

VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE ALIPURDUAR

PROSPECTUS 2014-2015

COLLEGE PROFILE

The college was established in 1985 as a result of the hearty co-operation of the inhabitants of Alipurduar the vast and adjacent locality and the sincere efforts of strict supervision of Late Nani Bhattacharje, the former MLA, Piyush Tirkey, former MP, Late Nani Gopal Sarker, former Vice-Chairman of the Municipality of Alipurduar, Late Manojit Na, former Vice-Chairman, of the Municipality of Alipurduar. First meeting for establishment of the college was convened by Late Sunil Kumar Bhowmick, former Principal, Alipurduar college on 02/05/1985. It is exemplary that people belonging to different strata of the society donated money to raise funds for the establishment of the college. The college land was donated by Sri Ramkrishna Ashram, Alipurduar Junction. The foundation of the college is marked by the earnest desire of various eminent personalities and association to promote higher education in the locality. On 18/11/1986 the foundation stone of the new college building was laid by Prof. Nirmal Bose, MIC, Higher Education, Industry Et Commerce, Govt, of West Bengal. In the initial stage, classes were held in a building of Sri Durga Das Saha at Birpara Chowpati, on 3rd October, 1985. Prof. Dipti Bhusan Dutta, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University inaugurated the ceremonial function of its opening day and Sri Nani Bhattacharya, Hon'ble Minister of Irrigation Et Water Ways graced the occasion as Chief Guest. Other dignified and Hon'ble Speakers on the occasion were Sri Raghavendra Singh. ISA, Sub-Divisional Officer, Alipurduar, Dr. B.K. Bajpai, Registrar of North Bengal University and Sri Jogendra Nath Sinha Roy, MLA. The college has succeeded in achieving several goals in its long 32 years span and is progressing with a positive attitude towards brighter future.

LOCATION

The college situated on the right bank of the river "Kaljani" (near Kaljani Bridge) at Birpara under Pararpar Gram Panchayet within Alipurduar Block-I under Alipurduar Sub-Division in the district of Jalpaiguri. The overwhelming majority of the students do belong to the rural areas and the institution caters successfully to the needs of Higher Education primarily of aspiring students for Higher Education of huge rural area.

ADMINISTRATION

The governing body of the college being formed as per statue of the University of North Bengal and had been made effective from 27/12/2011.

President	- Sri Kanoj Ballav Goswami.
Secretary	- Dr. Ratna Dey (Lecturer-in-charge)
Member	- Sri Sudhir Ranjan Ghosh (Doner Member). -Sri Biswa Ranjan Sarkar (DPI Nominee) -Sri Pallab Ranjan Ghosh (DPI Nominee) -Sri Niranjan Das (University Nominee) - Sri Debobrata Modak (University Nominee)
Teacher Members	- Smt. Jolly Biswas. - Smt. Dipa Chakraborty. - Sri. Gobinda Rajbanshi - Sri Kanak Kumar Singha
Non-Teaching Members	- Sri Ramraj Sahani. - Subat Chandra Das.
Student's Representative	- Sri Siva Sarkar (G.S, Student's Union)

INFRASTRUCTURE

In retrospect, one wander that the college started its journey on a toddler in 1985 with few teachers and only one assistant and with just forty seven students aspring for Higher Education, it is, now, a well flourished and well thought of degree college offering Honours Course in five subjects along with six subjects on offer as part of General Course and the roll strength runs into several hundreds. All this happen with in a span of 29 years.

But, this exponential growth in demand resulting in a huge stain on the already existing infrastructural facility in order to cope with the rising tide of rush of students with rural background.

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE COLLEGE

1. Creating an academic ambience.
2. Qualitative improvement of teaching –learning process through mutual co-operation.
3. Extending helping hands to students, teachers and non-teaching staff.
4. Participating in different social and cultural programmes in and outside the college.
5. Character building and the manifestation of Personality.
6. Nation Building.
7. To foster the student of weaker sections of society for bringing them in the main stream of national life.
8. To spread the importance of education among the female students to empower women for their self sufficiency, self reliance in case of individual, family, society and national development as a whole.

FACULTY DETAILS

BENGALI

Name	Designation	Qualification
DR. DAYAL CHAND SARDAR	Assistant Professor	M.A.,Ph.D.
Prof. Gobinda Rajbanshi	Assistant Professor	M.A., B.ED.
Dr. Ratna Dey	Associate Professor	M.A., Ph.D.
DR. SUKANTA MUKHOPADHYAY	Assistant Professor	M.A., B.Ed., Ph.D. (2008)
SURAJIT DEY	PTT (Govt. Approved)	M.A.

ENGLISH

Name	Designation	Qualification
Prof. JOLLY Biswas	Associate Professor	M.A., B.Ed
Prof.Kanak Kumar Singha	Assistant Professor	M.A., B.Ed
Prof.Ratul Nandi	Assistant Professor	M.A.

HISTORY

Name	Designation	Qualification
Dr. Jaydip Roy	Associate Professor and H.O.D of History	MA, B.ED & PH.D.
Ruma Sarkar	Part Time Teacher	M.A.,B.Ed
Shelly Das	Assistant Professor	M.A. , M.phil

EDUCATION

Name	Designation	Qualification
Namita Modak	PTT (Govt. Approved)	M.A.
Retina Ray	PTT (Govt. Approved)	M.A.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Name	Designation	Qualification
Dipa Chakraborty	Associate Professor	MA, B.ED & M.PHIL
Rajib Acharjee	PTT (Govt. Approved)	M.A., B.Ed

PHILOSOPHY

Name	Designation	Qualification
Dalim Sk	Assistant Professor	M.A., M.Phil, B.Ed, Ph.D.(Pursuing)
Niranjana Ray	Assistant Professor(Guest)	M.A.
Santosh Barman	Assistant Professor(Guest)	M.A., B.Ed.

GEOGRAPHY

Name	Designation	Qualification
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Pranab Saha Roy Guest Teacher M.A

NON TEACHING STAFF

1.	Sri swapan Majumder	Head Clerk
2.	Sri Subal ch Das	Accountant
3.	Sri Shyamal Sengupta	Cashier
4.	Sri Ramraj Sahani	Clerk
5.	Sri Rajat Kumar Sarkar	Clerk
6.	Smt . Pratima Marak	Office Bearer
7.	Smt. Jaya Saha	Office Bearer
8.	Sri Maniram Karjee	Durwan
9.	Sri Purna Singha Narjinary	Night Guard
10.	Sri Smt Yasant Pairatallma	SWEEPER
11.	Sri Biplob Mandal	Extra part time office bearer
12.	Sri Arka Chakraborty	Computer Operrator(Contractual)

LIBRARY PROFILE

1.	Sri Pradip kumar Mohanta	Librarian
2.	Smt. Sudeshna Roy	Extra part time Librarian Clerk

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Admission in B.A 1st year General/ Honours course for this session is done strictly accordingly to the following rules of the University of North Bengal.

- a) The number of the total Honours seat specifically are as follows:-
English- 83, Bengali-83, History-83, Political Science-83, Philosophy-22, Education-20
- b) Admission into B.A 1st year General and Honours courses will be made on the basis of the norms of University of North Bengal as follows:-
Admission to all Honours Course will be based strictly on Merit. Merit shall be calculated as per the following formula.

$T = \text{Marks obtained in English} + \text{Marks obtained in the subject opted for honours} + \text{best marks of other two subjects excluding EVS and the subjects opted for honours.}$

$S = \text{Marks obtained in the subject opted for Honours.}$

If the candidate does not have the specific subject opted for honours in his/her previous course, the procedure for merit calculation will be as follows;-

$T1 = \text{Marks obtained in English} + \text{best of other three subjects excluding EVS.}$

- c) A student may be admitted to B.A 3 years degree course (General & Honours) after passing the H.S Examination in the General Stream conducted by the West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education in (10+2) pattern after a period of 12 years study or an examination recognized as equivalent by the University provided he/she has passed at least in 5 subjects with English and Environmental Studies as compulsory subject. In case of other Boards where in Environmental Studies is not a compulsory subject, he/she has to pass at Least 5 subjects with English as a compulsory Subject.
- d) Minimum eligibility criteria to apply admission to the 1st year General & Honours courses are as per University norms.
- e) Every applicable who wants to apply for the Hons. Course must fill up both General & Honours forms simultaneously. And every applicable who want only for General Course must fill up the General Courses must fill up the General option only.
- f) The SC/ST applicants will get reservation of seats as per usual Government rules.
- g) The subject applied in Honours course must have in H.S (10+2).
- h) Elective English or Elective Bengali as combination subjects for General course not to be allowed to any students of any Honours subject.
- i) No candidate shall be allowed to take up more than one of the following language subject as elective: i) English, ii) Bengali, iii) Hindi, iv) Nepali, v) Arabic, vi) Urdu, vii) Sanskrit, viii) Modern Tibetan or ix) Such other subject as may be introduced by the University from time to time.
- j) A Candidate prosecuting Honours in a Language subject shall not be allowed to take up the same subject as elective.
- k) A Candidate prosecuting Honours in a language subject shall not be allowed to take up another language subject as elective.
- l) Selection is done strictly on the basis of merit.
- m) A student shall have to offer the following subjects at the B.A./N.Sc./ B.Com. (General) part-I examination.
 - a) Students are offered to take History & Education as Elective subjects for four, section only as per first come first serve basis.

- b) Students are offers to take Elective Bengali, Philosophy, Pol-Science as Elective subject for three Section only as per first come first serve basis
- n) Those candidate who would obtain either (i) 55% marks in the Aggregate or (ii) 50% in the Aggregate with 60 % marks into the subjects in the qualifying Examination Course shall be subject to availability of seats and based on merit.
- o) Provided that for SC/ST/P.H. Candidates the minimum marks for eligibility shall be (i) 50% marks in aggregate or (ii) 45% in the aggregate with 60% in the subject for the admission to Honours course in the subjects' concerned.
- p) N) In the matter of eligibility to apply for admission Honours courses 54.5% marks or above shall be treated as 55% Marks. 49.5% or above shall be treated as 50% and 59.5% marks or above shall be treated as 60%.
- q) O) Attested copies of necessary documents and one copy of stamp size photograph are required to be furnished along with the application form for admission.
- r) P) i) First of admission be made (both General & Honours course) strictly on merit basis.
- s) ii) The candidates, who applied for different Honours courses, will be called to appear before Counselling Committee strictly on merit basis on particular date and time scheduled by the authority with all necessary documents. All the enlisted candidates (Honours course) must have to physically appear himself/herself before Counselling Board and spot admission be made at the counselling hall.
- t) iii) No further request regarding admission in General course/ Counselling & Admission into Honours course be entertained under any circumstance after the fixed schedule.
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- v) Q) In case of furnishing in wrong information or violating the norms of the University of North Bengal, admission is liable to be cancelled.
- w) R) All subsequent notifications, counselling, schedule, admission instruction, selection list etc. will put in the college notice board.
- x) S) Prospectus are from the office which contain form for application for, General & Honours Stream. But candidates must have to submit their application forms individually.
- y) T) Admission form can also be downloaded from the college website as notified in the Newspaper. In that case, original Marksheet must be produced at the time of the submission of the form.
- z) U) Rules & Regulations may be changed by the college authority at time without prior notice.

SUBJECTS OFFERED

HONOURS SUBJECTS	GENERAL SUBJECTS
BENGALI	ELECTIVE BENGALI
ENGLISH	ELECTIVE ENGLISH
HISTORY	HISTORY
POLITICAL SCIENCE	POLITICAL SCIENCE
PHILOSOPHY	PHILOSOPHY
EDUCATION	EDUCATION
	GEOGRAPHY

Students Activities

1. 12th January : Birthday of Swami Vivekananda.
2. 23rd January : Netaji's Birthday Day.
3. 26th January : Republic Day.
4. Swaraswati Puja and Priti Voj.
5. Birthday of Rabindra Nath Tagore.
6. 5th June World Environment Day.
7. 15th August : Independence Day.
8. Nabin Baran Utsab.
9. 2nd October College Foundation Day.
10. 21st Feb International Mother Language Day.
11. Annual Sports for students and Staff.
12. Blood Donation Camp.
13. Annual Cultural and Social.
14. 8th March World Women's Day.

Facilities

1. Library with Reading Room.
2. Well equipped Students Union Room.
3. Girl's Common Room.
4. Boy's Common Room.
5. Conference Hall.
6. Generator
7. Drinking Water and Sanitation for Students.
8. Separate Toilet arrangement for Girls Students.

9. Separate Toilet arrangement for Male & Female Teachers and Non teaching Staff.

SPORTS

1. Play ground under construction.
2. Indoor Games : Chess, Carrom, Table Tennis, Badminton, Volleyball.
3. Out Door Games : Foot Ball. Cricket, Athletics etc.
4. Annual Sports.
5. Inter College Sports Meet.

CULTURAL PROGRAMMES

Various Cultural Programmes are organised in the college by the mutual effort of the students, teachers, and non-teaching staff as follows

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| 1. Freshers Wellcomw | 5. Annul Sports |
| 2. Annual Social Function | 7. Republic Day |
| 3. Saraswati puja | 8. Independence Day |
| 4. Rabindra Jayanti | 9. College Foundation Day |
| | 10. Annual Cultural programme |
| | 11. Various social welfare programme |

ACADEMIC SESSION: 1st JUNE to 31st MAY

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| 1 st Year | : After publication of H.S. Result |
| 2 nd Year | : After completion of B.A. part-I (1+1+1) Examination. |
| 3 rd Year | : After completion of B.A. part –II (1+1+1) Examination. |

(provisional and within 15 days)