## BEST PRACTICE -I: STUDENTS' SEMINAR AND PROJECTS

# 1. Objectives:

- It has been the endeavour of the College to encourage students to participate and present papers at various Students' Seminars, Classroom Seminar and student Projects. These are part of the process to not only make them participate in academic activity that goes beyond classroom teaching but also to instil in them confidence and make them comfortable at public speaking. It is with this in view that various Departments organize such seminars. Faculty are also actively encouraged to participate in state, national and international seminars, conferences and workshops in Indi and abroad.
- Seminars and projects aim to make students aware of new areas of research, provide them with knowledge of the work of noted academicians, understanding of scientific phenomena with a view to understand current trends.

### 2. Practice:

- Faculty actively guide students to present and write seminar papers on topics in the syllabi and even beyond it. They help students on the form, content, style and presentation too.
- Students have access to online resources and books in the library and seminar library to prepare their seminar papers.
- Students are encouraged to make power presentations.
- Some departments bring out proceedings of the Students Seminars.
- Students are asked to use *Publisher* to design posters for presentations in National and State level seminars.
- Data collection, questionnaire preparation and market survey in related areas of research are taught to students.

#### 3. Outcomes:

- Various Departments have organized annual students' seminars where students presented papers on themes/topics that they decide on.
- It is also the practice to have Classroom seminars.
- The new CBCS has presentations as part of the internal evaluation system.
- Students are trained to on a regular basis to prepare questionnaires, undertake data collection, data analysis and data presentation using the various computer skills.

# List of Student Seminars Conducted by the Departments of the College, 2018-2019

Department	Date	Topic of Students Seminar	
Economics	5/10/18	Seminar on "Indian Economy: Past, Present and Future"	
English	9/10/18	Annual students seminar on "Emily Bronte: A Bicentenary"	
Botany	30/11/18	UG student Poster presentation and PG student seminar on various topics to commemorate Birth Anniversary of Sir J.C. Bose	
Zoology	07/12/2018	Students' seminar series organised by the department of Zoology on various topics	
Physics	5/3/19	Students Seminar organised by the Dept of Physics on	

		different topics which are included in their syllabus	
Bengali	27/3/19	Student seminar on "Mangal Gane Manusher Mukh"	
Mathematics	02/4/19	Students' seminar on "Different Aspects of Mathematics"	
Botany	28/5/19	PG student on various topics	

**Students Projects** 

<b>Department</b>	Date	Project Description	
Bengali	28/09/2018	Publication of wall magazine 'Spandan' by the department	
		of Bengali	
English	4/9/18	Wall Magazine on "John Milton"	
English	7/4/19	Wall Magazine on "Girish Karnad"	
Botany	30/11/18	Wall Magazine by PG students	
Zoology	2018-19	Student Project on "Study of Animal Behaviour -Common	
		Moyna, Monkey, Squirrels and Cats" by 1st year students	
Zoology	2018-19	Student Project on "Study of Local Fauna –Wild Birds" by	
		2 <sup>nd</sup> year students	
Zoology	2018-19	Student Project on "Study of Local Fauna -Local Birds"	
		by 2 <sup>nd</sup> year students	
English	23/4/19	A Play and Poetry Reading Session on "An Afternoon	
		with the Bird"	
Botany	2018-19	Green Audit by 2 <sup>nd</sup> year students as parts of Eco-Club	
-		activity	

# BEST PRACTICE -II: CAREER COUNSELLING AND PLACEMENT

## 1. Objectives:

- The Career Counselling and Placement Cell of the College aspires to work at creating an interface between the industry and students.
- It aims to create an environment where students can get to interact with the best in the industry so as to make it easier for students to carve out careers at the end of their academics.
- The Cell hopes to prepare students for the job market.

### 2. Practice:

The following activities are carried out by the Career Counselling and Placement Cell.

- To arrange Career Counselling sessions
- To facilitate awareness regarding job opportunities
- To act as facilitators between the industry and students
- To make students aware of various avenues
- To make available to them various counselling and training opportunities
- To make interactions between the industry and students on a regular basis.

# 3. Outcomes:

Career counselling and Placement cell of the college organised the following programmes:

Date	Name of the Programme	Participation
9/8/2018	Students were taken at the Career Fair organised at Hiralal Mazumdar Memorial College for women	6
3/9/2018	Undergraduate students were taken to a training and placement programme organized TCS at Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata	6
7/9/2018	Brainware centre, Dunlop visited the college to enrol students who have recently graduated in the training programme under "UTKARSH BANGLA" scheme	25
31/1/2019	Career Fair 2019	Nine company participated in the event and five of them made presentations for students. 182 students participated in the Career Fair including students from other colleges.
29/04/2019	Job ready seminar related to recruitment in TCS organized by Anudip Foundation.	5