letters and many others of red ware pottery are found. Potter's wheels and pottery drain pipes also indicate that the antiquity belongs roughly to the 3rd-4th century B.C.E. Portions of the port city like a temple complex named as "Khana-Mihirer Dhibi" have been discovered.

A huge city wall has also been excavated. Recent excavations done by local people have yielded fertile alluvial soil from the bases of the sites.

