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### **ACTION TAKEN REPORT: 2022 – 2023**

- Completion of Administrative and Academic Audit for academic sessions 2021-22.
- Participation in NIRF India Ranking, 2023.
- Formation of Electoral Literacy Club under the supervision of Dept. of Political Science.
- Signing of 8 Memorandums of Understanding with St. Joseph's College in Darjeeling, Kanchrapara College, Hingalganj Mahavidyalaya, Chapra Bangalji Mahavidyalaya, Khatra Adibasi Mahavidyalaya, Bhramananda Keshab Chandra College, Kandra Radhakanta Kundu Mahavidyalaya and Ashutosh College.
- Signing of 5 linkages with Kolkata Insurance Institute, Cella Systems, Barrackpore Avenue Women's Cultural & Social Welfare Society, Indian Academic Researchers' Association (IARA) and Jagrata Sahitya Parishad (Dhaka, Bangladesh).
- Signing tripartite MoU agreement with Symagine Solution's Pvt Ltd, Kolkata and Bhramananda Keshab Chandra College.
- Renewal of functional MoU with Sri Guru Ram Rai (PG) College, Dehradun.
- Student Exchange Programme at St Joseph's College, Darjeeling from 17<sup>th</sup> November to 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 in Darjeeling.
- Publication of Barrackpore Rastraguru Surendranath College VISION, ISSN 23487631 (a UGC-enlisted Journal No. 49146 in the Broad Subject Category Multidisciplinary: Social Science) and Journal of Business and Economic Issues (a UGC-enlisted Journal No. 49126 in the Broad Subject Category Multidisciplinary: Social Science).
- Encouraged asynchronous learning through the LMS portal as supplementary to Regular Classes.
- Purchase of new computers for students.
- Renewal of ISO Certification Numbers in Quality Management (9001:2015), Environment Management (14001:2015), and ISO 45001:2018 for 'Occupational Health and Safety Management System'.
- Acquired ISO 27001:2022 for 'Information Security Management System'.
- Introduction of Master of Science in Mathematics.
- Introduction of online concession portal for students.
- To ensure paperless functioning, all GB meeting notices and minutes have been sent to the GB members online.
- Introduction of Add on courses on Communicative English and Software Tools.
- Introduction of Certificate Course on Advance Photography and Videography etc.
- Organization of 14<sup>th</sup> Career fair on 18<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 for Career Counselling. Capacity building and Career Counselling activities, including guidance for competitive examinations undertaken by the college Placement Cell. Organization of campus recruitment drive and initiative of off-campus placements.
- Regular conduction of co-curricular activities like song, dance, quiz, debate, student seminars and extempore etc.



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- Conduction of Continuous Assessments/ Assignments to assess the students' academic progress.
- Conduction of industrial visits and training programmes as per curricula.
- Undertook field projects, internships, and excursions to extend the mental horizon of students.
- Generation of Entrepreneurship awareness through Career Development Cell.
- Organization of seminars and workshops for the college teachers and students.
- Organized seminar and poster competition on "Global Science for Global Well-being" in February 2023.
- Arranged a PDP on "Life-Skill and Work-Life Balance for Academicians" in April, 2023 to improve the well-being of teaching staff.
- Conducted a PDP on "Advanced Level Training on Team Work and Dedication" in April, 2023 to promote a better work culture.
- Execution of innumerable extension and outreach activities by NSS-Unit I & Unit II and NCC Unit of the college.
- Encouraging Teachers to participate in Refresher, Orientation and Short-Term Courses.
- Organisation of parents'/ guardians' Meet.
- Maintenance of a clean and hygienic environment on the premises. Maintain eco-friendly measures, including waste management initiatives, planting trees and adhering to a plastic-free campus.
- Completion of Gender Audit.
- Gender sensitivity is inculcated through induction programmes within the college premises and through outreach programmes of NCC and NSS outside the campus.
- Workshops to spread awareness about environment and sustainability.
- "Save Water save Life" Campaign on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2020.
- Organizing program on "Forest Conservation: A Greening Drive" on 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 as part of beyond-the-campus environmental promotion activities.
- Organization of workshops to spread awareness about the environment and sustainability.
- Formation of a Trekking Club under the Environment Subcommittee and organising a Trekking Expedition to Barsey, Sikkim from 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 to 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2023.
- Organization of Nature Camp at Purulia from March 1, 2023 to March 3, 2023 under the aegis of the Environment Sub-committee.
- Organizing "Ganga Utsav" supported by NMCG, Ministry of Jal Shakti, Government of India in November 2022.
- Sensitization of students to the Constitutional Obligations: Human Values, Rights & Duties and Responsibilities of Citizens through Induction Programme.
- Collection and analysis of data through an Online Feedback System.
- JUO, Samridhi Guha, NCC cadet of the college has received West Bengal Governor's Medal for Republic Day Parade.
- Dr. Angshuman Chakraborty, Program Officer, NSS has received 'Active Program Officer Award' in 2022-23.



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- Program on “A Tribute to the Martyrs” has been organized on 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2022.
- Organization of ‘Puneet Sagar Abhiyan’ on 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2022.
- Organization of “Shraddhanjali to Netaji” has been made on 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 2023.
- Organization of “Shraddhanjali to Thakur Panchanan Barma” has been made on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2023.
- Organization of “Save Sparrow Campaign” on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.
- Distribution of food and health drinks among pregnant women at B.N. Bose Hospital, Barrackpore on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 by the college NCC cadets.
- Organization of “Remembering the Jalianwallah Bagh Martyrs” on 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2023.
- An awareness program on “Awareness on Safe and Healthy Occupational Environment” has been organized on 28<sup>th</sup> April, 2023.
- A program on “Awareness on Freedom of Press” has been made on 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2023.
- A program on “Awareness on Anti-Terrorism” has been organized on 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2023.
- A rally on “Say No to Tobacco” has been held on 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023.
- Organizing a campaign on “Awareness on Conservation of Endangered Species” on 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 to spread awareness among local population about importance of conserving biodiversity.
- Initiative for distribution of clothes among poor women at Barrackpore Railway Station on 18<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 through NSS Unit-I and Unit- II.
- Organization of Clean Ganga Rally on 23<sup>rd</sup> February, 2023.
- Organization of an “Awareness Program to Prevent Tuberculosis” on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 in the brick fields at Monirampur, Barrackpore.
- Organized an “Awareness Program on Healthy Life” on 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2023.
- Organized a campaign on “Awareness on Malaria Prevention” on 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 through NSS Unit- I and Unit- II.
- A Blood Donation Camp has been organized in collaboration with B.N. Bose Hospital, Barrackpore on 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2023.
- A campaign on “Smiling Children, Happy Society” was undertaken with the orphans residing in Bachpan, an orphanage in Barrackpore.
- A program on “A Tribute to the Mothers” has been organized on 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 by NSS Unit- I and Unit- II of the college.
- Organized a special lecture on “Gender and Culture-A Critical Study” on 16<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 as part of the Gender Equity Initiative, organized by IQAC & Dept. of English.
- Preparation and analysis of feedback for teachers and support staff for the session 2022-23.
- Extension of financial support to the teachers to attend various academic events such as seminars, conferences and workshops.
- Participation of students in a number of sports and cultural activities.
- Formation of “Crescendo”, a Literary and Culture Club, under IQAC, managed by the students on 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2023.
- Observation of Students week from 2<sup>nd</sup> January, 2023, to 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.



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- Organization of stress relief drive for students entitled “How to Overcome Exam Stress” on 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 and 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.
- Organization of stress relief camp for the teaching and support staff of the college separately as part of welfare measure.
- Cultural tribute to Mother Language offered on 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2023.
- Organization of 7th Cine-Parbon, international short film festival on 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 at the 6, Riverside Road Campus.
- Effectuation of Career Advancement of 16 teachers through CAS.
- Organization of a Reunion on 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2022, under the aegis of “Praktanika,” the college Alumni Association.
- Publication of college academic and administrative calendar.
- Acquired consultancy fees of Rs. 1,04,800/- for F.Y. 2022-23.
- Installation of solar panels (50 KW Tata Power Solar) at the college's 85, Middle Road Campus as part of our Alternate Source of Energy Initiative from MPLAD fund.
- Organization of a Health Camp for PG Students on 3<sup>rd</sup> January, 2023 and 4<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 as part of Students' Week Observance, 2023.
- Organization of an awareness programme on complications associated with hypertension and creating hypertension related awareness.
- Arranged a 30-hour certificate course on “Self- Defence Technique for Women” from 3<sup>rd</sup> January, 2023 to 13<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 as part of the Gender Equity Initiative.
- Organized a workshop on “Preventing & Combating Violence Against Women” from 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 as part of the Gender Equity Initiative.
- Arranged a “Workshop on Gender Based Violence & Discrimination” in collaboration with Barrackpore Avenue Women's Cultural & Social Welfare Society, a local NGO, on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 as part of the Gender Equity Initiative.
- Organized a one-day workshop on: “Awareness of Gender issues: Towards a healthy life & living” on 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 as part of the Gender Equity Initiative.
- Conduction of Green audit and Energy Audit as part of our Green Initiative. Maintenance of Butterfly garden as part of the Green Initiative.
- Organization of International Seminar on ‘Education through Literature’ on 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.
- Conduction of International Conference on “Research & Publication Ethics” on 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2023.
- Organization of “Workshop on Safe Banking” on 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 as a part of the Safety and Occupational Health Initiative.
- Certificate of ISO 27001: 2022 for “Information Security System” has been received.
- Organizing “Community Awareness Camp” in Baranti, Purulia from 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 to 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2023.
- Celebration of “Basanta Utsav” in the college on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.
- Participated in Education World India Higher Education Rankings, 2023.
- Maintaining sanitization of both campuses of the college and both the hostels for better safety of all stakeholders against COVID.



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- Provided students concession to large number of students from Students welfare fund and Merit cum Means fund etc.
- Organised Navinbaran, Udayan, Agamoni, Eco-fest etc. as routine cultural programs.
- Students Participated in different University level, District level, State Level and National level sports competitions.
- 100% students have been provided with job oriented support service through Entry in service portal.
- Introduction of Certificate course on 'Drone Survey'.