

Department of English

Short Introduction with Brief History of the Department

(Highlights : year of establishment, students activities, National level achievements of students and faculties, research activities, if any, innovative teaching learning activities, carrier counseling, other activities etc.)

The Department started with Honours course in English in 1983 with 3 full-time faculty members. In course of time, the number of full-time substantive posts stood at 4, and the department, at present, has 3 posts filled up, with 1 substantive vacancy (w.e.f. 01/08/2019) created owing to the resignation tendered by Mr. Suvendu Ghatak, who left for The University of Florida, USA, to pursue his Ph.D. studies.


The students passing out of this department have, at a considerably high rate, moved to teaching profession – at all levels – School, College, and University. At present, 7 University teachers, over 15 College teachers, and a large number of School teachers all over the country are engaged in building up new generations of successful citizens.



- **Forthcoming Events of the Department :**

1. Introduction of PG Course (MA) in English from the current session (2019-20)
2. Inaugural Programme of PG Course (In August 2019)
3. Prof. Subodh Kumar Basu Ray Memorial Lecture (In August 2019)
4. Departmental Re-union (September 2019)
5. Departmental Seminar (tentatively in November 2019)



- **Running Courses :** PG (from August 2019), UG-Honours, UG-Programme

- **List of Faculty Members :**

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Qualification	Photo
1	Dr. Chhandam Deb	Associate Professor	M.A., Ph.D.	

2	Ajay Kumar Gangopadhyay	Associate Professor	M.A.	
3	Dr. Ashoke Kumar Agarwal	Associate Professor	M.A., Ph.D.	

- List of Part-time Faculty Members : NIL
- List of Guest Faculty Members

Sl.	Name	Designation	Qualification	Photo
1	Subrata Choudhury	Guest Lecturer	M.A. (NET qualified)	
2	Mrinmoy Dandapat	Guest Lecturer	M.A. (NET qualified)	

- University Topper List since 2014

Course	Name	Percentage of Marks	Year of Passing	Photo
B.A. Eng. Hons.	Dablu Mahato	65.87%	2016	
-Do-	Jhiliam Ganguly	66.62%	2018	

- Honours Results of last five years

Year of Passing	No of students Registered	No of students in Final Examination		No of first class	University Rank Holders, if any
	Two years ago	Appeared	Qualified		
2014	68	21	19	4	2014
2015	74	56	41	Nil	2015
2016	73	65	58	03	2016
2017	67	48	30	03	2017
2018	78	68(Old +New)	56	12	2018

- **List of Retired Faculty Members**

Sl.	Name	Designation	Qualification	Photo
1	Late S. K. Basu Ray	Reader	M.A.	
2	Late Dr. A. K. Sanyal	Reader	M.A., Ph.D.	
3	Dr. D. K. Banerjee	Reader	M.A., Ph.D.	
4	Dr. S. S. Senapati	Associate Professor	M.A., Ph.D.	

- **List of Non-Teaching Staff : NIL**

- **Completed/Ongoing Research Projects**

Sl. No.	Title of the Project	Name of P.I.	Duration	Funding Agency	Total Amount Sanctioned	Current Status	No. of Associated Scholars
1	Experiments with Beat : Chhau Dance of Purulia & and Indian Classical Music	Dr. Chhandam Deb	24 months	UGC	2,35,000/-	Completed	NIL

- **Seminars/ Conference/Workshop**

Sl. No.	Title of the Seminars/ Conference /Workshop	Level (Local/State /National /International)	Date	Funding Agency	Total Amount Sanctioned	No. of participants
1	17 th & 18 th Century English Poetry	State	20/02/15	College	10000/-	219

- **List of Important Alumni Members (Students)**

Sl. No.	Name	Passed out year	Position held Now	Mobile No.	Email
1	Dr Apurba Saha	1993	Associate Professor, Sidho-Kanho-Birsha University, Purulia (WB)		
2	Dr. Angshuman Kar	1997	Associate Professor, Burdwan		

			University (WB)		
3	Dr. Subham Chatterjee	1997	Moradabad		
4	Dr. Arnab Sinha		Associate Professor, Burdwan University (WB)		
5	Dr. Prasenjit Panda		Associate Professor, Ghasiram Das University, Bilaspur (MP)		
6	Dr. Dhananjoy				
7	Dr. Kalyan Chatterjee		Govt. General Degree College, Manbazar, Purulia (WB)		
8	Dr. Shaktipada Kumar				
9	Dr. Parthasarathi Mondal		Assistant Professor, Manbhum Mahavidyalay, Manbazar, Purulia (WB)		
10	Sangita Banerjee	2008	Assistant Professor, Govt. General Degree College, Manbazar, Purulia (WB)		
11	Krishnendu Das	2008	Assistant Professor, Kashipur M.M. Mahavidyalay, Purulia (WB)		
12	Sharmistha Karmakar	2009	Assistant Professor, Nistarini (Women's) College, Purulia (WB)		
13	Dhananjoy Gorain		Kulti College, Burdwan (WB)		

- List of Important Alumni Members (Faculty) : NIL
 - Model Questions (Honours) : (attach separate Sheet)
1. CC1– CC14
 2. GE1 – GE2
 3. DSE1 –DSE6
 4. SEC 1 – SEC 2