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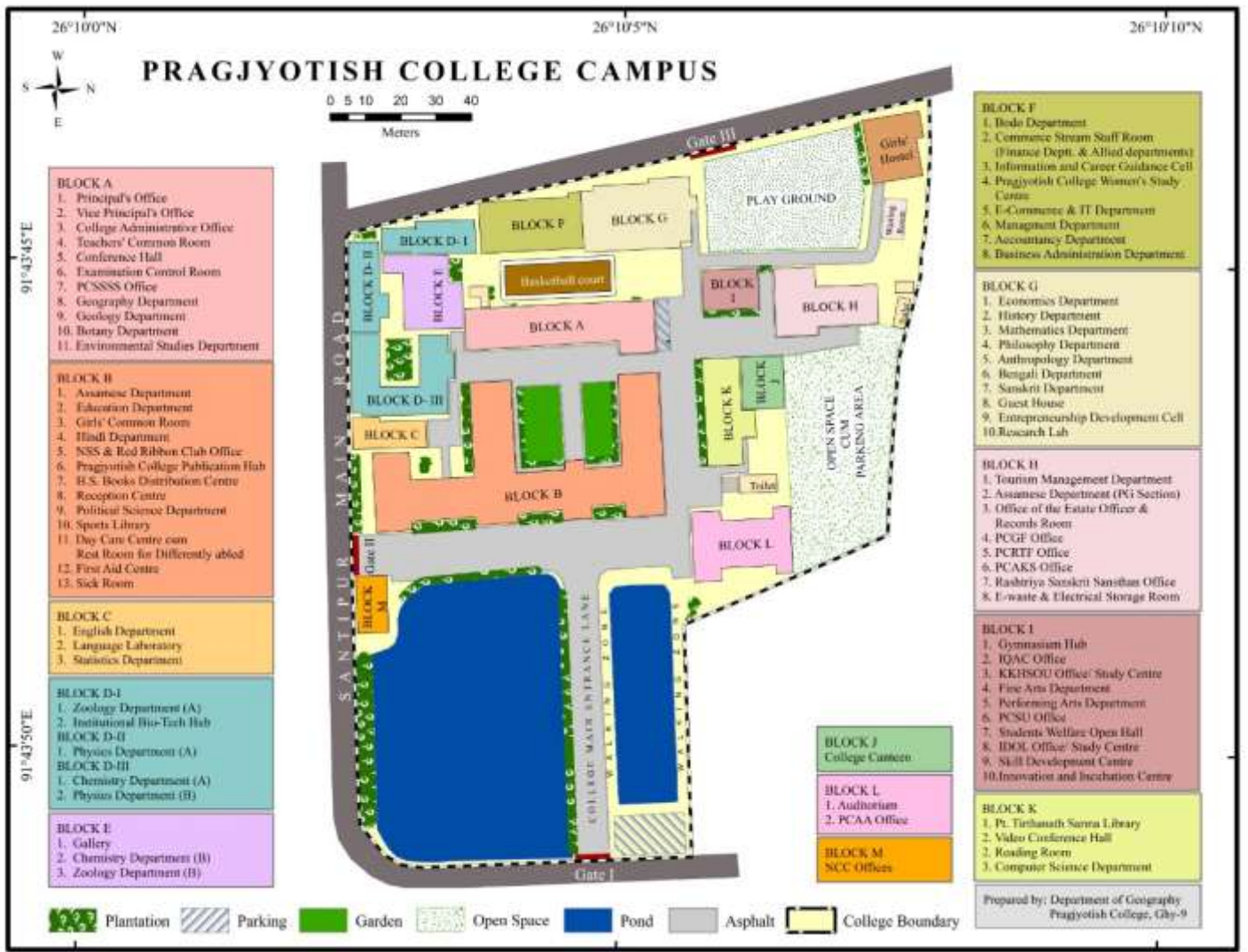
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LAYOUT OF DIFFERENT BLOCKS/ UNITS IN THE COLLEGE CAMPUS



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



It is a matter of utmost privilege and pleasure to extend a warm and heartiest welcome to all the students desiring to take admission in different programs being offered in this premier higher educational institution of the NE region. Pragjyotish College had made its humble beginning, under the initiative of a group of visionary leaders of the region. The college has made exemplary strides from its inception till date. Today, it is not only one of the most distinguished undergraduate co-educational institutions in the entire NE region but is also the college of first choice by many, with programs ranging from higher secondary up to post-graduate. Students from all over the NE region have been nourished here and have excelled in the chosen areas of interests, both in academics as well as extra-curricular accomplishments. The college provides a liberal, lively and competitive environment enabling our learners to carve out a niche for themselves in their respective fields.

My dear students, the whole world as we know, is facing tremendous challenges in many fronts today, including the education sector. The normal teaching-learning process has been disrupted due to the pandemic COVID-19. In these trying times, we have no other option in our hand, but to switch over to the 'online teaching-learning' as well as examination modes. We can express our hope that the pandemic scare will soon cease to have impact on our lives and our society will soon be able to come back to normalcy, thus alleviating the sufferings of all the people. The entire admission process has also necessitated to be switched over to the online mode. Amidst these pandemic times, we braved to assess and accredit our institution through the National Assessment and Accreditation Council for the third consecutive time, which was a challenging task in our hand.

We believe in all-round development of our students. Apart from academic pursuits, great emphasis is laid on a range of co-curricular activities, discipline and character building of the students. Pragjyotish College has a unique distinction: it has a full-fledged National Cadet Corps (NCC) Unit with four wings-Army, Navy, Air and the Girl's Wings. In addition, the National Service Scheme, Red Ribbon Club, Bharat Scouts and Guides and the Youth Red Cross of the college provides our students a platform and ample opportunities for social involvement.

With these few words, I once again warmly welcome you to this august institution and pray to the Almighty for resounding success and excellence. I sincerely wish that after admission you not only get actively involved with the corporate life of the college, but also display exemplary excellence in the academic front, thereby embedding your name in the long and glorious list of proud alumni of our college.

Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta
Principal

✚ PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE: A BRIEF HISTORICAL BACKGROUND



Pragjyotish College, established on 1st September 1954, seven years after Independence, became a beacon of learning and a symbol of aspirations for the common people of Assam, raring to build a new nation. Pandit Tirthanath Sarma, eminent scholar and litterateur, responded to and actively participated in the nation building by taking charge as the founder Principal of Pragjyotish College. From its modest inception as an arts college, Pragjyotish College has now developed into one of the premier institutions of higher education in Guwahati. At present, it is a well-known full-fledged under-graduate college imparting higher education in multiple streams.

Situated on the western bank of the Bharalu, a rivulet, in the western part of Guwahati, Pragjyotish College is about 1 kilometre away from its confluence with the mighty Brahmaputra. It is about 4 kilometres from the Guwahati Railway Station and at a distance of about 20 kilometres from the Lokapriya Gopinath Bordoloi International Airport. At the backdrop of the college is a beautiful panoramic view of Nilachal Hills, the famous abode of Mother Goddess Kamakhya.

In the emblem of the college, is ingrained the motto “**तेजस्विनावधीतमस्तु**” (*May our study make us illumined*) and a conch shell at the centre on an eight-petalled full-blown beautiful-lotus, which symbolizes pure knowledge and the relationship between the teacher and the learner, praying to the Almighty for energy, protection, maintenance that ultimately leads to peace and bliss.

In its glorious existence of six decades, Pragjyotish College, as *alma mater*, has produced a galaxy of eminent personalities in all walks of life. The college celebrated its Diamond Jubilee Year during 2013–14.



PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE AT A GLANCE

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| Date of Establishment | 01.09.1954 |
| Address | J. P. Agarwala Road, Santipur P.O. & P.S. Bharalumukh Dist.: Kamrup (Metropolitan) Guwahati – 781 009, Assam |
| Website | www.pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| Contact Details (Principal) | E-Mail: principal@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in Phone: 98649-80654, 94353-11498 |
| Contact Details (Office) | E-Mail: office@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in Phone: 98640-95309, 86389-63701 |
| U.G.C. Affiliation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2 (f): 1964 ▪ 12 (B): 1989 |
| Affiliating University | Gauhati University |
| N.A.A.C. Accreditation Details | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1st Cycle validity: 08.01.2004 – 07.01.2009 (Grade: B) ▪ 2nd Cycle validity: 08.01.2011 – 07.01.2016 (Grade: B) ▪ 3rd Cycle validity: 15.02.2021 – 14.02.2026 (Grade: B under RAF) |
| Total Campus Area | 26,500 sq. mts. |
| Total Built-up Area | 6700 sq. mts. (25 % of the total campus area) |
| No. of Buildings/ Blocks | 15 |
| Regular Programs | Higher Secondary (Arts) Higher Secondary (Science) B.A. B.Sc. |
| Self-financing Programs | Higher Secondary (Commerce) B.Com. B.B.A. B.C.A. M.A. (Assamese) M.A./ M.Sc. (Economics) M.T.M. M.Sc. (Zoology) M.Sc. (Geology) M.A./ M.Sc. (Geography) M.A. (Education) Diploma (Fine Arts) Diploma (Performing Arts) Diploma (Non-formal Sanskrit Education) Certificate (Non-formal Sanskrit Education) |
| Distance education Programs | Programs under K.K.H.S.O.U. Programs under I.D.O.L., G.U. Programs under I.G.N.O.U. |
| Departments offering P.G. Programs | Assamese, Economics, Education, Geography, Geology, Tourism Management, Zoology |
| Departments offering U.G. Programs | Accountancy, Anthropology, Assamese, Bengali, Bodo, Botany, Business Administration, Chemistry, Computer Science, E-Commerce & IT, Economics, Education, English, Environmental Studies, Finance, Geography, Geology, Hindi, History, Management, Mathematics, Philosophy, Physics, Political Science, Sanskrit, Statistics, Tourism Management, Zoology |
| Departments offering Diploma Programs | Fine Arts, Performing Arts, Sanskrit |
| Departments offering Certificate Programs | Sanskrit |

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| New Programs in Pipeline | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • B.V.A. (8 Semesters) • B.A. in Performing Arts (Sattriya Dance) |
| Total No. of Classrooms | Smart classrooms: 6 ICT-enabled classrooms: 12 Non-ICT classrooms: 69 |
| Total No. of Laboratories | 36 |
| Departments having laboratories | Anthropology, Botany, Chemistry, Computer Science, E-Commerce & IT, Education, Geology, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, Tourism Management, Zoology |
| Computer laboratories having LAN facilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Science Lab (Computer Science Department) • E-Commerce & IT Lab (E-Commerce & IT Department) • GIS Lab (Geography Department) • Language Lab (All language departments) • Physics Computer Lab (Physics Department) |
| Computer-supported Laboratories (other than above) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Lab (Mathematics Department) • Computer Lab (Tourism Studies Department) |
| Other laboratories | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DST-SERB Laboratory (Chemistry Department) • Institutional Bio-tech Hub (Zoology Department) • Plant Tissue Culture Laboratory (Botany Department) • PhD Research Laboratory (Statistics Department) • Sophisticated Instrument Laboratory (Chemistry Department) |
| Departments having Smart Classrooms | Botany, Economics, Geography, Geology, Physics, Zoology |
| Departments having ICT-enabled Classrooms (used on sharing basis between all departments) | Assamese, Botany, Chemistry, Computer Science, Economics, History, Mathematics, Geology, Geography, Tourism Management |
| No. of Faculty Members (Permanent) | Total sanctioned strength: 83 Current strength: 73 |
| No. of Faculty Members (Contractual) | 39 |
| No. of Non-Teaching Staff (Permanent) | Total sanctioned strength: 39 Current strength: 35 |
| No. of Non-Teaching Staff (Contractual) | 32 |
| PTNS Library (Central Library) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ~36,000 textbooks • ~25,000 reference books • Subscription to 42 journals and newspapers |
| Institutional publications | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Prag Consilience</i>: Peer-reviewed Research Journal (PCRC) [ISSN: 2456-6861; RNI No.: ASSMUL/2016/70132] • <i>Pragjyotishiya</i>: Annual Journal (PCSU) • <i>Prag Newsletter</i>: Annual Newsletter |
| Departmental publications (Newsletters/ Magazines/ etc.) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthropology Dept: <i>Unigration</i> • Assamese Dept: <i>Palash</i> [ISBN: 978-81-949671-0-1] • Bengali Dept: <i>North East Little Magazine Review; Anubad</i> • Bodo Dept: <i>Pragjyotishani Sansri</i> • Botany Dept: <i>Plantae Newsletter</i> • Chemistry Dept: <i>Boson</i> • Computer Science: <i>Zetta</i> • Economics Dept: <i>Arthabarta</i> • Education Dept: <i>Educatum</i> • English Dept.: <i>Literatia</i> • Geography Dept: <i>PRAGBhugol</i> • Geology Dept: <i>Petra</i> • History Dept: <i>Historia</i> • Philosophy Dept: <i>Dristi</i> |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physics Dept: <i>fiziks</i> • Sanskrit Dept: <i>Praci</i> [ISSN: 2319-8974] • Statistics Dept: <i>Mathematical Statistics</i> • Tourism Management Dept: <i>Jatra - A New Horizon</i> • Zoology Dept: <i>Phoenix</i> |
| In-house Bodies | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pragjyotish College Students' Union • Bodo Literary Society (Bodo Dept.) • Dhatu (Chemistry Dept.) • Economic Planning Forum (Economics Dept.) • Environment Care Society (Economics Dept.) • Geological Society of Pragjyotish College (Geology Dept.) • Little Magazine Study & Research Center (Bengali Dept.) • Mathematical Society of Pragjyotish College (Mathematics Dept.) • Pragjyotish College Geographical Society (Geography Dept.) ▪ Pragjyotish College Women's Study Centre • Pragjyotish College Xakha Sahitya Sabha (Assamese Dept.) • Pragjyotish College Zoological Forum (Zoology Dept.) • Students First |
| Important Institutional Units/ Wings | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Air Quality Monitoring Station ▪ Amalprabha Das Girls' Hostel ▪ Anti-Ragging Committee ▪ Bharat Scouts & Guides ▪ Day Care Centre cum Rest Room for Differently-Abled ▪ Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) ▪ e-Waste cum Electrical Storage Room ▪ Sick Room ▪ First-Aid Centre ▪ Guest House ▪ Gymnasium Hub ▪ Information and Career Guidance Cell (ICGC) ▪ Innovation and Incubation Centre (IIC) ▪ Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) ▪ NCC (Army, Navy, Air and Girls' Wings) ▪ NSS ▪ Office of the Estate Officer ▪ Pandit Tirthanath Sarma Library ▪ Pragjyotish College Alumni Association (PCAA) ▪ Pragjyotish College Anasikshak Karmachari Sanstha (PCAKS) ▪ Pragjyotish College Canteen ▪ Pragjyotish College Guardians' Forum (PCGF) ▪ Pragjyotish College Publication Hub (PCPH) ▪ Pragjyotish College Research Council (PCRC) ▪ Pragjyotish College Retired Teachers' Forum (PCRTF) ▪ Pragjyotish College Students' Union (PCSU) ▪ Pragjyotish College Teachers' Unit (PCTU) ▪ Records Room ▪ Red Ribbon Club ▪ RTI Cell ▪ Sports Library ▪ Students' Counseling Cell ▪ Students' Grievance Redressal Cell ▪ Youth Red Cross Society (IRCS, Assam Branch) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fourth oldest college of Guwahati |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fully RFID-based digital library (the first of its kind at college level in the NE region) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Entire campus and all classrooms under CCTV coverage (155 CCTV cameras) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wi-fi enabled campus (free usage by all users) |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Life insurance coverage to all students |

Salient features of the Institution

- Tobacco-free and plastic-free campus
- Lightning-protected buildings
- Solar-powered street lights installed inside the campus through the installed 5 KW solar plant
- Wide use of LED lighting system
- Public Announcement system installed in the campus
- Digital Display Board installed for display of important information
- *Respirable Dust Sampler* installed in the campus by Assam Pollution Control Board for measuring the air quality parameters
- Departmental libraries in many departments
- Departmental Advisory Committees in all Departments, comprising faculty members, students and guardians
- Official Student WhatsApp Groups in all departments
- Sanitary Pad Dispensers installed in Girls' Common Room and Girls' Hostel
- Departmental level student mentoring
- Annual Prize Day for felicitating meritorious students
- Best Library User Awards for students and teachers
- MoUs for inter-institutional co-curricular and extra-curricular activities, including teacher and faculty-exchange programs
- Quality audits (Academic Audit, Administrative Audit, Energy Audit, Gender Audit, Green Audit) conducted
- Involvement of multi-level external stakeholders for institutional development, viz. retired teachers, principals, guardians, alumni, local community, etc.



Donation to CMRF for Covid relief works, in presence of four institutional stakeholder hon'ble MLAs



MOTTO, VISION, MISSION AND THE EMBLEM OF THE COLLEGE

OUR MOTTO:

तेजस्विनावधीतमस्तु

Tejasvinavadhitamastu

(May our study make us illumined)

OUR VISION

To fulfil the visionary aspirations of the regional youth segment through a process of vibrant and continuous innovations and initiatives in multiple spheres of academic as well as professional development, leading to the fullest realisation of the potentials of the students.

OUR MISSION

- To make teachers and the taught partners in the learning process
- To promote a student friendly atmosphere for encouraging them to be self-reliant and self-employable
- To promote extra-curricular activities simultaneously with curricular activities
- To mould the students into socially conscious human beings
- To encourage students to think globally and act locally as productive citizens, through the promotion of scientific temper and action
- To foster and inculcate moral and spiritual accomplishments amongst the students
- To develop a transparent and responsive administration
- To undergo self-analysis and self-discovery leading to elimination of bottlenecks in the context of a holistic framework

THE EMBLEM



The conch on the eight-petaloid full-bloomed graceful lotus symbolises pure knowledge. **तेजस्विनावधीतमस्तु** (*Tejasvinavadhitamastu*), the inspiring Motto of our college, speaks: *May our study make us illumined*. The aims, objectives and ideals of education are epitomised in this great saying of *Taittiriya Upanishad (Ch. II Brahmananda Valli, Section 1, Invocation)*.



GOVERNING BODY OF PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE

The Governing Body (GB) is the apex statutory policy making body of the institution which is well represented at all levels.

| Name | Portfolio | Designation |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Dr. Jagadindra Raychoudhury | President | Retd. Vice Principal B. Borooah College |
| Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta | Secretary | Principal, Pragjyotish College |
| Shri Ramendra Narayan Kalita | Special Invitee | MLA, West Guwahati Constituency |
| Dipika Roy Medhi | Member | Vice Principal, Pragjyotish College |
| Prof. Manab Deka | Nominee of Affiliating University | Professor & Director, GU-IST, Gauhati University |
| Dr. Satyendra Kumar Choudhury | Nominee of Affiliating University | Retd. Professor, Cotton College & Former Director, ASTECC (Govt. of Assam) |
| Shri Binoy Kalita, APS | Guardian Member | Commandant, Third APTF Khajuabeel, Udalguri |
| Shri Rabin Kakati | Guardian Member | Subject Teacher, B.R.Medhi HS School Boriditora, Nalbari |
| Vacant | Guardian Member | ----- |
| Bishwajyoti Dev Mahanta | Teacher Representative | Associate Professor Department of History |
| Shri Saumar Rajkhowa | Teacher Representative | Associate Professor Department of Physics |
| Shri Unindajyoti Choudhury | Member, Ex-Officio | Librarian, PTNS Library Pragjyotish College |
| Shri Rabindra Thakuria | Representative, Non-Teaching Staff | Head Assistant Pragjyotish College |





INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (I.Q.A.C.)

This all important wing of the college is meant to channelize and systematize all quality sustenance efforts of the institution, through setting up of a quality assurance mechanism. It devises measures to improve upon academic and administrative performance of the institution through the application of quality benchmarks.

| Name | Portfolio | Designation |
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| Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta | Chairperson | Principal |
| Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar | Coordinator | Associate Professor, Geology Department |
| Dipika Roy Medhi | Senior Administrative Officer | Vice Principal |
| Dr. Shyamal Prasad Saikia, IPS (Retd.) | Senior Administrative Officer | Former DIG, Assam Police |
| Unindajyoti Choudhury | Senior Administrative Officer | Librarian, Pragjyotish College |
| Nikunja Das | Senior Administrative Officer | Accountant, Pragjyotish College |
| Bishwajyoti Dev Mahanta | Management Committee Member | Associate Professor, History Department |
| Dr. Shampa Choudhury | Teacher Member | Associate Professor & Head, Mathematics Department |
| Niva Deka | Teacher Member | Associate Professor, Philosophy Department |
| Saroj Sarma | Teacher Member | Associate Professor & Head, Chemistry Department |
| Arpita Das | Teacher Member | Assistant Professor, Political Science Department |
| Nandita Rajbongshi | Teacher Member | Assistant Professor & Head i/c, Hindi Department |
| Dr. Bimal Kumar Tamuli | Teacher Member | Assistant Professor, Geology Department |
| Vacant | Nominee of Students | President, Pragjyotish College Students' Union |
| Dr. Dipak Goswami | Nominee of Guardians | President, Pragjyotish College Guardians' Forum |
| Dr. Dayananda Pathak | Nominee of Retired Teachers | President, Pragjyotish College Retired Teachers' Forum |
| Dewan Dhruvajyoti Maral | Nominee of Alumni | President, Pragjyotish College Alumni Association |
| Dr. Tarakeswar Choudhury | Nominee of Local Society | Santipur, Guwahati |
| Gopal Jalan | Nominees of Industrialists | Director, Jalan Brothers Pvt.Ltd |
| Chandan Nath | Nominees of Employers | Proprietor, C. N. Travels and Centre for Tourism Studies |





GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ADMISSION

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

1. Use **ONLY** your personal and active Mobile Number, WhatsApp Number and Gmail address wherever needed during the process of ONLINE FORM SUBMISSION. ONLY these will be used for any communication to you from Admission to the end of your study in Pragjyotish College.
2. Please download a suitable mobile scanner (preferably **KAAGAZ** Scanner) to scan and make a pdf copy of your documents like Mark sheet, Proof of your Age, Domicile Certificate, Caste Certificate, Passport size photo, signature, Proper Gap Certificate (EITHER a certificate from the Head of the institution last attended in his/her official letter pad with Seal and Signature OR an affidavit from the NOTARY) etc. **Please save all documents with BLACK & WHITE filter.** Before saving a document in the scanner, drag the margin line to the actual position of your document.
3. Your application may be REJECTED if any factual discrepancy found during verification process.
4. **You must be able to pay fees, if applicable, online through NEFT/mobile banking etc. Without clearing your dues, you will not be allowed to get admission.**

A **confirmation message** for Provisional Admission will be sent to your **WhatsApp number** and Gmail address on the **date of admission**. This will **remain active ONLY for 24 hours** and you **MUST** have to RESPOND accordingly within 24 hours. After that your selection will automatically be cancelled.



📌 GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ADMISSION

Admission to all programs is governed by the College Admission Rules which strictly maintains the order of merit of the students. All decisions of the Admission Committee for 2021-22 Session, regarding admission to different programs will be final and binding.

- **College Prospectus:** College Prospectus will be available in the college website and can be downloaded **FREE** of cost. College Prospectus/ Admission Forms in **hard copy** format will **NOT** be issued from the college office.
- **Admission Procedure:** Admission to different programs will be held **ONLINE** on the date of admission (to be notified in our website). After online submission of forms, admission to **FIRST SEMESTER/Year** classes in 2021-22 academic session will be held in **FIVE** stages:

STAGE I

- (a) For TDC Classes:** Publication of Subject-wise merit list in the website
(b) For HS Classes: Publication of general merit list in the website

STAGE II

- (a) For TDC Classes:** According to the availability of seat and maintaining the list of merit, message containing confirmation of seat (provisional) for each subject/program one have applied, will be sent to candidate's **PERSONAL** and **ACTIVE** Whatsapp Number and Gmail address, which will remain active **ONLY** for 24 hours. This process will continue till all the seats in respective subjects/programs are filled
(b) For HS Classes: Same procedure will be followed for admission to HS classes. But the candidates will receive message for the program only.

STAGE III According to his/her choice, a candidate **MUST** have to respond to the offer sent, within 24 hours. If not responded, his/her candidature will automatically be cancelled after 24 hours. No claim for the seat will be entertained by the authority.

STAGE IV Process for the Payment of fees, if applicable for a certain candidate, to be completed immediately through online payment portal of Pragjyotish College, after receiving the confirmation message

STAGE V The candidate will get a formal confirmation message with his/her roll number after final verification by the admission committee

- **Filling up of Online Admission Forms:** All candidates will have to fill up the Admission Forms through **ONLINE MODE ONLY** through the link provided in the college website [www.pragjyotishcollege.ac.in] on or before the stipulated dates mentioned in the Admission Notice
- **Online Document Upload:** Candidates will have to upload **SCANNED COPIES** of relevant documents, photographs, signatures, etc. as instructed
- **Gap Certificate:** To be provided by candidates whose year of passing the qualifying exam is not the current year, i.e. 2021. Gap Certificates (if necessary) must be either from the Head of the Institution last attended or in the form of an Affidavit from any Hon'ble Court of Law. Gaps of more than 3 (Three Years) shall **NOT** be considered for admission in any of the programs. **Medical Certificates will NOT be accepted in lieu of gap certificates.**
- **Domicile Certificate (only by candidates whose State of Domicile is ASSAM):** **Any one** of the following documents must be provided –
 1. **PERMANENT RESIDENCE CERTIFICATE (PRC)**
 2. **VOTER IDENTITY CARD** of self or parent
 3. **AADHAR CARD** of self or parent
 4. **BPL CARD** of family
 5. **PASSPORT** of self or parent

- **Subject Selection:**

(i) **(For B.A./B.Sc.):** Candidates are allowed to apply in 3 (three) subjects as honors. With each selection they must mention their preference (2 in numbers) for generic subject.

(ii) **(For H.S):** Specific subject restrictions must be followed

Subject Combinations allotted according to the choice of the candidate at the time of admission will NOT be changed later

- **Payment of Admission Fees:** Fees to be paid online through payment gateway of Pragjyotish College
- **Verification of Original Documents:** All original documents related to admission purpose will have to be produced by the admitted students as and when asked for by the college authorities
- **Admission against Reserved Categories:** Reservation of seats for different programs will be maintained as per guidelines framed by the Govt. of India in following manner:

| Scheduled Caste [SC] | Scheduled Tribes (Hills) [ST(H)] | Scheduled Tribes (Plains) [ST(P)] | Other Backward Classes/ More Other Backward Classes [OBC/ MOBC] | Person with Disabilities [PwD] | Extra-Curricular Activities [ECA] |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 7 % | 5 % | 10 % | 27 % | 3 % | 2 % |

Reservation against Extra-curricular Activities: For admission against this category, a candidate should upload testimonial to establish that he/ she have participated in any sports/ games/ cultural etc. event not below State level.

- **Standardization of Marks:** To standardize the marks obtained by candidates of various boards, the Admission Committee shall follow the following procedure for preparing merit lists in various programs:

B.A./ B.Sc. Programs:

- Aggregate marks obtained (excluding Physical Education/ Entrepreneurship/ Vocational**subjects) in the 12th standard examination.
- Marks of best THREE (03) subjects in descending order (For_B.Sc. program candidates must not enter the marks of English and MIL even if they scored better than elective subjects)
- Total Marks of the subject in which he/she desires to take honors.

HS (Arts/Science) Programs:

- Aggregate marks obtained in the 10th standard examination.
- Marks of best THREE (03) subjects in descending order

Self-sustained Programs:

(a) B.Sc. (Computer Science)/BCA /BBA/ B.Com.):

- Aggregate marks obtained (excluding Physical Education/ Entrepreneurship/ Vocational**subjects) in the 12th standard examination.
- Marks of best THREE (03) subjects in descending order (Candidates must not enter the marks of English and MIL even if they scored better than elective subjects)

(b) H.S. Commerce:

- Aggregate marks obtained in the 10th standard examination.
- Marks of best THREE (03) subjects in descending order.

(N.B.: A subject that contains 30% Theory + 70% Practical is considered as a Vocational subject)**

- **Admission in the college Girls' Hostel:** The procedure for applying for admission in the college girls' hostel is briefly mentioned below:

1. Girl students desirous of availing the college hostel facilities will be required to mention their choices in the Online Admission Form along with relevant information.
2. Hostel seats will be allotted later on the basis of merit and other such criteria which shall be decided by the Hostel Advisory Committee from time to time. The decision of the committee is final and binding.
3. The list of selected candidates will be displayed in the college website in due time, along with details of fees payment mode.
4. Contact for details:

Dr. Reena Barman Kalita

Associate Professor & HOD, Botany Department

E-Mail: girlshostel@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

VERY IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- Candidates must have to use his/her **personal and active** mobile number, WhatsApp number and Gmail address wherever needed **during online submission of forms**
- Candidates will have to upload different documents like Mark-sheets, Certificates, Bank Passbook (Title page with IFSC), Passport size recent photograph and all other relevant documents during the process
- All these documents are to be scanned beforehand using any mobile phone scanner (preferably the **KAAGAZ scanner**) and upload the same in pdf format where ever applicable, during the process of ONLINE FORM SUBMISSION
- Candidates must read the instructions carefully and check the entries time and again before final submission of the Form
- Personal Bank details are compulsory to avail the benefit of schemes like scholarship, reimbursement of hostel mess dues, textbook grants, etc. as per Govt norms
- **NO FALSE DATA** should be provided while filling up of the Online Admission Form. If any instances of commission of forgery or providing wrong data are detected on a later date, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.
- After securing admission, students must ensure that the following (as provided in the Online Admission Form) continues to **remain same** during their entire period of study in the college.

- **Bank Account Details**
- **Mobile Phone Numbers**
- **E-Mails**

Otherwise, the admitted students will be deprived from the Govt. beneficiary schemes.

- **Commencement of classes:** Classes of 1st Semester shall commence as per govt. guidelines and directives
- **Helpline No.:** Candidates may contact the Helpline No. (Mentioned in the Admission Notice) if he/she finds any difficulty during filling up and submission of the Online Admission Form





INTERNAL DISCIPLINE

A. ATTENDANCE RULES: All students on roll should attend at least 75% of the classes held in each subject to become eligible for appearing in the Council/ University examinations. Students not fulfilling the above requirement will not be allowed to appear in the final/ term-end examinations.

B. COLLEGE UNIFORM: Wearing of the college uniform is compulsory for all students for all purposes during their stay inside the college campus.

H.S. and U.G. Programs:

For Boys: Satin blue shirt decorated with the college emblem and blackish blue trousers, black shoes, white socks and blue blazer/sweater (V-shaped white stripe). Jeans trousers and shirts are not permitted. The design and style of the uniform must be formal.

For Girls: Satin blue *kurta* decorated with the college emblem and blackish blue *churidar*, and navy blue *dupatta* and navy blue sweater decorated with the college emblem. Jeans and leggings are not permitted. The design and style of the uniform must be formal.

P.G. Programs:

For Boys: Formal shirt of blackish blue thin stripes on off-white colour decorated with the college emblem and blackish blue trousers, black shoes, white socks and navy blue blazer/sweater (V-shaped white stripe) decorated with the college emblem. The design and style of the uniform must be formal.

For Girls: Formal *kurta* of blackish blue thin stripes on off-white colour decorated with the college emblem and blackish blue *churidar*, and navy blue *dupatta* and navy blue sweater decorated with the college emblem. The design and style of the uniform must be formal.

T-shirts and jeans trousers (designed by any department) are not allowed in the classroom and on the college premises.

For further details, students may contact the following: **UNIQUE BRAND**

Phone No: 95084-15363; 97070-98210

C. MAINTENANCE OF DISCIPLINE: The students must observe complete silence within the college premises. They must not loiter aimlessly within the college campus. Students must spend their spare time/off periods in such a way that will not cause any interference with the work of others. Use of cell phones for conversation is strictly prohibited inside the classrooms/ laboratories/verandahs/ building passages. Students can use the cell phones only in the designated areas like student common rooms, canteen, etc. Students found to violate this statutory instruction are liable to face disciplinary action including the seizure of the cell phones.

D. NOTICE BOARDS AND INSTITUTIONAL PORTAL: Students should, in their own interest, read all the notices displayed on the departmental notice boards, office notice boards, Digital Notice Board and other display boards frequently, for remaining fully aware of the latest information displayed thereon. Students are also advised to browse the institutional website (www.pragjyotishcollege.ac.in) for various notices and updates.

E. RAGGING: Ragging is a punishable offence under the Indian Penal Code (IPC). The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has ordered all universities and their affiliated colleges under the University Grants Commission (U.G.C.) that if any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the students involved in ragging shall be given liberty to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/her from the institution (UGC letter No. F.1-8/2006 (CPP- II) February, 2008). **RAGGING** of newly admitted students is **STRICTLY PROHIBITED** and shall be dealt with a firm hand, under the existing penal provisions. **If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the college authority, the student (s) involved in ragging shall be given liberty to put forward his/ her explanation, which if not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/ her from the college. Instances of violent incidents incurring grievous injuries and loss of life and property will be reported to the police.**

F. STUDENTS' IDENTITY CARD: Every student is issued an identity card after admission. The card is non-transferrable and contains information about the holder, such as Name, Session, Class, Roll No., Combination of Subjects, etc. It also contains a passport sized photograph of the student, duly endorsed by the Principal. It is mandatory for every student to carry the identity card with him/her so that it can be produced whenever necessary.

G. INTERNAL/SESSIONAL EXAMINATIONS: Students must appear in unit tests/sessional examinations, held for each subject of each class in all the streams, from time to time. Allowing a candidate for the Final/ Term-end examinations will be determined by the overall performance of the

student in the unit tests/sessional examinations, class attendance, etc. Internal Assessments will be done taking into account of the students' attendance, assignments, seminar presentations, performance in the unit tests/sessional examinations.

For additional details, students are advised to refer to the Student Information Booklet, 2021 (to be available in the college website after admission process is over)



Model Exhibition organized by Geological Society of Pragjyotish College



Dance Workshop organized by Performing Arts Department



PROGRAMS OF STUDY

A. TWO-YEARS HIGHER SECONDARY (H.S.) PROGRAMS

1. H.S. PROGRAM IN ARTS

| | | | |
|---|--|--------------------|-------------------|
| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | 300 Seats | | |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | Candidates, who have passed the H.S.L.C. Examination of the Board of Secondary Education, Assam (S.E.B.A.), or any other equivalent 10 th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc. | | |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit | | |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | 50 % in the qualifying examination | | |
| V. SUBJECTS OFFERED: | (A) Compulsory Subjects | | |
| | Either (a) M.I.L. (Assamese/ Bengali/ Bodo/ Hindi) Or (b) Alternative English | | |
| | English | | |
| | Environmental Studies | | |
| | (B) Elective Subjects (Any Three) | | |
| | Advance Assamese | Economics | Mathematics |
| | Advance Bengali | Education | Political Science |
| | Advance Bodo | Fine Arts | Performing Arts |
| | Advance Hindi | Geography | Sanskrit |
| | Anthropology | History | Statistics |
| | Bihu** | Logic & Philosophy | ----- |
| | **Newly introduced by AHSEC from the academic session 2020-21 In addition to three elective subjects, a student may opt for a fourth subject as an additional subject | | |
| The following combinations of subjects are not allowed: | | | |
| 1) History and Mathematics 2) Logic & Philosophy and Geography 3) Advance Language and Classical Language 4) Education and Statistics 5) Anthropology and Political Science 6) Fine Arts/ Performing Arts and Advance Language/ Anthropology/ Geography | | | |

2. H.S. PROGRAM IN SCIENCE

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|------------------|-------------|
| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | 300 Seats | | |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | Candidates, who have passed the H.S.L.C. Examination of the Board of Secondary Education, Assam (S.E.B.A.), or any other equivalent 10 th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc. | | |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit | | |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | 50 % in the qualifying examination | | |
| V. SUBJECTS OFFERED: | (A) Compulsory Subjects | | |
| | Either (a) M.I.L. (Assamese/ Bengali/ Bodo/ Hindi) Or (b) Alternative English | | |
| | English | | |
| | Environmental Studies | | |
| | (B) Elective Subjects (Any Three) | | |
| | Anthropology | Computer Science | Mathematics |
| | Biology | Geology | Physics |

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| | Chemistry | Geography | Statistics |
| | In addition to three elective subjects, a student may opt for a fourth subject as an additional subject | | |
| 3. H.S. PROGRAM IN COMMERCE [SELF-FINANCING] | | | |
| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | 300 Seats | | |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | Candidates, who have passed the H.S.L.C. Examination of the Board of Secondary Education, Assam (S.E.B.A.), or any other equivalent 10 th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc. | | |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit | | |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | 50% in the qualifying examination | | |
| V. SUBJECTS OFFERED: | (A) Compulsory Subjects | | |
| | Either (a)M.I.L. (Assamese/ Bengali/ Bodo/ Hindi) Or (b)Alternative English | Environmental Studies | Business Studies |
| | English | Accountancy | Economics |
| | (B) Elective Subjects (Any One) | | |
| | Banking | Commercial Mathematics & Statistics | |

B. THREE-YEARS (SIX SEMESTERS) UNDER-GRADUATE (U.G.) PROGRAMS

The requirements for successful completion of the three-year U.G. Honours program in the C.B.C.S. system under Gauhati University are as follows:

- **14 Core Courses (CC)** in the Honours subject
- **8 Elective Courses (EC):** 4 Discipline Specific Elective Courses (DSEC)
4 Generic Elective Courses (GEC)
- **4 Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC)
2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)

1. BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.)

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| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | 300 Seats | | |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12 th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc. | | |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit | | |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | 50% in the qualifying examination | | |
| V. SUBJECTS OFFERED: | Combination of subjects to be taken in 1st Semester | Honours/ CC subject (any one) + GEC subject (any one) + AECC subject (any one) | |
| | Choice of Honours/ CC subjects (any one to be chosen) | Anthropology | History |
| | | Assamese | Hindi |
| | | Bengali | Mathematics |
| | | Bodo | Philosophy |
| | | Economics | Political Science |
| | | Education | Sanskrit |
| | | English | Statistics |
| | | Geography | ----- |
| | Choice of GEC subject (any one to be chosen) | | |
| If CC subject is from this list | Choice of GEC subject (any one) | | |
| Anthropology | Any subject except Anthropology | | |
| Assamese | Any subject except Assamese | | |

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|--|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|-------|--|
| | | Bengali | | Any subject except Bengali | | | |
| | | Bodo | | Any subject except Bodo | | | |
| | | Economics | | Any subject except Economics | | | |
| | | Education | | Any subject except Education | | | |
| | | English | | Any subject except English | | | |
| | | Geography | | Any subject except Geography | | | |
| | | Hindi | | Any subject except Hindi | | | |
| | | History | | Any subject except History | | | |
| | | Mathematics | | Any subject except Mathematics | | | |
| | | Philosophy | | Any subject except Philosophy | | | |
| | | Political Science | | Any subject except Political Science | | | |
| | | Sanskrit | | Any subject except Sanskrit | | | |
| | | Statistics | | Any subject except Statistics | | | |
| Choice of AECC subject (any one to be chosen) | | | | | | | |
| | | Communicative Assamese | | Communicative English | | | |
| | | Communicative Bengali | | Communicative Hindi | | | |
| | | Communicative Bodo | | ----- | | | |
| B.A. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS | B.A. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS | B.A. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS | | |
| ANTHROPOLOGY | 10 | EDUCATION | 30 | MATHEMATICS | 02 | | |
| ASSAMESE | 40 | ENGLISH | 30 | PHILOSOPHY | 25 | | |
| BENGALI | 10 | GEOGRAPHY | 25 | POLITICAL SCIENCE | 30 | | |
| BODO | 10 | HINDI | 18 | SANSKRIT | 20 | | |
| ECONOMICS | 23 | HISTORY | 25 | STATISTICS | 02 | | |
| 2. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.Sc.) | | | | | | | |
| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | | 300 Seats | | | | | |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | | Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12 th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc. | | | | | |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | | As per merit | | | | | |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | | 55 % in the qualifying examination | | | | | |
| V. SUBJECTS OFFERED: | | Combination of subjects to be taken in 1st Semester | | Honours/ CC subject (any one) + GEC subject (any one) + Communicative English | | | |
| | | Choice of Honours/ CC subjects (any one to be chosen) | | Anthropology | Geology | | |
| | | | | Botany | Physics | | |
| | | | | Chemistry | Mathematics | | |
| | | | | Economics | Statistics | | |
| | | | | Geography | Zoology | | |
| | | Choice of GEC subject (any one to be chosen) | | | | | |
| | | If CC subject is from this list | | Choice of GEC subject (any one) | | | |
| | | Anthropology | Botany | Geography | Zoology | ----- | |
| | | Botany | Anthropology | Chemistry | Zoology | ----- | |
| Chemistry | Math | Physics | ----- | | | | |
| Economics | Math | Statistics | ----- | | | | |
| Geography | Anthropology | Chemistry | Geology | ----- | | | |
| Geology | Chemistry | Geography | Math | Physics | | | |
| Mathematics | Chemistry | Geology | Physics | ----- | | | |
| Physics | Chemistry | Comp. Science | Geology | Math | | | |
| Statistics | Economics | Math | Physics | ----- | | | |
| Zoology | Anthropology | Botany | Chemistry | ----- | | | |

| B.SC. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS | B.SC. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS | B.SC. (HONOURS) | NO. OF SEATS |
|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|
| ANTHROPOLOGY | 15 | GEOGRAPHY | 15 | STATISTICS | 10 |
| BOTANY | 40 | GEOLOGY | 25 | ZOOLOGY | 40 |
| CHEMISTRY | 40 | MATHEMATICS | 30 | | |
| ECONOMICS | 10 | PHYSICS | 35 | | |

3. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.Sc. in COMPUTER SCIENCE) [SELF-FINANCING]

I. ELIGIBILITY: Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc.

II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: As per merit

III. CUT-OFF MARKS: 50 % in the qualifying examination

IV. SUBJECTS OFFERED:

| Choice of GEC subject (any one to be chosen) | | | |
|--|------|---------|------------|
| Choice of GEC subject (any one) | | | |
| Chemistry | Math | Physics | Statistics |

4. BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (B.Com.) [SELF-FINANCING]

I. ELIGIBILITY: Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc.

II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: As per merit

III. CUT-OFF MARKS: 50 % in the qualifying examination

IV. SUBJECTS OFFERED:

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|---|---|
| Combination of subjects to be taken in 1 st Semester | Financial Accounting + Business Law + GEC subject (any one) + Business Communication (English/ Hindi/ MIL-Assamese, MIL-Bengali, MIL-Bodo) |
| | Choice of GEC subject (any one to be chosen) |
| | Micro Economics |
| | Investing in Stock Markets |

5. BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (B.B.A.) [SELF-FINANCING]

I. ELIGIBILITY: Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc.

II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: As per merit

III. CUT-OFF MARKS: 45% in the qualifying examination

6. BACHELOR OF COMPUTER APPLICATION (B.C.A.) [SELF-FINANCING]

I. ELIGIBILITY: Candidates, who have passed the H.S.S.L.C. Examination of Assam Higher Secondary Education Council (A.H.S.E.C.), or any other equivalent 12th standard examination conducted by other bodies, e.g. Central Board of Secondary Education (C.B.S.E), Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (C.I.S.C.E), etc.

II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: As per merit

III. CUT-OFF MARKS: 50 % in the qualifying examination

| OTHER PROGRAMS | NO. OF SEATS | FEES STRUCTURE |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| B.Sc. (Computer Science) | 40 | 12,000 per Semester |
| B.Com. (Honours) | 300 | 8,300 per Semester |
| B.B.A. | 40 | 12,000 per Semester |
| B.C.A. | 30 | 12,000 per Semester |

C. TWO-YEAR (FOUR SEMESTERS) P.G. DEGREE PROGRAMS

1. MASTER OF TOURISM AND MANAGEMENT(M.T.M.)

[SELF-FINANCING]

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | Graduate from any Discipline |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

2. MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.) IN ASSAMESE

[SELF-FINANCING]

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.A. with Major/ Honours in Assamese |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

3. MASTER OF ARTS/ SCIENCE (M.A./ M.SC.) IN ECONOMICS

[SELF-FINANCING]

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|---------------------------------|--|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.A./ B.Sc. with Major/ Honours in Economics |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

4. MASTER OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.SC.) IN ZOOLOGY

[SELF-FINANCING]

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.Sc. with Major/ Honours in Zoology |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

5. MASTER OF MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.SC.) IN GEOLOGY

[SELF-FINANCING]

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.Sc. with Major/ Honours in Geology |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

6. MASTER OF MASTER OF ARTS/ SCIENCE (M.A./ M.SC.) IN GEOGRAPHY

[SELF-FINANCING]

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|---------------------------------|--|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.A./ B.Sc. with Major/ Honours in Geography |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

7. MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.) IN EDUCATION

[SELF-FINANCING]

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| I. ELIGIBILITY: | B.A. with Major/ Honours in Education |
| II. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| III. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |

| P.G. PROGRAMS | NO. OF SEATS | FEES STRUCTURE |
|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------|
| M.T.M. | 30 | 15,000 per Semester |
| M.A. (ASSAMESE) | 50 | 12,000 per Semester |
| M.A./ M.SC. (ECONOMICS) | 20 | 16,000 per Semester |
| M.SC. (ZOOLOGY) | 10 | 22,000 per Semester |
| M.SC. (GEOLOGY) | 10 | 22,000 per Semester |
| M.A./ M.SC. (GEOGRAPHY) | 15 | 22,000 per Semester |
| M.A. EDUCATION | 20 | 18,000 per Semester |

D. ONE-YEAR (TWO SEMESTERS) DIPLOMA PROGRAMS

1. DIPLOMA PROGRAM IN FINE ARTS [SELF-FINANCING]

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| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | 30 |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | 10+2; Students enrolled in any program of the college may pursue this program in addition to their regular program of study |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |
| V. FEES: | Rs. 3000 (per semester) |

2. DIPLOMA PROGRAM IN PERFORMING ARTS [SELF-FINANCING]

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| I. AVAILABILITY OF SEATS: | Hindustani Vocal/ Sattriya Dance/ Kathak Dance: 30 |
| II. ELIGIBILITY: | 10+2; Students enrolled in any program of the college may pursue this program in addition to their regular program of study |
| III. SELECTION PROCEDURE: | As per merit |
| IV. CUT-OFF MARKS: | N.A. |
| V. FEES: | Rs. 3000 (per semester) |

E. DISTANCE EDUCATION PROGRAMS

1. PROGRAMS UNDER K.K. HANDIQUI STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY (KKHSOU)

| P.G. Programs | U.G. Programs |
|------------------|------------------|
| B.A. | M.A. (Assamese) |
| B.Com. | M.A. (English) |
| B.B.A. | M.A. (Sociology) |
| B.C.A. | |

For details contact: Coordinator: Badan Chandra Mahanta
Associate Professor, History Department
Cell: 91010-90915

2. PROGRAMS UNDER INSTITUTE OF DISTANCE AND OPEN LEARNING (IDOL), GAUHATI UNIVERSITY

| P.G. Programs | U.G. Programs | P.G. Diploma Programs |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| M.A. (Assamese) | B.A. (Regular Course) | Computer Application (PGDCA) |
| M.A. (Bengali) | B.Com. (Regular Course) | Business Management (PGDMB) |
| M.A.(Economics) | B.C.A. | Sales & Marketing Management(PGDSMM) |
| M.A.(Education) | B.Sc. (I.T.) | Financial Management (PGDFM) |
| M.A. (English) | | Human Resource Management (PGDHRM) |
| M.A. (History) | | Banking & Financial Services (PGDBFS) |
| M.A. (Mathematics) | | Insurance Management (PGDIM) |
| M.A. (Philosophy) | | |
| M.A. (Political Science) | | |
| M.Com. | | |
| M.Sc. (Economics) | | |
| M.Sc. Mathematics | | |

For details contact: Coordinator: Pradip Chandra Kalita
Assistant Professor, Geography Department
Cell: 98640-42577 Office: 60009-06912

3. PROGRAMS UNDER INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY (IGNOU)

The **Pragjyotish College IGNOU Study Centre** (under IGNOU Guwahati Regional Centre) has been approved vide notification No. *IG/RSD/Estt./LSC/SSC-Notification/2021/6964*, dated 08.06.2021.

| PG Programmes | UG Programmes | Diploma Programmes | Certificate Programmes |
|--|--------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Master of Tourism & Travel Management (MTTM) | B.Sc. in Geology | Diploma in Tourism Studies (DTS) | Certificate in Tourism Studies (CTS) |
| | B.Sc. in Geography | | Certificate in Disaster Management (CDM) |

For Details log into: <http://rcguwahati.ignou.ac.in>

For details contact: Coordinator: **Dr. Amar Jyoti Dutta**

Assistant Professor, Mathematics Department

Cell: 98643-05333





FACILITIES

AMALPRABHA DAS GIRLS' HOSTEL

This hostel is located inside the college campus. Conduct in the hostel is governed by the Hostel Advisory Committee. Students of both UG and PG classes are allowed to stay in the hostel. A lady warden is stationed in the girls' hostel to manage day to day affairs of the hostel. The boarders of hostel are imparted self-defence training courses free of cost within the college premises.

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|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| No. of available Seats | 65 |
| Admission Fees | Rs. 3000 |
| Caution Deposit (Refundable)** | Rs. 3000 |
| Seat Rent | Rs. 2000 (per month) |

*** Caution Money will not be refunded if any student leaves the hostel in the midst of any semester*

Convenor of Hostel Advisory Committee:

Dr. Reena Barman Kalita

Associate Professor & HOD, Botany Department

Warden:

Ms. Aparna Kalita

Phone No: 98643-09350

CO-CURRICULAR AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

In addition to the prescribed courses of study, the college encourages and motivates the students to organize and actively participate in various co-curricular activities such as games and sports, drama, fine-arts, literary and cultural activities, debating, symposium, and so on from time to time.

- **BHARAT SCOUTS AND GUIDES (BSG):** The College has a vibrant BSG unit of Rover Crew and Ranger Team for the boys and girls students respectively, registered under The Bharat Scouts & Guides (BSG), Assam. The unit imparts regular training courses and organizes camping, community and adventure activities throughout the year.

Coordinator:

Dr. Chandra Kant Pawe

Assistant Professor, Geography Department

- **BRIDGE COURSES/ ORIENTATION PROGRAMS:** At the beginning of new academic session, several departments organizes introductory sessions in the form of bridge courses for the newly admitted students, not only for giving them a broad overview of the institution, but also to help them understand the curriculum and broad perspectives of the subject they will be required to study in the next few semesters. The PTNS Library of the college organizes library orientation programs for making the newly admitted students acquainted with the library facilities, provisions and other rules/ regulations.

- **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES:** Various cultural activities are held inside the college campus at different times of the year. Cultural programs are organized in every department on the occasion of departmental freshman social and farewell functions, while a wide spectrum of other such programs are held during the annual College Freshman Social event and the Annual College Week. Activities like folk dance, modern dance, one act plays, street plays, group songs, solo songs etc. are performed in the college campus on various occasions like Annual College Week Festival, Foundation Day, etc. Faculty members of the Performing Arts Department coordinate most of the cultural activities, with logistic support of the PCSU secretary in-charge of cultural affairs.

- **EDUCATIONAL EXCURSIONS, FIELD WORKS AND INSTITUTIONAL VISITS:** Several departments organize these programs and activities for the students. For some subjects, these activities form part of the co-curricular activities. Faculty members from respective departments accompany the student groups during such programs.

- **EXTENSION AND OUTREACH ACTIVITIES:** In order to develop social aptitude of the students, various extension education programs are organized from time to time in the fringe areas of the

institution. These activities are primarily facilitated, coordinated and monitored by the Extension Education Advisory Committee.

Convenor of the Committee:

Dr. Jayanta Deka

Assistant Professor, Zoology Department

- **GAMES AND SPORTS:** The college provide facilities for games like volleyball, badminton, table tennis, carom, chess, etc. There are separate PCSU office bearers for general sports, minor sports, cricket and gymnasium. The indoor games are mostly held within the college campus while some of the outdoor games like kabaddi, football, cricket etc. are played in the Sonaram H.S. School playground. A MoU has been executed with Sonaram Higher Secondary School in this regard. A well-equipped Sports Library has been recently set up, for stock piling various sports equipment. A basket-ball court of size 27.7 metres x 12.70 metres has been developed inside the college campus. A wide range of games and sport events are held during the Annual College Week, under active coordination of PCSU. Students also participate in various other similar events organized by external agencies outside the college campus from time to time. Students are encouraged to participate in collegiate, inter-collegiate, inter-zonal, inter-university, state, national and international level competitions.

- **HEALTH CARE ACTIVITIES:** The college provide amenities for health well-being of the students and staff. A gymnasium hub with modern infrastructural provisions was set up in 2016 under RUSA grants. It caters to the physical well-being issues where membership is also provided to the residents of fringe localities at competitive fees. The **Gymnasium Hub** is under the supervision of a Gymnasium Instructor, who is in charge of collection of member subscription amounts as well as providing workouts instructions to all users. Provision has also been made for yoga classes by experienced instructors, at reasonable fees. Provision for availing martial arts training in the evening hours also exists for the interested students.

- **HOME ASSIGNMENTS AND STUDENT SEMINARS:** Students of several departments are required to submit home assignments and participate in student seminars on topics that are allotted from the syllabus of the concerned semester in which a student is studying.

- **INSTITUTIONAL BIO-TECH HUB:** An Institutional level Bio-tech Hub (IBT-hub) was established in the college in the year 2013 with some sophisticated instruments and apparatus necessary for enhancing hands-on-training skill and to make teaching/learning Biology/Biotechnology/Bioinformatics/Biochemistry etc. more attractive. The IBT-hub was sponsored by DBT, Govt. of India through BCIL and managed by North-East Biotechnology Programme Management Cell.

- **LANGUAGE LABORATORY:** One of the latest additions is the Language Laboratory which has come into existence in 2017 to meet the growing demands of students who are keen to develop their speaking skills, soft skills and personality. Set up on the second floor of the C-Block, the language laboratory includes a hall and a studio-cum-observation room. The air-conditioned laboratory is equipped with 15 multi-media computer sets (provided by RUSA) with headphones. Six language departments viz. Assamese, Bengali, Bodo, English, Hindi and Sanskrit share this laboratory. Each department is free to design and conduct crash courses for improving the language skills, particularly the speaking skills of the students. Moreover, the language departments have plans to jointly conduct some programs and workshops on translation studies.

Coordinator:

Dr. Avijit Kumar Dutta

Assistant Professor, English Department

- **LITERARY ACTIVITIES AND PUBLICATIONS:** The annual college magazine *PRAGJYOTISHIYA* is the springboard for shaping the literary and other creative interests of the students and teachers alike. Articles, creative write-ups, reviews as well as achievements of educational, cultural, social and sports activities of students and teachers of the college are published in this annual mouth-piece. The magazine is edited by a student editor under the guidance and supervision of an Editorial Board. Over and above, several departments publish departmental newsletters on a periodical basis. Every department has their own departmental wall magazines. Almost all departments have individual wall-magazines which serve to portray the literary and creative interests of the students. Several departments publish departmental

newsletters on a periodical basis, which also provides ample opportunity to the departmental students to publish their write-ups.

- **NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC):** The NCC unit of the college is full-fledged, with four different wings viz. Army, Navy, Air and Girls'. Regular training is imparted to the students throughout the year under trained Associate NCC Officers (A.N.O). The cadets participate in various activities and events throughout the year.

| Associate NCC Officer(A.N.O)/ Care Taking Officer (C.T.O) | NCC Wing |
|--|--------------------------|
| C.T.O. Dr. Jyoti Prasad Das | 1 Assam Battalion |
| Sub. Lieutenant. Dr. Bidyut Bikash Baishya | 48 Assam Naval Unit |
| C.T.O. Dr. Pallabi Dutta | 50 Assam Air Sqn. (Fly) |
| C.T.O. Upama Kalita | 60 Assam Girls Battalion |

- **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS):** The NSS was introduced in the college in 1978 with financial aid from Govt. of India. Under this scheme, students render social service in backward rural areas and also undertake adult education programs. NSS volunteers of the college get the opportunities to participate in various social programs, both at the national and international levels.

Programme Officer:

Ms. Nandita Rajbangshi

Assistant Professor & HOD (i/c), Hindi Department

- **PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE STUDENTS' UNION (PCSU):** The PCSU is the general body of the students of the college. Its membership is compulsory for every admitted student of the college. The PCSU has its own distinct Constitution. The office bearers are elected annually through the method of direct voting. Faculty members are nominated for every PCSU office bearer for coordinating and monitoring the allotted activities. To ensure the welfare of the students and to inculcate a culture of democracy on campus, the PCSU works for different varieties of student-centric activities. The PCSU endeavors to foster and promote fraternity, mutual understanding and sense of responsibility among the students through a host of activities. It organizes games and sports, debates, cultural and social activities among the students. The General Freshman Social and Annual College Week of the college is held under the direct coordination of PCSU.

| Sl. No. | Name of PCSU Office Bearers (for the session 2021-22) | PCSU Portfolio | Teacher In-Charge |
|---------|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | Vacant | President | Vacant |
| 2 | Vacant | Vice President | Vacant |
| 3 | Vacant | General Secretary | Vacant |
| 4 | Vacant | Assistant General Secretary | Vacant |
| 5 | Vacant | Assistant General Secretary (Girls) | Vacant |
| 6 | Vacant | General Sports Secretary | Vacant |
| 7 | Vacant | Minor Sports Secretary | Vacant |
| 8 | Vacant | Cricket Secretary | Vacant |
| 9 | Vacant | Gymnasium Secretary | Vacant |
| 10 | Vacant | Debate & Symposium Secretary | Vacant |
| 11 | Vacant | Music Secretary | Vacant |
| 12 | Vacant | Editor, College Magazine | Vacant |
| 13 | Vacant | Social Service Secretary | Vacant |
| 14 | Vacant | Girls' Common Room Secretary | Vacant |
| 15 | Vacant | Boys' Common Room Secretary | Vacant |
| 16 | Vacant | Cultural Secretary | Vacant |

- **RED RIBBON CLUB (RRC):** The RRC was introduced in the college in 2009 with financial aid from the AIDS Control Society, Govt. of Assam. The club is associated with various awareness activities.

Coordinator:

Dr. Jayanta Deka

Assistant Professor, Zoology Department

- **YOUTH RED CROSS (under IRCS):** The Pragjyotish College unit of YRC has been formed in 2019. The objective of the society is to provide relief in times of disasters/ emergencies and also to promote health and care of the vulnerable people and communities.

Coordinator:

Ms. Seema Kaur

Assistant Professor, Zoology Department

DAY CARE CENTRE CUM REST ROOM FOR DIFFERENTLY-ABLED

Inaugurated in 2012, the Day Care Centre has been providing basic amenities to working mothers, especially lady teachers and women employees of the college, for taking care of their infants and minor children during working hours.

In-Charge:

Ms. Priyanka Sarmah

Associate Professor, English Department

EXAMINATION SICK ROOM

This particular facility is meant for providing a comfortable ambience for those students who are physically unwell at the time of appearing for the theory papers in different academic examinations. Students are allowed to sit inside this room and appear for the examination under supervision of designated supervisors.

FIRST-AID CENTRE

This centre is under direct supervision of the Health Care Promotion and Maintenance Committee. It provides basic infrastructure for any individual who suddenly falls ill or meets with accidents while within the campus. It serves as a temporary measure to provide first-aid facilities until expert medical supervision is arranged, if required for the affected individual.

In-Charge:

Ms. Priyanka Sarmah

Associate Professor, English Department

INFORMATION AND CAREER GUIDANCE CELL (ICGC)

The ICGC of the college was constituted in 2001 with the following aims and objectives:

- 1) To provide information regarding higher study options and careers
- 2) To create awareness about self-employment and entrepreneurship career options
- 3) To provide basic information about opportunities for self-employment and entrepreneurship and support system available
- 4) To provide assistance to students for recruitment in various organizations from time to time
- 5) To provide job-oriented training to students seeking jobs

Coordinator:

Ms. Dipika Roy Medhi

Vice Principal and Associate Professor & HOD, Philosophy Department





PANDIT TIRTHANATH SARMA LIBRARY

History: The PTNS Library was established in 1954 by Pandit Tirthanath Sarma, the founder principal and an eminent scholar, in a tiny room attached to his office at Sonaram H.S. School with a modest collection of about 150 books. In 1963, the library was run in one room with a collection of 700 books. The library developed continuously and it was shifted to its own permanent building in 1991. At that time, the library collection was nearly 35,000 books. The college library was named after Pandit Tirthanath Sarma on February 24, 1995. Since its inception, the college library is striving for providing maximum support to the students as well as teachers in the teaching learning process. The library is very rich in terms of collection of Assamese and Sanskrit Literature. Presently, the library is running with Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) Technology. The library is linked up with INFLIBNET. Besides other modern services, the Pandit Tirthanath Sarma Library provides access to e-journals facilities to its users through the program entitled National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content (N-LIST) under National Mission on Education. The entire first floor of the library building is presently running on solar power system.

Library Timings: The library remains open in all working days. Even during summer and winter breaks, the library remains open.

Library Hours: 9:30 am–4:30 pm

Book Issue Timings: 10:00 am–4:00 pm

Library Membership: Library membership is given to all students, teachers, and other staff of the college only.

Library Cards: Smart Library Cards are provided to all the members of the library. These cards are mandatory to enter the library. The digital attendance system of the library also operates with the smart library cards. Students can borrow and return library books through the self-service kiosks by using these smart library cards.

U.G. students having Major/Honours subjects can borrow **four** books at a time.

U.G. students of general course can borrow **two** books at a time.

H.S., B.B.A., B.C.A., M.A., M.Sc. and M.T.M. students can borrow **two** books at a time.

Book Bank: A book bank, sponsored and financed by the UGC has been maintained by the college since 1971. Poor and meritorious students are provided with books from the book bank for a complete academic session.

Library Services:

1. Operating with Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC)
2. Borrowing and returning of library books with the help of self-service kiosks
3. Wi-Fi connectivity covering the entire library building
4. Provision of reprographic service at nominal costs
5. Facility for renewal and reservation of important books

6. Digital display of current books and journal stock
7. Display of current journals and magazines in the reading room
8. Providing documents on career development
9. Provision of user orientation programs for both teachers and students
10. Entire library building covered under CCTV surveillance

Library Collection:

Books: 60,386

Journals subscription: 16

Magazine subscription: 05

Newspaper subscription: 14 (both regional and national)

e-Journals and e-books: Membership of N-LIST, linkage with NDL, NSDL, DOAJ, etc.

Reading Room cum Reference Section: The library has a spacious and well-equipped modern reading room accommodating about 72 students and a separate reading corner for teachers. Newspapers and periodicals are displayed in the reading room. Journals, magazines, periodicals and reference books are issued for use inside the reading room only. The library has a very good collection of dictionaries and encyclopaedias in the reference section.

Special Service: The library has a United Nations Library Corner which contains lots of valuable and rare publications of UNESCO, WHO, etc. There are two reference corners in the library – North East India reference corner and Pandit Tirthanath Sarma reference corner, for advance learners. The family of Late Pandit Tirthanath Sarma donated his valuable collection of books to the library. Maximum books of this collection pertain to Sanskrit and English literature. In this collection, a lot of rare and old books are available, which caters to the needs of learners with special interests. The library has a good collection of books for career guidance. The library is very rich in reference books viz. encyclopaedias, dictionaries, bound periodicals, record books, atlases, handbooks, etc.

Librarian:

Shri Unindajyoti Choudhury

E-mail: librarian@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in



PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE CANTEEN

The college has a canteen that provides various snacks and other food items to students, teachers, employees and visitors at reasonable prices, being monitored through a Canteen Monitoring Committee. The canteen functions on a lease basis with private partners. A Grievance Redressal Form to address grievance issues related to the canteen services and products is available with the canteen proprietor (also available in the college website in the Downloads section).

Convenor, Canteen Monitoring Committee:

Dr. Namita Das

Associate Professor & HoD, Economics Department

STUDENTS' TRAVEL CONCESSION

Students may avail themselves of travel concession as stipulated by the railway authorities on their way home from the institution and back during vacations (Summer Vacation and Durga Puja Vacation) and educational tours. The Railway Concession Form is available in the college office. Students who are in need of this form are required to apply in plain paper to the Principal, stating reasons thereof.

STUDENTS' WELFARE FUND

The college maintains a Students' Welfare Fund to provide financial help to the poor and deserving students. Such students may apply for financial help in plain paper to the Principal. Funds will be disbursed to the deserving students, subject to availability of funds.



Executive Committee members of Guardians' Forum visit to departments



Inauguration of Keshab Ram Deka Memorial Herbal Medicinal Garden

✚ IN-HOUSE WINGS

ADMISSION COMMITTEE

A fresh Admission Committee is constituted in every academic year to monitor and regulate all student admission matters. The committee deals with the tasks of standardization of marks for candidates coming from different boards/ councils etc., prepares the merit lists and monitors the entire admission process in different programs. All decisions taken by the committee regarding admission matters is final and binding upon all concerned.

Members of the Admission Committee (2021–22 Session)

| Chairperson | | | |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta Principal | | | |
| Advisory Members | | | |
| Sl. | Name | Designation | Department |
| 1 | Dr. Reena Barman Kalita | Associate Professor & HoD | Botany |
| 2 | Dr. Nandini Sarma | Associate Professor | History |
| Convenor (Contact: 70860-84898) | | | |
| | Dr. Shampa Choudhury | Associate Professor & HoD | Mathematics |
| Joint Convenors | | | |
| 1 | Dr. Jyotirmoy Sengupta | Associate Professor & HoD | Bengali |
| 2 | Dr. Priyam Barthakur | Associate Professor & HoD | Geology |
| 3 | Dr. Baikuntha Rajbongshi | Associate Professor & HoD | Assamese |
| Members | | | |
| 1 | Niva Deka | Associate Professor | Philosophy |
| 2 | Dr. Pranita Goswami | Associate Professor & HoD | Statistics |
| 3 | Badan Chandra Mahanta | Associate Professor | History |
| 4 | Saroj Sarma | Associate Professor & HoD | Chemistry |
| 5 | Bishwajyoti Dev Mahanta | Associate Professor | History |
| 6 | Dr. Dipali Baruah | Associate Professor & HoD | Geography |
| 7 | Seema Kaur | Assistant Professor & HoD i/c | Zoology |
| 8 | Dr. Anjali Devi | Assistant Professor | Sanskrit |
| 9 | Pradip Chandra Kalita | Assistant Professor | Geography |
| 10 | Dr. Amar Jyoti Dutta | Assistant Professor | Mathematics |
| 11 | Amit Kumar Pradhan | Assistant Professor | Botany |
| 12 | Dr. Gangotri Bhuyan | Assistant Professor | Anthropology |
| 13 | Mukunda Kalita | Contractual Faculty | Economics |
| 14 | Jiten Sonowal | Contractual Faculty | E-Commerce & IT |
| 15 | Monojit Kalita | Contractual Faculty | Accountancy |
| 16 | Nayan Mahanta | Contractual Faculty | Computer Science |

ANTI-RAGGING COMMITTEE

This committee is in charge of monitoring, prevention and handling all forms of ragging that may come to notice or are being reported by any affected student of the college. Any student who suffers or undergoes any form of physical, mental or other forms of violence may immediately report to any of the following members for proper disciplinary action. The committee is empowered to make surprise raids in the hostel premises, boys and girls common rooms, college canteen or any other vulnerable spot and impose punitive and other forms of disciplinary measures on any offender, as considered to be appropriate.

Members of the Committee (2021–22 Session)

| Sl. | Name | Designation | Capacity | Contact Details |
|-----|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|--|
| 1 | Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta | Principal | Chairperson | Ph: 98649-80654, 94353-11498 E-mail: principal@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 2 | Dipika Roy Medhi | Associate Professor | Adviser | Ph: 95081-33336 E-mail: dipika@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 3 | Dr. Baikuntha Rajbongshi | Associate Professor | Convenor | Ph: 94351-03320 E-mail: baikuntha@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
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| 5 | Badan Chandra Mahanta | Associate Professor | Member | Ph: 91010-90915 E-mail: badanmahanta@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 6 | Dr. Jayanta Deka | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 98640-63325 E-mail: jayantadeka@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 7 | Pradip Chandra Kalita | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 91011-89216 E-mail: pradip@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 8 | Dr. Avijit Kumar Dutta | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 86383-81801 E-mail: abhijitdutta@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 9 | Dr. Jyoti Prasad Das | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 98540-73793 E-mail: jpdas@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 10 | Dr. Priti Baishya | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 96788-85119 E-mail: pritibaishya@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 11 | Dr. Sabrina Iqbal Sircar | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 98645-11433 E-mail: sabrina@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 12 | Vacant | President, PCSU | Member | Vacant |
| 13 | Vacant | General Secretary, PCSU | Member | Vacant |
| 14 | Vacant | PCSU | Member | Vacant |

DEPARTMENTAL ADVISORY COMMITTEES (DAC)

The DACs comprises of faculty members, student and guardian representatives. The departmental guardian representatives are executive members of PCGF. Composition of DACs of individual departments may be viewed in the institutional website. The DAC composition is renewed after the fresh admission process is completed every year.

INTERNAL COMPLAINTS COMMITTEE (ICC)

The ICC has been constituted in the college as per *UGC (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulation, 2015*. The ICC is meant to address complaints from women students, teaching and non-teaching members on matters of sexual harassment and ensure support services to the victims.

Members of ICC

| Sl. | Name | Designation | Capacity | Contact Details |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--|
| 1 | Dr. Reena Barman Kalita | Associate Professor | Presiding Officer | Ph: 94351-43041 E-mail: reenabkalita@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 2 | Dipika Roy Medhi | Associate Professor | Faculty Member | Ph: 95081-33336 E-mail: dipika@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 3 | Dr. Shampa Choudhury | Associate Professor | Faculty Member | Ph: 70860-84898 E-mail: cshampa@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 4 | Unindajyoti Choudhury | Librarian | Staff Member | Ph: 98640-81828 E-mail: librarian@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |
| 5 | Nikunja Das | UDA | Staff Member | Ph: 97067-88901 E-mail: office@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |

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|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--|
| 6 | Dharitri Deka | Student (4 th Sem) | Student Member | Ph: 69004-38400 E-mail:dharitri1222@gmail.com |
| 7 | Jubita Deka | Student (2 nd Sem) | Student Member | Ph: 70868-80854 E-mail:jubitadeka4981@gmail.com |
| 8 | Priyangki Sarmah | Student (2 nd Sem) | Student Member | Ph: 60004-59280 E-mail:priyangkisarmah.bsc.319.prag@gmail.com |
| 9 | Bibhashree Deka | Lawyer | NGO Member | Ph: 87219-01576, 98648-57699 E-mail:bibhashreed@gmail.com |

PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (PCAA)

Although the PCAA has been in existence from a couple of years back, it has been registered under the Registration of Societies Act XXI of 1860 on 30.05.2019. Since then, it is acting as one of the important stakeholders of the college, and has been carrying out activities in joint mode with the IQAC, PCGF and PCRTF. Departmental level alumni cells have also been constituted in several departments of the college, which are involved in various activities like tree plantation programs, book donations, donation of utility furniture, monetary grants, etc.

PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE GUARDIANS' FORUM (PCGF)

The caretaker body of this forum was created on 09.03.2019, under active initiation of the IQAC, to carry forward the anticipated missions and objectives of the forum. Guardian representatives from every academic department (in the capacity as member of Departmental Advisory Committee) are executive members of this forum. The members of the forum participate in various institutional activities and events from time to time.

PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE PUBLICATION HUB (PCPH)

The Pragjyotish College Publication Hub (PCPH) has been set up in 2016, for bringing out a series of valuable publications. In the first phase, it has successfully published seven-volumes of the century-old *Asom Keshori* Ambikagiri Rai Choudhury's *Chetana* in book form. The PCPH has ambitious plans to bring several other good quality publications in the near future. A multi-lingual, multi-disciplinary, and peer-reviewed annual research journal titled *Prag Consilience* has been published by the Pragjyotish College Research Council since 2016. The aim of this journal is to provide a platform to scholars and academics for publishing their research outcomes.

PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE RETIRED TEACHERS' FORUM (PCRTF)

The PCRTF was established under active initiation of a section of retired teachers and principals of the college. The seed money for running the activities of this forum has been raised through voluntary contributions amongst the members. The members of the forum participate in various institutional activities and events, and have also organized a few independent socially-relevant activities.

PRAGJYOTISH COLLEGE WOMEN STUDY CENTRE (PCWSC)

The Pragjyotish College Women Study Centre (PCWSC) was constituted in 2002 with an aim to uplift the status of women in the society. Many women-related issues with special reference to the weaker section of the society and girl students of the college are taken care of by the centre. The PCWSC has been involved in generating sensitivity amongst staff and girl students on various gender-related issues. It has been playing an important role in generating healthy social, physical and psychological awareness through various activities. It takes active initiative in organizing various interactive sessions and talks from time to time, with a view to create awareness on gender sensitization.

PROSPECTUS COMMITTEE

Members of the Committee (2021–22 Session)

| Sl. | Name | Designation | Capacity |
|-----|---------------------------|---------------------|----------|
| 1 | Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar | Associate Professor | Convenor |
| 2 | Dr. Jayanta Deka | Assistant Professor | Member |
| 3 | Monali Ghosh Dastider | Assistant Professor | Member |
| 4 | Nayan Mahanta | Contractual Faculty | Member |

ROUTINE COMMITTEE

Members of the Committee (2021–22 Session)

| Sl. | Name | Designation | Capacity |
|-----|-------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Dr. Manoj Kumar Mahanta | Principal | Chairperson |
| 2 | Dr. Priyam Barthakur | Associate Professor | Advisor |
| 3 | Dr. Jyotirmoy Sengupta | Associate Professor | Advisor |
| 4 | Nabadeep Das | Associate Professor | Convenor |
| 5 | Dr. Abhijit Dutta | Assistant Professor | Member |
| 6 | Dr. Jayanta Deka | Assistant Professor | Member |
| 7 | Dr. Amar Jyoti Dutta | Assistant Professor | Member |
| 8 | Manojit Kalita | Contractual Faculty | Member |
| 9 | Gaurav Das | Contractual Faculty | Member |

RTI CELL

This cell is meant to implement the various provisions that are embodied in The Right to Information Act, 2005. All RTI queries related to the college is addressed through this cell within the stipulated time framework.

Members of the Cell (2021–22 Session)

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| 4 | Dr. Amar Jyoti Dutta | Assistant Professor | Member | Ph: 98643-05333 E-mail: amar@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in |





DEPARTMENTAL PROFILES

1. ANTHROPOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1993

Departmental e-mail ID: anthropology@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours) and TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 10 B.Sc. (Honours): 15

Selection Procedure for Honours: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Mayuri Borkataky | Assistant Professor & HoD (i/c) | B.A. in Anthropology (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Anthropology (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Advanced Physical Anthropology | 23 |
| Dr. Gangotri Bhuyan | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Anthropology (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Anthropology (Andhra Univ.); Ph.D. (NEHU); Spcl: Social and Cultural Anthropology | 3 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a small library with a modest collection of books, journals and bulletins for partial catering to the needs of the students. Laboratory equipment such as original tools of the Prehistoric period; models and original human bones for anatomical study; Dermatoglyphic equipment; Serological (Blood grouping) equipment; different instruments are available in the department for taking anthropometric measurements. There are a good number of material culture collections.

Activities: Every year the department organizes field work in rural areas and conducts demographic survey and study about the life ways of the rural people. The teachers give guidance and supervise the field trip. The department organizes museum visit which also forms a part of the syllabus. Talks and workshops by eminent resource persons are organized every year for the benefit of the students. The Major/ Honours students update the wall-magazine namely *Antarikhya* and takes initiative in the publication of an annual newsletter titled *Unigration*. Students present class seminars as a part of syllabus. To encourage the students, the department organizes award-giving programs for the university toppers and first-class holders. Online classes are also organised by the department via Zoom Cloud meetings, Google Classroom and Meet. An Alumni Association was formed in the academic session 2019-20.

Achievements: The department has shown remarkable performance both in Higher Secondary and degree level examinations. Every year, students obtain letter marks in the H.S. examination. From this department, state highest was also obtained by a student. In the year 2019, Nandini Deka of TDC arts stream secured First-class First position, whereas from the TDC science stream Darshana Das secured First-class Second position and Grace Rosangpui Khowbang secured First Class Third position in the final year examination. In the last year 2020, Prerana Das and Priyanka Rajbongshi of TDC Arts stream secured First-class First position and First-class Second position respectively in the final examination.

2. ASSAMESE DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: assamese@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

PG: M.A.

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 40
M.A. : 50

Selection Procedure for Honours: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Baikuntha Rajbongshi | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Group-A (Literature) | 27 |
| Dr. Kalpana Talukdar | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A. (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Group-B (Language) | 22 |
| Dr. Indrani Kalita | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A. (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Group-B (Language) | 22 |
| Dr. Karabi Kherkatary Boro | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl:Group-B (Language) | 13 |
| Dr. Surabhi Madhuri Gogoi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Assamese (Dib. Univ.); M.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl:Group-A (Literature) | 9 |
| Golap Sut | Contractual Faculty (P.G.) | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); NET; Spcl: Group-B (Language) | 18 |
| One Sanctioned Post Vacant | | | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: A departmental library with 550 books including journals and manuscripts caters to the needs of the students. The department has one conference-cum-classroom.

Activities: Students of the undergraduate Major/Honours program as well as P.G. are required to present seminar talks and home assignments in every Semester on topics included in their respective syllabus. Field works are conducted every year for the 6th semester U.G. students. Students are engaged in departmental activities like publication of wall magazine. There is ample scope for the students to participate in different socio-cultural activities. A NET/SLET coaching had been organized by the department for the P.G. students in the last academic session. A branch of *Asam Sahitya Sabha* functions from the department.

Achievements: The department has achieved recognition for a large number of rare publications on different aspects of language and literature. Former students of the department are absorbed in different fields, viz. education, media, etc. International conferences have been organized by the department in collaboration with *Asom Kalatirtha*.

3. BENGALI DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: bengali@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

No. of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 10

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Jyotirmoy Sengupta | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in Bengali (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Bengali (Gau. Univ.) <i>Gold Medalist</i> ; Ph.D. (Assam Univ.); Spcl: Bengali Literature (Group-A) | 28 |
| One Sanctioned Post Vacant | | | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a library from where students may borrow books. The department also has a *Little Magazine Study and Research Centre* from where students may borrow journals, magazines, etc. Major/Honours students are provided with computer learning facilities, especially Bengali software (typing, editing and formatting) and course related to internet browsing. Extra tutorial classes are taken. Utmost care is taken by the teachers for future development of students. Departmental Guardian Forum WhatsApp group and Students WhatsApp groups are active. It also runs M.A. class in Bengali under I.D.O.L. (G.U.).

Activities: The department arranges talks, lectures, workshops, etc. every year in different dimensions to cater to the needs of the society. UGC-sponsored national seminars and international webinars had been organized by the department. Online tutorial care is also a part of departmental activities.

Achievements: The success rate in B.A. final examinations has been 100% for last 10 years. It has periodically been publishing a magazine titled *North East Little Magazine Review*. Other publications are also acclaimed by the learned society. The departmental alumni get engaged themselves in various sectors like teaching, journalism (print/electronic), etc. after completing the Honours program in Bengali. In C.B.C.S. system, students surely have greater opportunities to be self-employed after completion of the U.G. program. Two students of the department had obtained 1st class 1st and 1st class 2nd positions in the TDC final examination of 2019. *Pourbik* is the alumni association of our department.

4. BODO DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2002

Departmental e-mail ID: bodo@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

No. of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 10

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Nirmal Singh Boro | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.A. in Gen. Course (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Bodo (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Language | 15 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: A departmental library with a modest number of books and journals caters to the needs of the students.

Activities: Students are engaged in departmental activities like the release of departmental wall magazine, organising freshmen social, student seminars, etc. The Pragjyotish College branch of *The Bodo Literary Society* is engaged in various socio-cultural works and activities. **The society completed 25 years in 2021. It was established in 1997. 2021 is the Silver jubilee year of the Bodo literary society.**

Achievements: The department has a yearly publication titled *Pragjyotishani Sanshri*. Departmental alumni were absorbed in different fields of work viz. education, banking sector and in paramilitary forces and in other private sectors.

5. BOTANY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1963

Departmental e-mail ID: botany@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours)

No. of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 40

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Reena Barman Kalita | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Microbiology | 28 |
| Dr. Ranjan Kumar Bora | Associate Professor | B.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Plant Physiology and Biochemistry | 26 |
| Amit Kumar Pradhan | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Life Science (Assam University); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Plant Molecular Biology and Biochemistry | 2 |
| Himadri Saikia | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Assam Univ.); SLET; GATE; B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); PG Diploma in Bioinformatics (Assam Univ.); Spcl: Cytology, Genetics and Plant Breeding | 2 |
| Two Sanctioned Posts Vacant | | | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has two laboratories, ICT- enabled classrooms and a smart classroom cum seminar hall. There is a departmental library with adequate number of textbooks, reference books and e-resource facility. Besides, there is one departmental museum (with a collection of orchid germplasm and a collection of specimens with botanical importance including indigenous rice varieties, bamboo species etc.,) cum computer application laboratory with bioinformatics facility. It also has a tissue culture laboratory where a Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) sponsored major project is currently under progress.

A medicinal garden, Keshab Ram Deka Herbal Medicinal garden, has been established by the department in the year 2021 with the aim to create awareness among the students about our

indigenous valuable medicinal plant resources.

Activities: The department regularly conducts field studies, seminars, invited talks and hands-on training programs. Since 2010, the department has been celebrating the World Environment Day.

Achievements: Students of the department have been securing first class in the final examinations since 1996. Alumni of the department are placed in various colleges as faculty, in organizations like ICAR, Indian Navy, and Assam Forest Department, Assam Police, etc. Students of the department have also cleared the NET/SLET examination and are engaged in research work in various organizations.

6. BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2007

Departmental e-mail ID: businessadministration@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: UG: Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)

No. of Seats: 40

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Diganta Talukdar | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Com. in Management (Gau. Univ.); MBA (Visvesvaraya Tech. Univ.); Spcl: Marketing | 12 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has its own library for students and books are allotted accordingly.

Activities: The department focuses on all round development of the students. Students are encouraged to participate in group discussions, seminars, debating and other competitions for accumulating knowledge and skills. Moreover, students are also encouraged to face campus interviews which are conducted by the college.

Achievements: A good number of students have achieved First Class in their graduation from the inception of the department. Students are well placed in many government organizations like Indian Railways, ONGC, Canara Bank, Bank of Baroda, etc. as well as in corporate houses.

Department Coordinator: Prof. Champa Choudhury, HoD Mathematics

7. CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1960

Departmental e-mail ID: chemistry@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours & Generic)

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 40

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Saroj Sarma | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.) <i>Gold Medalist</i> ; Spcl: Physical Chemistry | 24 |
| Dr. Satya Sandhya Das | Associate Professor | B.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Organic Chemistry | 22 |
| Dr. Bagmita Bhagawati | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.) <i>Gold Medalist</i> ; | 16 |

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| | | NET (LS); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.) B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Organic Chemistry | |
| Dr. Parashmani Das | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.) Spcl: Physical Chemistry | 13 |
| Dr. Saitanya Kr Bharadwaj | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (IIT, Guw.) Post. Doc. (Mississippi Univ., USA); Post. Doc. (Technical Univ. of Munich, Germany); NET (JRF); GATE; Spcl: Inorganic Chemistry | 8 |
| Dr. Priyakshree Borthakur | Assistant Professor | B. Sc. in Chemistry (Dib. Univ.); M.Sc. in Chemistry (Dib. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; NET(LS); SET; Ph.D. (AcSIR, CSIR-NEIST, Assam); Spcl: Physical Chemistry | 1 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: There is a departmental library for the students. Three computer sets, one LCD projector and one smart classroom are available. Laboratory is equipped with some basic instruments for performing general chemical analyses. UV-visible spectrophotometer has been purchased (under RUSA scheme) through which advanced physicochemical characteristics can be done.

Activities: The departmental wall magazine ψ (*Psi*) is published on a yearly basis. Departmental seminars, get-togethers as well as study tours are organized from time to time. One major research project funded by the DST, Govt. of India, has been completed recently in the department. Students' interaction with eminent scholars is organized occasionally. Students enthusiastically participate in different competitions organized both within and outside the college campus. The department donated some books to the central library for greater benefit of the students. A newsletter *Boson* has been publishing for last four years. A departmental forum *Dhatu (The Metal)* exists for carrying out different activities like magic show with experiments on the occasion of National Science Day. We also celebrate World Environment Day on 5th June every year. In 2021, we organized a webinar on the occasion of World Environment Day. An educational video on "Introduction of Laboratory Instrument" was recorded by our major students and uploaded in the college website for the benefit of other students. We are planning to record few more videos on chemistry experiment for better understanding and creating interest towards science, especially chemistry.

Achievements: Major students secure First Class in the B Sc. final examinations almost every year. Students from this department clear JAM (Joint Admission for Masters) every year. Alumni of the department completed MSc in IIT Guwahati, and IIT Madras after qualifying the IIT-JAM exam. Students have also secured positions in other reputed institutions like NIT-Meghalaya, NIT-Sikkim, Sikkim University, Tezpur University, Bangalore University etc. Students also visit nationally renowned institutes through summer research fellowships, NIUS scholarships, etc. every year. Some brilliant students from our department are pursuing research studies in different universities and institutes across the country. Research papers are published by our faculty members in leading journals on a regular basis.

8. COMMERCE STREAM DEPARTMENTS

Year of Establishment: 2003

Departmental e-mail ID: deptofcommerceprag@gmail.com

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Commerce

UG: TDC Commerce (Honours)

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

Details of Departments:

ACCOUNTANCY:

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Manisha Dutta | Contractual Faculty | B.Com. in Accountancy (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Accounting & Finance (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); SLET Spcl: Accounting and Finance | 10 |
| Uddipta Nayan Medhi | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Com. in Accountancy (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Accounting & Finance (Gau. Univ.); M.B.A. in Marketing & Management (KKHSO Univ.) Spcl: Accounting & Finance; Marketing & Management | 9 |
| Manojit Kalita | Contractual Faculty | B.Com. in Accountancy (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Accounting & Finance (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Accounting & Finance | 9 |
| Binti Dihingia | Contractual Faculty | B.Com. in Accountancy (Dib. Univ.); M.Com.in Accountancy (Dib. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Accountancy | 15 |

E-COMMERCE & IT:

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Himadree Das | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.C.A. (IGNOU); Spcl: E-Commerce & IT | 16 |
| Jiten Sonowal | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.A. in Gen. Course (Gau. Univ.); M.C.A. (IGNOU); Spcl: Application Software | 9 |

FINANCE:

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|
| Nilakshi Boro | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c); Jt. Stream in-Charge | B.Com. in Accountancy (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Finance (Gau. Univ.); NET (JRF); SLET; Spcl: Finance | 13 |
| Upama Kalita | Contractual Faculty | B.Com. in Finance (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Accounting & Finance (Gau. Univ.); L.L.B. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Finance | 7 |

MANAGEMENT:

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Gaurav Das | Contractual Faculty | B.Com.in Management (Gau. Univ.); M.Com. in Human Resource (Gau. Univ.); NET; M.B.A . in Marketing & Finance (ICFAI); L.L.B. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Marketing & Human Resource | 13 |
| Bipasha Das | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Com. in Management (Gau. Univ.); M.Com.in Management & Marketing (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Marketing & Human Resource | 9 |

ASSAMESE (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Minakshi Devi | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Assamese (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Group-A (Literature) | 11 |

BENGALI (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Surajit Saha | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in Bengali (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Bengali (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl:Group-A (Bengali Literature) | 12 |

ECONOMICS (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|
| Mukunda Kalita | Contractual Faculty; Jt. Stream in-Charge | B.A. in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Madurai Kamaraj Univ.); Spcl: Econometrics | 17 |

ENGLISH (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Shyamolim Gauratra | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in English (Univ. of Pune); M.A.in English (Univ. of Pune); B.Ed. (Guru Ghasidas Univ.); M.Ed. (Guru Ghasidas Univ.) Spcl: English Literature | 14 |
| Kabita Medhi | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in English (Pune Univ.); M.Phil. (Pune Univ.); Spcl: American and Indian Literature | 16 |

HINDI (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
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| Dr. Monalisha Chakraborty | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Hindi (SNDT Women's Univ.); SLET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 16 |
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MATHEMATICS (COMMERCE):

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Dimpy Barman | Contractual Faculty | B.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Vinayaka Missions Univ.); Spcl: Pure Mathematics | 14 |

Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement

Facilities: The Commerce Stream has been allocated into different departments and each department has its own library facility with sufficient books for the students. The department has its own computer lab with internet access for enhancing the knowledge and skill.

Activities: The department focuses on all round development of the students. Students are encouraged to participate in extracurricular activities like debating, quiz, sports, seminars, etc. that help them sharpen their skills to face the challenges of the present situation. Students can avail themselves of campus interviews for getting jobs in reputed companies.

Achievements: Many students have managed to get 80% in different subjects. Students passed out from the institution are studying in many reputed institutions like Gauhati University, Tezpur University, IIM (Ranchi), etc. Our students are also placed in many reputed Government and corporate houses like SBI, Assam Gramin Vikash Bank, Union Bank of India, Indian Railways, Reliance Industries, Airtel, Vodafone, etc.

9. COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2003

Departmental e-mail ID: computerscience@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in, bca@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours)

Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA) [Honours]

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 40 BCA (Honours): 30

Selection Procedure for B.Sc. (Honours): On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

Selection Procedure for BCA: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission. The candidate must have passed Higher Secondary or equivalent level examination from **Science or Arts**, with **Mathematics** as one of the subjects at the Higher Secondary level. Students who have passed the Higher Secondary examination from **Science** with **Computer Science and Mathematics** as one of the subjects obtaining minimum pass mark in the subject should be given preference at the time of admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| Dr. Masih Saikia | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Sc. in Physics (Gauhati University); M.C.A. (Manonmaniam Sundaranar Univ.); M.Tech. in I.T. (Karnataka State Open Univ.); M.Phil. in Computer Science (Periyar Univ.); | 17 |

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| | | Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | |
| Monoj Kumar Haloi | Contractual Faculty | B.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); L.L.B. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 13 |
| Ainul Matin Choudhury | Contractual Faculty | B.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); M.Tech. in I.T. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 11 |
| Nayan Mahanta | Contractual Faculty & BCA i/c | B.C.A. (Gau. Univ.); M.C.A. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 8 |
| Syeda Shamim Shabnam | Contractual Faculty, BCA | B.Sc. in Geology (Dib. Univ.); M.C.A. (Dib. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 7 |
| Nibedita Das | Contractual Faculty, BCA | B.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); M.C.A. (NEHU); Spcl: xxx | 7 |
| Pinki Pathak | Contractual Faculty, BCA | B.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Computer Science (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 4 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

History: The department established in 2003, has completed seventeen years of glorious existence.

Facilities: The department has one air-conditioned computer lab facility. The computer systems run on wide variety of operating systems, including Linux, Windows, etc. The labs are equipped with up-to-date DBMS packages, Tally accounting package, Web Servers & Browsers, Assembly Language Programming Kit for Intel-8085 Microprocessors, Compilers and programming environments.

Activities: Preparing students for mock interviews, software modelling and off-campus sessions, and various personality development programs are rendered for greater benefit of the students. Specialized classes and laboratory sessions are conducted by esteemed and experienced faculty members, keeping a view on the benchmark of the department. Students are encouraged to participate at different seminars and workshops, both at the state and at the national level. The department has been conducting online classes via different modes like, Google Classroom, Zoom Cloud meetings, WhatsApp, college website, etc.

Achievements: More than 100 students have achieved first class in their graduation. Many of the passed-out students are engaged in various reputed institutions, organizations and offices.

10. ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: economics@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in
prageconomics@gmail.com

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts
UG: TDC Arts (Honours) and TDC Science (Honours)
PG: M.A./ M.Sc.

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 23 B.Sc. (Honours): 10 M.A. / M.Sc.: 20

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Namita Das | Associate Professor | B.A. in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Economics (Gau. Univ.) <i>Gold Medalist;</i> | 25 |

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|----|
| | | Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.) Spcl: Econometrics | |
| Dr. Ira Das | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Economics (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; NET, JRF; Ph.D. (IIT, Guw.); Spcl: Econometrics | 22 |
| Dr. Bidyut Bikash Baishya | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Economics (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Economics (Pune Univ.); M.Phil. (Madurai Kamaraj Univ.); Ph.D. (Assam Univ.) Spcl: Econometrics | 13 |

One Sanctioned Post Vacant

Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of UG & PG classes

Facilities: Major students are lent books from the departmental library, which has a collection of 447 books and journals. The students are allowed access to the departmental computers and internet facilities. Internet access is given to the students to make them aware about the digital library and its use. Students are given membership of the *Economic Planning Forum*, established in 1964, through which co-curricular/ extra-curricular activities are conducted. Students are encouraged to contribute to the department's wall magazine *OIKONOMIA* and department's e- magazine *E- PRAGONOMIST*. An important aspect of the department has been the publication of its newsletter *Arthabarta*. A significant step has been the establishment of the ENVIRONMENT CARE SOCIETY under the initiative of the students of the Economics Department. The department has a smart class room constructed from fund provided by RUSA. M.A. /M.Sc. programs (self-sustaining mode) have been introduced in the department from the academic session 2018–19 and already the 1st batch of the post graduate students have passed out with 4 (four) first class holders. The department also has a research laboratory.

Activities: Activities of the department, like memorial lectures, study tours, socio-economic surveys, popular talks outreach programme and plant visits (both for the under graduate and post graduate students) etc. are conducted under the aegis of the Economic Planning Forum. The department annually organizes *Bhabananda Deka Memorial Lecture*. Late Deka, a founder teacher of the department and the third Principal of the college, was a pioneer in writing books on economics in Assamese. The 11th *Bhabananda Deka Memorial Lecture was delivered by Dr. Gautam Mazumdar, Associate Professor, Cotton University on the topic "ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES OF NORTH EAST INDIA" organized on 29th December 2020* and very recently, Dr. Susmita Priyadarshini, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, Devicharan Barua College, Jorhat, Assam delivered the *12th Bhabananda Deka Memorial Lecture on the topic "WILL NORTH EAST REGION LEAD THE GROWTH STORY OF INDIA ?" on June 16, 2021 in virtual platform*. Students and parents are encouraged to interact with the faculty members of the department. One parent-teacher meet is held per semester. The department is actively associated with SAESM (South Asian Economics Students Meet) from inception since 2004. The annual SAESM is a conference of undergraduate students majoring in economics in different colleges and institutions across South Asia.

Achievements: The department completed a consultancy project of Department of Veterinary Science, Govt. of Assam on *Dairy Farming and Dairy Co-operative Societies (DCS) under Bajali Development Block, Barpeta, Assam* in 2013–14. It organized a UGC-sponsored National Seminar on *Role of NGOs in Economic Development with Special Reference to the North East Economy* in September, 2013. The seminar deliberation was published as an edited volume (ISBN: 978-81-7213-229-3) and released on 1st September, 2014. Three survey reports, based on socio-economic surveys by Major students under the supervision of the Faculty Members, were published. One of the former students was selected to present a paper as a member of the Indian team at the SAESM meet in 2011, hosted by Ramjas College, Delhi University. Another alumnus of our department is at present the State Secretary of Indian Red Cross Society, Assam State Branch. So far the department has produced many first class achievers. The department also took the privilege of organizing an *International Webinar* on the topic "ASSAM'S DEVELOPMENT LAG: CHALLENGES AND WAY FORWARD" during the Covid 19 pandemic on 16th August

2020. An Entrepreneurship Development Cell (EDC) under the Economics Department has been established in collaboration with Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE), Guwahati for providing students with guidance in entrepreneurship development. In this regard, the EDC held its first workshop on *Entrepreneurship in Tourism Sector* in collaboration with the Assam Tourism Development Corporation (ATDC) and Master of Tourism Management department, Pragjyotish College on 29th February, 2020, followed by some other events, such as, a talk on "Aspects of Effective Communication Skills to be Developed by the Students for Professional Development" in collaboration with Language Laboratory, Department of English, Pragjyotish College on 18th December, 2020 and an awareness programme on "Importance of Entrepreneurship" in collaboration with Pragjyotish College Teachers' Unit (PCTU) on 1st Feb 2021. The first issue of the newsletter *Arthabarta* was inaugurated by Prof. Deepak Dhar Borah, former HoD of this Department during the Alumni Meet organised by Economics Department Alumni Association (EDAA) on 8th March, 2020. Moreover, the 2nd volume of the newsletter was released by Dr. Jogesh Chandra Deka, retired Associate Professor and former HoD, Department of Geography, Pragjyotish College on 30th June 2021. A digital version of the 2nd issue is also available in the college website. As a part of outreach programme, the major students of the department along with faculty members visited the Assam Assembly and witnessed the presentation of state budget on 6th March, 2020. A proud achievement of the department is a Major Research Project granted to Dr. Bidyut Bikash Baishya, funded by ICSSR, New Delhi. Dr. Bidyut Bikash Baishya is also one of the co-investigators of a Minor Research Project funded by ASTEC, Guwahati.

11. EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1971

Departmental e-mail ID: education@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: 1. Higher Secondary: Arts

2. UG: TDC Arts (Honours/General)

3. Undergraduate CBCS Course

4. M.A. CBCS Course [introduced in 2020-2021 Academic Session]

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 30 M.A.: 20

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Kannaki Kalita | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Education (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Education (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); NET; SLET; Spcl: Child Psychology and Adolescent Development | 19 |
| Gauri Hazarika | Assistant Professor & HoD (i/c) | B.A. in Education (Dib. Univ.); M.A. in Education (Dib. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Guidance and Counselling | 15 |
| Dr. Mridusmita Devi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Education (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Education (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.) Spcl: School Organization and Administration | 17 |
| One Sanctioned Post Vacant | | | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of PG classes</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has learning facilities like library, ICT enabled classroom, computer and psychological lab. The library consist of around 300 reading materials, including textbooks, magazines,

reference books, journals, yearbooks, educational CDs, etc. The lab is equipped with latest psychological tests and apparatus, e.g. Dr. C.M. Bhatia's performance Test of Intelligence, Maze Learning, etc.

Activities: Till date, the department has organized four UGC-sponsored national seminars and one State-level seminar sponsored by AHSEC. The *10th Annual Conference* of NEIES was organized by the department. The department has also organised a workshop on parental empowerment in collaboration with CTE. A project on girl education was completed at Hajo of the Kamrup District. Class seminars, project seminars, group discussions, field studies, etc. are regularly organized for the students. The department organized a talk on *Value Education and Child Rights* in 2017. Teacher's Day is celebrated every year. The 6th semester Major students are also felicitated by the students of the department for their academic achievements every year on the eve of Farewell event of the department. The department also provides academic guidance and career counselling to the needy students for proper use of their potentiality and creativity. Students of the department actively participate to bring out the departmental wall magazine titled *PRATIFALAN*. On 19th of August 2020, Department of Education organized a National Webinar on the topic *Challenges and impact of COVID-19 on Higher Education*.

Achievements: The department has been showing excellent results in the BA examinations and even the first position has been bagged in 2006. Former students of this department are well placed in various job sectors like academics, academic administration, etc. Several passed out students could secure seats in prestigious institutions like Delhi University, etc.

12. ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: english@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science
UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 30

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Priyanka Sarmah | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ); M.A.in English (Univ. of Pune); M.Phil. (Vinayaka Missions Univ.); Spcl: Indian Literature | 24 |
| Dr. Avijit Kumar Dutta | Assistant Professor | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ); M.A. in English (Univ. of Pune); M.Phil. (Periyar Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: American Literature | 15 |
| Laitlanzuol Khawbung | Assistant Professor | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in English (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: American Literature | 15 |
| Monali Ghosh Dastider | Assistant Professor | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ) ; M.A. in English (Gau. Univ) ; NET; Spcl: Indian English Literature | 1 |
| Daijee Kalita | Assistant Professor (Contractual) | B.A in English (Gau. Univ); M.A in English Language and ELT (Gau. Univ); Spcl: English Language | 15 |
| Pinaz Mirza | Assistant Professor (Contractual) | B.A in English (Gau. Univ); M.A in Linguistics and Language Technology (Tezpur Univ); | 3 |

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| | | M.A in English (IGNOU); Spcl: Field Linguistics/American Literature | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has its own library, one multi-media computer set with wi-fi internet connectivity, an overhead projector and some films and hypertexts related to the Major/ Honours program. Apart from the spacious well-managed classrooms for the Major/ Honours classes, the department has a library-cum-tutorial room. Notices of the department are put on its notice board, and students' short write-ups are displayed on *PAPER CASTLE*, the wall magazine of the department.

13. FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2009

Departmental e-mail ID: finearts@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts, Science and Commerce

Diploma: One Year Diploma in Fine Arts

Number of Seats: Diploma: 30

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Jyotirmoy Bhuyan | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | BFA in Painting (Govt. College of Art and Crafts, Gauhati University); MFA in Painting (Tripura Central University) | 6 Years |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has library cum painting studio. Student's works are displayed on wall magazine of the department.

Activities: The primary focus of the department is on a learner-friendly teaching atmosphere, through personal help, advice and guidance, in addition to the regular classes and evaluation works. A number of wall paintings have been done by the students in different parts of the college campus and also outside the main campus. A large number of students participate in the art competitions related with social issues and thereby showcase their talent through art. Wall paintings in boy's and girl's common room, project of campus beautification has been done by the students of Fine Arts Department. Mask making and traditional painting workshop, virtual painting workshop on the Occasion of Bishnu Rabha Divas, 2021 have organized in the Department of Fine Arts.

Achievements: Since 2011 a good number of students opting for this subject have secured above 80% marks in the HS (Final) Exams. The department has produced the scorers of the state highest marks in Fine Arts in the HS Final exams (under AHSEC) in 2011 and 2014. In 2014, 2015 and from 2017 to 2020 some students have scored first class in HS (Final) Exam. In the Higher Secondary Examination (Final) 2019, one candidate has scored above 90% marks and four candidates have secured 80% marks and above. Between 2011 and 2020, many students have gone for higher study (BFA, MFA). In 2011, 2013 and 2020 one student, in 2012 two students have gone for higher study in Fine Arts.

Department Coordinator: Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar

14. GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: geography@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours) and TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 15 B.A. (Honours): 25 M.A./ M.Sc.: 15

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Dipali Baruah | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Rajiv Gandhi Univ.); Spcl: Cartography | 27 |
| Pradip Chandra Kalita | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Vinayaka Missions Univ.); Spcl: Fluvial Geomorphology | 25 |
| Dr. Jyoti Prasad Das | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Regional Planning and Development | 13 |
| Dr. Chandra Kant Pawe | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); NET (JRF); PG Diploma in Geoinformatics (NEHU); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.) Spcl: Cartography | 5 |
| Dr. Bhrigu Kumar Nath | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); NET; B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Vinayaka Missions Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Population Geography | 10 |
| Dr. Krishna Das | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); NET; SLET; PG Diploma in Geoinformatics Application in Rural Development (NIRD); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Cartography | 2 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of PG classes</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a modern well-equipped GIS laboratory with all updated software's. The departmental labs are equipped with all necessary tools such as maps, topographical sheets, mirror stereoscopes, prismatic compasses, dumpy levels, theodolites and other instruments. The departmental library possesses more than 500 reference books along with a well-furnished reading room. To encourage the writing skills of the students, the department has introduced two wall magazines, namely *GLOBAL VILLAGE* and *GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SERVICE*. The department has a smart class room set up through funds obtained from RUSA. The department has been upgraded to a Post Graduate

Department in 2021. The department has also successfully conducted a *Certificate Course on Application of Geographic Information System and Remote Sensing* from 10th -15th August, 2020. The department is the nodal department for the Tourism Management Department of the college, which was started with initial financial assistance provided by UGC.

Activities: Apart from the regular teaching-learning process, departmental seminars are held every Saturdays where students of each class are required to present papers. The department arranges remedial classes for the students on demand. Field surveys/ works are organized both within and outside the State as per requirements of the syllabus. Every year on 26th of August, the department celebrates the Foundation Day of the *Pragjyotish College Geographical Society (PCGS)* and the departmental freshman's social. An annual newsletter *Prag Bhugol* is also released on this occasion, which presents the holistic summary of the departmental activities, students' achievement, special mentions, etc. Plans are afoot to hold national seminars in the near future. The department constantly insists upon a strong bonding with alumni fraternity as well as the guardians. Periodic meetings are arranged to elicit their views and suggestions for department uplift. Students from all the northeastern states flock to this department, which is showcased in various departmental activities.

Achievements: A good number of students attain first class every year in the final graduation exams. The department has published one reference book for the TDC General program, two proceeding volumes of national seminars viz. *Paribesh Pradusan Aru Niyantran* and *The Brahmaputra: Its Problems and Prospects*. The department has compiled a volume of the seminar papers of the students titled *The Region*. Besides, the faculty members of the department have published a considerable number of books and research papers in different national and international journals. The department is also planning to bring out a research journal.

15. GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Year of establishment: 1962

Departmental e-mail ID: geology@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 25 M.Sc.: 10

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Priyam Barthakur | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Sedimentary Petrology | 26 |
| Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar | Associate Professor | B.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.) University Batch Topper ; M.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Igneous Petrology | 26 |
| Dr. Mridul Rabha | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Vinayaka Missions Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Metamorphic Petrology | 14 |
| Dr. Bimal Kumar Tamuli | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Geology (Dib. Univ.); M.Sc. in Applied Geology (Dib. Univ.); Ph.D. (Dib. Univ.); Spcl: Economic Geology | 8 |
| Suman Saikia | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.); | 2 |

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| | | M.Sc. in Geology (Gau. Univ.); NET (JRF); GATE; Spcl: Sedimentary Petrology and Engineering Geology | |
| Rewata Chowhai | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Geology (Cotton Univ.); M.Sc. in Geology (Cotton Univ.); NET, MANF-JRF; Spcl: Remote Sensing & Metamorphic Geology. | 1 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of PG classes</i> | | | |

Facilities: The departmental infrastructure and resources include departmental library, smart class-room, laboratories with a large stockpile of samples of rocks, minerals, fossils, petrological microscopes, ore microscopes, and other equipment like sieve- shaker, brunton and clinometer compass, portable-GPS, pocket stereoscopes, electronic weighing scales, surveying equipment, etc. Two computer sets with LCD projectors caters to various academic needs of the department.

Activities: Activities like presentation of seminar talks and home assignments on topics allocated from their respective syllabi in every semester are made compulsory for students of the Major/ Honours programs. Geological field works and institutional visits are carried out both within and outside the state, for students, in collaboration with various organizations like the Geological Survey of India, Directorate of Geology and Mining, Govt. of Assam, National Geophysical Research Institute, National Centre for Antarctic and Ocean Research, National Institute of Oceanography and various other reputed Universities from time to time. With a view to encourage and motivate students, subject experts as well as academicians are invited to deliver lectures on topics like geo-scientific issues, career-related issues etc. Special care, attention and guidance is given to students with respect to competitive exams and also for issues related to higher studies. An active departmental society entitled *Geological Society of Pragjyotish College (GSoPC)* has been formed on 10th March 2016 and under this banner some social activities like plantation drives, cleanliness drives, trekking, invited talks, geological model exhibitions, poster competitions, quiz competitions, photography competitions, etc. are carried out occasionally. A departmental newsletter entitled *Petra's* published annually with collective efforts of teachers and students, the main objective of which is to highlight the year-long departmental activities and various achievements, both at departmental and individual levels. Students are involved in other extra-curricular activities like contribution to the departmental wall magazines *Basundhara* and *Geopaedia*, in addition to wall painting works in the department. Students also actively participate in periodical departmental cleaning programs, departmental library restoration works, museum reorganization works, etc. Faculty and student exchange programs were held during the last academic session vide two major MoUs that were signed with Dimoria College and AryaVidyapeeth College. Student-mentoring is carried out for each semester with a view to address various problems faced by the students both at academic and personal levels. Programs like guardian-meets and alumni-meets are conducted for garnering suggestions to improve upon departmental performance in various spheres. The department has a future plan for adopting healthy practice like extension educational programs at school level for making the realm of Earth Sciences familiar and more popular amongst the young minds.

Achievements: Since its inception, the department has been actively involved in producing a good number of bright students who bags first class, even rank of first position (twice), in the University final examinations. Departmental alumni has been able to secure admission in some reputed institutions like IIT-Roorkee, Indian School of Mines, Calcutta University, Nagpur University, Kumaon University, Kachchh University, Banaras Hindu University, etc. besides state Universities like Gauhati University, Dibrugarh University and Assam University. The department has been nominated as a nodal centre for hosting the preliminary round of the *International Earth Science Olympiad* since 2010. The faculty members are engaged in publishing good quality publications and also attend national and international level academic meets from time to time. Students have managed to bag prizes in various events like *Demetrix*, *Tata Crucible*, etc.

16. HINDI DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1960

Departmental e-mail ID: hindi@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science
UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 18

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Nandita Rajbangshi | Assistant Professor & HoD (i/c) | B.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Hindi (NEHU); Gold Medalist M.Phil. (Madurai Kamaraj Univ.); Spcl: Anuvad – Sidhant Aur Proyog | 13 |
| Dr. Priti Baishya | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); PGDT (Shabda-Bharati); Spcl: xxx | 15 |
| Dr. Chandana Sarma | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Hindi (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; SLET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Nriya Visharad (Akhil Bharatiya Gandharva Mahavidyalaya Mandal, Mumbai); Spcl: Hindi Krishna Kavya | 15 |
| Pankhi Senapati | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Hindi (Nowgong College); Topper M.A. in Hindi (Tez. Univ.); NET; Spcl: Hindi Linguistics | 2 |

Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement

Facilities: The department has a reading room, departmental library with a stock of around 700 books, ebooks, LCD projector and computer with wi-fi internet facilities.

Activities: Every year the department arranges a special talk regarding various trends of Hindi on the occasion of Hindi Divas. A national workshop on *Hindi Tatha Purvottar Bhashayon Ke Takniki Anuprayog* was organized during 15 - 16 December, 2017. Various competitions are arranged amongst the students for developing their reading, writing, speaking and thinking abilities. Educational trips are arranged for the benefit of the students in every academic year. From the session 2018- 19, Hindi typing classes are regularly conducted in the Language Laboratory. In the academic session 2019-2020, online classes were started to promote computational Hindi in collaboration with Shivaji University. In 2020, the department was organized three lecture series on *Kedarnath Agrawal* and *Sahitya aur Cinema ka sambandh*. In the same year, one week national workshop on '*Hindi Shikshan*' was organized from 7- 12 September, 2020. This year, online Quiz Competitions were organized on the occasion of Hindi Divas and Gandhi Jayanti. The students of the department take the initiative to publish the departmental wall magazine *VAGESHWARI* on an annual basis.

Achievements: The department has been showing consistently satisfactory results in the BA final exams and in one instance even one of the students has secured the First Class First position with distinction. The alumni of the department have been admitted to reputed universities like NEHU, Tezpur University, etc. A noteworthy feature of the department is that all the permanent faculty members are alumni of the department. One major achievement of the department is the MoU signed with Shivaji University, a

premier A-grade institution of Maharashtra. The programme, initially for five years (2018- 2023), has the provision of collaborative co-operation through student exchange programmes, faculty exchange programmes, interdisciplinary studies and collaborative research programmes in the field of Hindi language technology, literature, history and translation technology.

17. HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: history@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Course offered: Higher Secondary: Arts

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 25

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Nandini Moral Sarma | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Ancient India | 29 |
| Badan Chandra Mahanta | Associate Professor | B.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Social and Economic History of Modern India | 25 |
| Bishwajyoti Dev Mahanta | Associate Professor | B.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); B.Mus. (Bhatkhande Sangeet Vidyapeeth); Spcl: Modern Indian History | 24 |
| Dr. Gargee Sharmah | Assistant Professor | B.A. in History (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in History (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist; M.Phil. (Dib. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Ancient India | 15 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: A small library exists in the department. Visual aids like maps, globes, LCD Projector etc. are available. The department also has computer sets with Wi-Fi internet facilities.

Activities: Departmental seminars and group discussions are organized periodically. Field trips and popular talks by experts are arranged for the students annually. The departmental wall magazine is brought out by the students. Freshman's social is organized every year with the active participation of the students. The department organised for the first time in the college, a one day National Workshop on *Intellectual Property Rights* in June, 2019.

Achievements: Students from the northeast part of the country are especially interested in pursuing History as a subject from this department, as reflected through the student enrolment pattern. The pass percentage for the last few years is quite satisfactory with some students securing good marks in the University final exams. Five students got first class in BA final examination of 2019. The departmental alumni are engaged in a wide variety of job sectors.

18. MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: mathematics@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours) and TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 02 B.Sc. (Honours): 30

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Shampa Choudhury | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Mathematics (Dib. Univ.); M.Sc. in Mathematics (Dib. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Assam Univ.); Spcl: Fluid Mechanics | 30 |
| Dr. Gireen Chandra Das | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Functional Analysis | 21 |
| Dr. Amar Jyoti Dutta | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Mathematics (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); L.L.B. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Fluid Dynamics and Relativity | 13 |
| Jibonjyoti Buragohain | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Mathematics (Dib. Univ.); M.Sc. in Mathematics (Dib. Univ.); M.Phil. (Dib. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: Algebraic Graph Theory and Algebraic Topology | 2 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a well-equipped departmental library with a collection of around 400 books to fulfill partial needs of the students. The department has a digital class room and a computer laboratory. LCD projection facilities in classrooms are available in the department.

Activities: The department conducts tutorial classes as per the requirements in each semester. Popular talks are organized frequently for the benefit of the students. Quiz competitions are organized to develop knowledge of current affairs, which are important part of any competitive examination. Students bring out a departmental wall-magazine quarterly. Remedial classes are taken in each semester. The department celebrates the International 'Pi (Π) Day' on 14th March every year.

Achievements: Almost every year, the department has a good record of students securing First Class in their graduation. Our faculty members are also actively engaged in research works with quality publications every year in various reputed international journals.

19. PERFORMING ARTS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2017

Departmental e-mail ID: performingarts@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts (Sattriya Dance, Hindustani Vocal & Kathak Dance)

Diploma: One Year Diploma in Sattriya Dance,
One Year Diploma in Hindustani Vocal,
One Year Diploma in Kathak Dance

Number of Seats: Diploma: 30

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Antaripa Das | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | MA in Sattriya dance from Dibrugarh university, Sattriya Gunin from Sangeet Satra, PGDCA from IPBS, Kathak Visharad from Bhatkhande, Khol Kushal, Prabin (Hindi), Performing Arts (Sattriya) Visharad from Nartan Kala Niketan. | 1 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a spacious classroom for practical performance, different types of instruments and a library that are accessible for students and teachers.

Activities: A large number of students participated in the cultural programme and performed a street drama related to social issues in the Brahmaputra Literary Festival held in January 2017 and showcased their talent through different performances, an interactive programme has been organized in March, 2017 on the National Award winning film *Kothanodi* by the department with the Director Sri Bhaskar Hazarika. Popular actors Zerifa Wahid and Kashvi Sharma played major roles in the film. On the occasion of Dr. Bhupen Hazarika International Solidarity Award Ceremony in April, 2017, a large number of students performed group song, group dance and staged *Komola Kunworir Xadhu*, the drama written by Dr. Paramananda Rajbongshi, on the 63rd Foundation Day of the college in September 2017.

Achievements: After the performance on the 63rd Foundation Day of the college the *Komola Kunworir Xadhu* drama has been invited to New Delhi to perform in the cultural function in the Auditorium of Srimanta Sankardeva Bhawan during the time of Durga Puja by Assam Association where fourteen girls played the drama with different kinds of roles, and was highly applauded by the audience. Chandana Baruah has secured 88% mark, the state highest mark, in Kathak Dance in the Higher Secondary Final Examination (AHSEC), 2019. The cultural team organized by the department received the 3rd Best Team prize at the 21st North-East Book Fair, 2019.

Department Coordinator: Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar

20. PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: philosophy@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 25

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Dipika Roy Medhi | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Logic | 29 |
| Niva Deka | Associate Professor | B.A. in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Logic | 27 |
| Kabita Doloi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); NET; SLET; Spcl: Logic | 13 |
| Dr. Kalyani Devi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Philosophy (Gau. Univ.); | 8 |

| | | | |
|--|--|---|--|
| | | NET; M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Logic | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: Computer sets with LCD projector facilities are available for academic use. The department has also a small library with textbooks and reference books for the higher secondary and degree level students. Student seminars & interaction programs are organized occasionally. There is a provision for remedial classes in the department.

Activities: Every year, the department organizes a popular talk by some renowned resource person and a quiz competition on the occasion of World Philosophy Day. Further, the department publishes departmental publication *Dristi* every year. Besides, a wall magazine named *VISION* is also published by the department with the writings of the students.

Achievements: The performance of the department is satisfactory. Five students secured 1st class in 6th semester exam in the year 2016. In 2017 four students, in 2018 and 2019 three and two students got first class respectively. Students have actively participated in sports & games and secured prizes.

21. PHYSICS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1958

Departmental e-mail ID: physics@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Course offered: Higher Secondary: Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 35

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Saumar Rajkhowa | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Physics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Physics (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Solid State Physics | 26 |
| Manab Deka | Associate Professor | B.Sc. in Physics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Physics (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Solid State Physics | 26 |
| Two Sanctioned Posts (Appointment Under Process) | | | |
| Two Sanctioned Posts (Vacant) | | | |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a full-fledged computer laboratory, ICT enabled class room and a fully furnished new air-conditioned laboratory has been established with RUSA infrastructure grant.

Activities: The department organizes seminars, science quiz, talks and counselling on career advancement for the benefit of the students. Excursion trips are organized by the department on a regular basis. The department had been selected as the Zonal Center to organized a two day National level Workshop on *Solar Cell Technology* in association with *Kshitij-fest* (IIT-Kharagpur), during 3-4 April, 2018. The department organizes the *National Graduate Physics Exam* (NGPE) of Indian Association of Physics Teachers (IAPT) annually. The Major students annually update the departmental wall magazine title *SPECTRUM*.

Achievements: A good number of major students have shown remarkable performance in the G.U. final examinations. Ratul Khan, one of the bright students of the department, has secured 1st class 1st position in Physics (Major) examination, 2017. Sani Amul Ahmed of final semester (Major) has topped the *National Graduate Physics Exam (NGPE)*, State-Assam, organized by Indian Association of Physics

Teachers-Regional Council 17 (IAPT, RC-17). Five students of the department attended the second round of workshop on *Solar Cell Technology* held at IIT-Kharagpur, in October, 2018.

22. POLITICAL SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: politicalscience@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 30

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Arpana Das | Associate Professor | B.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Public Administration | 26 |
| Nabadeep Das | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Political Sociology | 24 |
| Arpita Das | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); SLET; Spcl: General Sociology | 16 |
| Dr. Sabrina Iqbal Sircar | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); M.A. in Political Science (Gau. Univ.); Gold Medalist; NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 9 |
| Sun Gogoi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Political Science (Dib. Univ.); M.A. in Political Science (Dib. Univ.); NET; SLET; M. Phil. (Dib. Univ.); Spcl: xxx | 1 |

Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement

Facilities: The department has a well-equipped library with books and other reading materials, relevant to the prescribed syllabi of the H.S. and B.A. programs, both in English and in Assamese. In addition to regular classes, the students are encouraged to participate in extra-curricular activities like debates, quiz, and in other sports and seminars to develop and hone their skills and enhance their personalities.

Activities: With a view to enable the students to enhance their intellectual horizons, the department frequently organizes student seminar presentations. The students are also taken out for field surveys, which help them to have a practical understanding of the ground realities. Students having Major/ Honours in Political Science update the departmental wall magazine titled *POLITICUS* at least once in a year.

Achievements: The department has been consistently producing successful graduates with first class holders. We also take pride in a number of good debaters and a good number of students who are quite pro-active in socio-cultural activities.

23. SANSKRIT DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1954

Departmental e-mail ID: sanskrit@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts

UG: TDC Arts (Honours)

Diploma: Two Years Diploma in Sanskrit

Certificate: One Year Certificate in Sanskrit

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 20

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Nibedita Devi | Associate Professor & HoD | B.A. in Sanskrit (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Sanskrit (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Vedic Literature | 27 |
| Dr. Anjali Devi | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Gen. Course (Gau. Univ.); M.A.in Sanskrit (Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (T.M. Bhagalpur Univ.); Spcl: Darsana | 25 |
| Dr. Pallabi Dutta | Assistant Professor | B.A. in Sanskrit (Dib. Univ.); M.A. in Sanskrit (Gau. Univ.); NET; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Sanskrit Literature | 5 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: There are provisions of computers and Wi-Fi internet facilities in the department. The departmental library has got a moderate stock of syllabus oriented books and reference books. A non-formal One-Year Certificate Course and Two-Years _ Diploma Course in Sanskrit, conducted by **Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi (formerly known as Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, New Delhi)** are being offered by the department till date.

Activities: The departmental wall magazine *JNANASHREE* is published annually and so far 16 issues have been published. Seminars and educational talks are conducted every year by the department. Local sight-seeing and educational tours are conducted every year for the students. Quiz competitions are also organized amongst the students occasionally. Students of the department participate in inter-college debating competitions. Sanskrit _ Day is observed every year in association with the *Assam Sanskrit Mahasabha, Sanskrit Bharati, NERegion* and different colleges of Guwahati. Two books viz. *The Theory and Concept of Indian Poetics – A Critical Study* and *Sahitya Cinta Taranga* have been published by the department. The department publishes a **peer reviewed annual Research journal** titled *Praci* (ISSN: 2319-8974) and seven volumes have already been published so far.

Achievements: Students of the department participate in different sports, debating competitions and cultural programmes of the college. At one instance, an NCC (Naval Wing) cadet had been selected and had participated in the *All India Nou Sainik Camp* at Karnataka. In the academic front, students of the department have managed to achieve good results in the TDC final examination.

24. STATISTICS DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1991

Departmental e-mail ID: statistics@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Arts and Science

UG: TDC Arts (Honours) and TDC Science (Honours)

Number of Seats: B.A. (Honours): 02 B.Sc. (Honours): 10

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Dr. Pranita Goswami | Associate Professor & HoD | B.Sc. in Statistics (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Statistics (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); PGDCA (xxxxxxx Univ); Spcl: Multivariate Analysis and Computer Programming | 36 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department is well decked and equipped with furniture for all convenience. A library encompassing books and journals of the subject is regularly maintained which is found to be very beneficial for the students as well as for the faculty members. It is noteworthy that, the department has PhD Research Laboratory recognition. Adequate facilities of computers and internet, is a boon for carrying out of practicals, project works and research work by the research scholars and students.

Activities: The department takes initiative to prepare project reports every year on the basis of field works, taking into view the recent advancements. A departmental journal is being published on a regular mode. Moreover, the students of the Major/ Honours course are required to present seminar talks as per their syllabus along with home assignments. Apart from course-related activities, a departmental wall magazine is also brought out by the students every year. The major students of the department annually update the departmental wall magazine *STATISTICA*.

Achievements: Concentrating on the growing demand of Statistics in every area of studies, the college introduced Major course in the subject in the year 2006. Since then, the academic results as well as the number of students of the department are upgrading significantly year after year. The department has been producing students with first class every year with one distinction in 2012. During the session, 2014-15, one student secured first class from the Arts stream.

25. TOURISM MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2004

Departmental e-mail ID: tourismmanagement@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: UG: Tourism & Travel Management (TTM)

[Students can opt TTM as a combination of other subjects (All Streams)]

PG: Master of Tourism Management (MTM)

Special feature: This professional course is Open for All Streams

Number of Seats: MTM: 30

Selection Procedure: Applicants opting for MTM will be selected strictly on the basis of the common merit list prepared by the Gauhati University

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| Jugashree Kumar | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in English (Gau. Univ.); NET; M.T.M. (Gau. Univ.) | 13 |
| Barnali Mahanta | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Com. in Management (Gau. Univ.); M.T.M. (Gau. Univ.) | 13 |
| Dr. Pulama Deka | Contractual Faculty | B.A. in Geography (Gau. Univ.); M.T.M. (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.) | 13 |
| Nitushree Sharma | Contractual Faculty | B.A. (Gau. Univ.); M.T.M. (Gau. Univ.); | 12 |

PG Diploma in HRM (IDOL, Gau. Univ.)

Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement

Facilities: The department is equipped with a well-furnished computer lab. The required number of practical instruments with GPS system is available in the department.

Activities: There is provision for on-job training for MTM as well as for TTM students, where they get an overall view of the management system and operational aspects of the travel agencies. Learning of two foreign languages (French and Russian) is included under the course curriculum. Field studies and tours are conducted to important tourist destinations all over the country or bordering countries for imparting practical knowledge on the theoretical aspects of the curriculum. Special talks, seminars and webinars are arranged from time to time for the overall development and motivation of the students. Besides these, regular unit tests and group discussions are held in the department to judge the development graph of the students. The students regularly contribute to the departmental wall magazine *TRAVELOPEDIA* and departmental annual magazine *Jatra – A New Horizon*.

Achievements: The department has been witnessing consistently good results every year in the university examinations. There is a good record of placements of the passed-out students at reputed private and government organizations.

Department Coordinator: Dr. Manjit Kumar Mazumdar

26. ZOOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 1973

Departmental e-mail ID: zoology@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: Higher Secondary: Science

UG: TDC Science (Honours)

PG: M.Sc. in Zoology

Number of Seats: B.Sc. (Honours): 40 M.Sc.: 10

Selection Procedure: On the basis of merit as per choice indicated in the admission form and subject to availability, on the day of online interview and admission.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Seema Kaur | Assistant Professor & HoD (i/c) | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.) Gold Medalist ; M.Phil. (Periyar Univ.); Spcl: Entomology and Environmental Biology | 26 |
| Dr. Jayanta Deka | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Cell Biology | 19 |
| Dr. Makibur Rahman | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); Ph.D. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Fish Biology and Fishery Science | 14 |
| Dr. Seemashri Bora | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Zoology (Dib. Univ.); M.Sc. in Life Sciences (Zoology) (Dib. Univ.); Ph.D. (Dib. Univ.); SLET; B.Ed. (IGNOU); Spcl: Fish and Fishery | 2 |
| Langtuk Terang | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. in Zoology (Cotton Univ.); Joint CSIR-UGC NET(JRF+LS); SLET; GATE; Spcl: Ecology and Wildlife Science | 1 |

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|--|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Sangeeta Das | Assistant Professor | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc. In Zoology (Gau. Univ.); Joint CSIR-UGC NET(LS); SLET; GATE; Spcl: Animal Ecology and Wildlife Biology | 3 |
| Taslema Begum | Guest Faculty (Contractual) | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ); M.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); SLET; GATE; Spcl.: Animal Physiology & Biochemistry | - |
| Sankranti Devi | Guest Faculty (Contractual) | B.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ); M.Sc. in Zoology (Gau. Univ.); SLET; GATE; Spcl.: Animal Physiology & Biochemistry | - |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of PG classes</i> | | | |

Facilities: The department has a DBT, GOI funded research laboratory which has been upgraded to Post Graduate laboratory having various instruments and facilities that aid in teacher and student research works, projects and dissertations.

Activities: The department is actively engaged in holding various seminars, memorial lectures, workshops, invited talks, International webinars from time to time, with active participation of the students and faculty members from various parts of the country and abroad. The department has been organizing various workshops, hands-on-training, as well as outreach programs for the University, College and School students. Field trips are organized for the departmental students to different advanced laboratories as well as field tours to various protected areas like National parks, Wildlife Sanctuaries, etc. in order to provide maximum exposure to knowledge for all round development. A National level Seminar on the topic *Recent Advances in Bio Sciences* was organized by the department from 21st to 22nd September 2019. The department annually publishes the departmental newsletter *Phoenix*.

Achievements (2019-2020): 92% students have secured first class in the university final exam in 2019 whereas 95% students secured first class in 2020 under Gauhati University. Students of the department have participated in different national and state level seminars/conferences/workshops. Our student Anand Dural of NCC Navy Wing has been awarded for attending a World Tour.

27. ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT

Year of Establishment: 2019

Departmental e-mail ID: environment@pragjyotishcollege.ac.in

Programs Offered: The department handles the various Environmental Studies courses that are included under different programs, both at HS and UG levels.

| Name of Faculty Members | Designation | Educational Qualifications | Teaching Experience (in years) |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Niti Das | Contractual Faculty & HoD (i/c) | B.Sc. in Botany (Gau. Univ.); M.Sc.in Botany(Gau. Univ.); M.Phil. (Gau. Univ.); B.Ed. (Gau. Univ.); Spcl: Microbiology | 21 |
| <i>Contractual/ Guest faculty members are recruited as per requirement of PG classes</i> | | | |

✚ NON-TEACHING STAFF MEMBERS

| SI No. | Name of Staff Members | Designation |
|--------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Unindajyoti Choudhury | Librarian |
| 2 | Kakali Sarma | Assistant Librarian |
| SI No. | Name of Staff Members | Designation |
| 1 | Rabindra Thakuria | Head Assistant |
| 2 | Nikunja Das | Upper Division Assistant |
| 3 | Manabendra Kalita | Upper Division Assistant |
| 4 | Kameswar Bez | Lower Division Assistant |
| 5 | Prasanna Kumar Saikia | Lower Division Assistant |
| 6 | Naba Kumar Sarma | Lower Division Assistant |
| 7 | Sabita Das | Lower Division Assistant |
| 8 | Deben Deka | Laboratory Assistant |
| 9 | Sarat Chandra Sarma | Laboratory Bearer |
| 10 | Bhabesh Bezbaruah | Laboratory Bearer |
| 11 | Tara Charan Das | Laboratory Bearer |
| 12 | Dipak Das | Laboratory Bearer |
| 13 | Kameshwar Boro | Laboratory Bearer |
| 14 | Lakhi Devi | Laboratory Bearer |
| 15 | Dilip Deka | Laboratory Bearer |
| 16 | Bipul Deka | Laboratory Bearer |
| 17 | Debadas Hazarika | Laboratory Bearer |
| 18 | Jyotish Das | Laboratory Bearer |
| 19 | Durlav Deka | Laboratory Bearer |
| 20 | Rinkumani Kalita | Laboratory Bearer |
| 21 | Latif Ali | Library Bearer |
| 22 | Ratul Nath | Library Bearer |
| 23 | Ranjudhar Kalita | Grade IV |
| 24 | Jiten Das | Grade IV |
| 25 | Jagadish Sarma | Grade IV |

Ten posts vacant



NAAC PEER TEAM VISIT

TABLES ON FEES STRUCTURE

| REGULAR PROGRAMS | | | | | |
|---|-------------|------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Fee Heads | H.S. (Arts) | H.S. (Sc.) | B.A. (Hons.) | B.Sc. (Hons.) | |
| Admission | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | |
| Tuition | 600 | 720 | 840 | 1020 | |
| **No Tuition Fees for Girls for HS | | | | | |
| Establishment | 900 | 900 | 900 | 900 | |
| Laboratories | 50 | 400 | 200 | 1000 | |
| Electricity | 600 | 600 | 600 | 600 | |
| Contingency | 400 | 400 | 400 | 400 | |
| Council/ University Registration | 200 | 200 | 680 | 680 | |
| College Identity Card | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| Development | 500 | 500 | 500 | 500 | |
| Library | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | |
| College Examination | 120 | 120 | 200 | 200 | |
| NCC | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | |
| NSS | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | |
| Bharat Scouts & Guides | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | |
| College Magazine | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | |
| Students' Union | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Games and Sports | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Festival | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Co-curricular | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Cultural/ Music | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| Debating/ Literature | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| Student Welfare | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| ICT | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Municipality Tax | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| Red Ribbon Club | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | |
| Youth Red Cross Society | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | |
| Security | 150 | 150 | 150 | 150 | |
| Student Insurance | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | |
| Extension Education Programme | 200 | 200 | 200 | 200 | |
| Youth Festival | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | |
| TOTAL | BOYS | 5,470 | 5,940 | 6,420 | 7,400 |
| | GIRLS | 4,870 | 5,220 | | |

For College Uniform, students may contact: Unique Brand (95084-15363, 97070-98210)

| SELF-SUSTAINING PROGRAMS | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|
| H.S. (Commerce) | 6300 per year |
| B.Sc. (Computer Science) | 12000 per semester |
| B.Com. | 8300 per semester |
| B.B.A. | 12000 per semester |
| B.C.A. | 12000 per semester |
| M.A. (Assamese) | 12000 per semester |
| M.T.M. | 15000 per semester |
| M.A./ M.Sc. (Economics) | 16000 per semester |
| M.Sc. (Zoology) | 22000 per semester |
| M.Sc. (Geology) | 22000 per semester |
| M.A./ M.Sc. (Geography) | 22000 per semester |
| M.A. (Education) | 18000 per semester |
| Diploma in Performing Arts | 3000 per semester |
| Diploma in Fine Arts | 3000 per semester |

MISCELLANEOUS FEES

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| Eligibility Certificate Fees (for migrated students) | Payment of these categories of fees by the admitted students will be notified at a later date, as per direction/ instruction/ notification received from the State/ Central Govt./ other authorities |
| Fees for offering Vocational Subject | |
| Fees for offering Honours (for all students) | |
| Additional Fees for offering Honours (only for students of Anthropology, Statistics and Geography) | |
| Fees for Field Works/ Educational Excursions/ etc. | |

IMPORTANT POINTS TO BE NOTED

1. **NO FALSE DATA** should be provided while filling up of the **Online Admission Form**. If any instances of commission of forgery or providing wrong data are detected on a later date, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.

2. After securing admission, students must ensure that the following (as provided in the Online Admission Form) continues to **remain same** during their entire period of study in the college.

- **Bank Account Details**
- **Mobile Phone Numbers**
- **E-Mails**

Otherwise, the admitted students will be deprived from the Govt. beneficiary schemes.

An **UNDERTAKING** will have to be provided by the students at the time of admission in a standard format to be provided by the college.

3. **Subject Combinations** allotted at the time of admission will **NOT be changed** later

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