



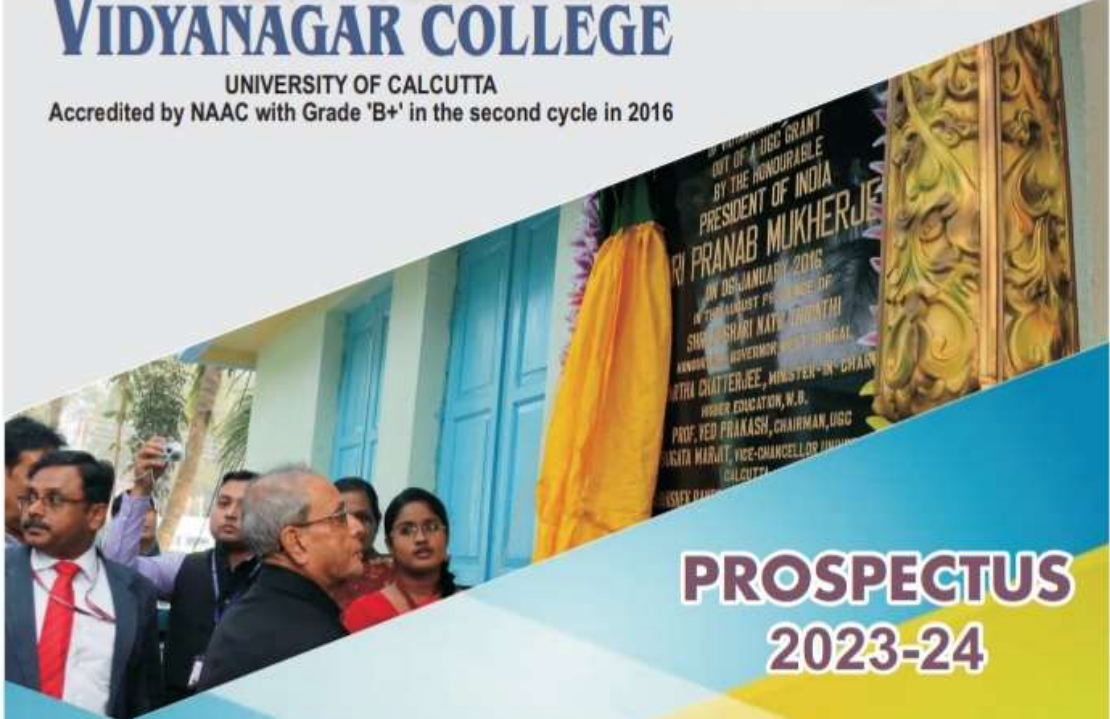
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VIDYANAGAR COLLEGE

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

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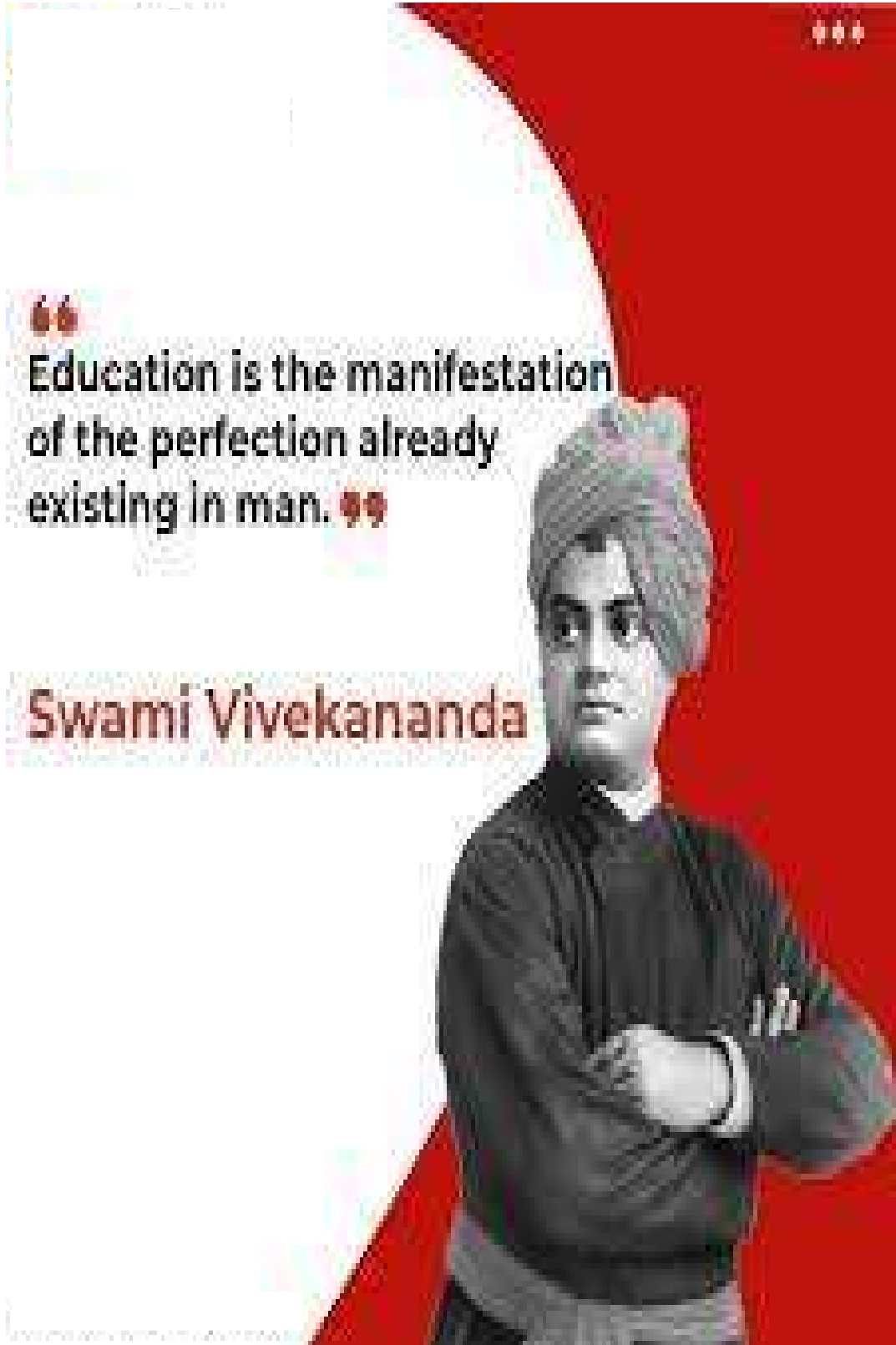


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Dhirendranath Bera
Founder of the College



Swami Vivekananda

Welcome to Vidyanagar College

GOVERNING BODY PRESIDENT ' S M E S S A G E

Dearest Students,

Vidyanagar College stands as a pioneer amongst the esteemed colleges of the University of Calcutta. Here, we find the perfect harmony between tradition and the cutting edge of modern education. We boast state-of-the-art facilities that foster a vibrant atmosphere of camaraderie and purpose. Beyond the brick and mortar, what truly sets us apart is the unparalleled learning experience we offer. Our dedicated faculty provides exceptional instruction, complemented by a diverse range of co-curricular activities designed to enrich your lives. Each department is invested in your personal growth, empowering you with the skills and knowledge to make informed choices and become exemplary contributors to society. Remember, success is built on maximizing your potential, and we are here to support you every step of the way. We are confident that your time at Vidyanagar College will be enriching and transformative. Embrace every challenge, savor every experience, and make the most of this exciting chapter in your life.

With warmest wishes,

Sri Amarendranath Samanta

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Vidyanagar College, an institution renowned for its unwavering commitment to excellence in all facets of its life. We have proudly earned our place as one of the most esteemed and prestigious colleges under the University of Calcutta, driven by a constant commitment to progress and growth. Over the past few years, we have witnessed remarkable expansion, welcoming new courses and significantly enhancing our infrastructure. This translates to an enriched learning experience for our students, encompassing not only high-level academics but also diverse extracurricular activities and valuable add-on courses. At the heart of Vidyanagar College lies a dedication to our students. Their holistic development and character building are paramount, and we achieve this by catering to each individual's needs and cultivating a supportive socio-ecological environment tailored to their specific potential. We empower our faculty through ongoing development programs, honing their teaching and mentoring skills to ensure they consistently guide our students toward success. As we move forward, the college remains at the forefront of innovation, actively embracing the National Education Policy's mandate for blended learning programs, skill-based education, and capacity building for both faculty and students. The spirit of Vidyanagar College resonates deeply within its community of staff and students alike. We believe that your time here will be enriching, filled with memorable experiences and enduring friendships. I encourage you to make the most of the opportunities offered, and together, let us build a vibrant and successful future.



Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala Principal, Vidyanagar College

History of Our College

Vidyanagar College is affiliated to the University of Calcutta. It is located on the road joining Amtala and Budge Budge to Bishnupur, Block-II in the District of South 24-Parganas, some thirty kilometres away from Esplanade, the administrative and commercial hub of the city of Kolkata. The college, though only a little away from the south-west fringes of the metropolis, is situated entirely in a rural setting amidst lush pastures. The college came into being on 29 July, 1963 as the unflinching zeal and social commitment of visionaries of the locality as late Sri Dhirendranath Bera and late Sri Harendranath Majumder.



Goals and objectives

Throughout the five decades of its existence Vidyanagar College has been striving unstintingly to achieve lofty ideals of human excellence in its own humble way. Goals and objectives, which can be specified as follows:

- To realize the potential inherent in all students by providing them a congenial ambience of growth and fulfilment.
- To impart liberal education to the village community by way of developing the personality of the students to the fullest extent, thereby ensuring all-round growth.
- To inculcate the young minds with a respect for values, social mores and the richness of community life.

Mission and Vision

The Objective of the College, advancement of learning, strongly manifests the spirit of Education for Empowerment. Accordingly, Vidyanagar College ever since its inception has empowered thousands of young people, particularly those displaced from the erstwhile East Pakistan and also those belonging to the backward communities of the area. The college, in fact, enjoys now the rare distinction of catering to the educational needs of a composite section of young learners belonging to both the urban middle class of the southern suburbs of Kolkata and the rural poor of South Bengal.

1. To empower the students and teachers with the resources of knowledge creation and make them self-reliant.
2. To facilitate an innovative learning process, where learning is contextualised in the changes, needs and challenges of the real world.
3. To equip the students with a mature mind and heart, capable of critical thinking, innovation and experimentation that enable them to become leaders.
4. To ignite the minds of the students to discover their individuality, improvise and acknowledge diversity.
5. To help the students build meaningful careers by strengthening their employability skills.

6. To pledge a commitment to build a bond with nature, fellow beings and their own deeper selves.

Core Values:

Academic Excellence and Integrity;
Outstanding Teaching and Service Orientation;
Individual and Collective Excellence;
Diversity, Mutual Respect and Social Justice;
Scholarly Attributes and Professional Leadership;
Developing Physical and Mental Health and Decision Making

Institutional Definition of Whole Person Education:

Vidyanagar College is an affiliated college under University of Calcutta. Since inception, the college has made its mark in imparting liberal education with moral values to students so that they can be intellectually sound, morally upright, socially concerned and spiritually oriented.



INFRASTRUCTURE AND FACILITIES

Building Infrastructure

State of Art Building

Clean and Green Campus

Solar Panels/Water Harvesting Plant

Uninterrupted Electricity & Water Supply

Fully AC Conference room

Library

Reading Rooms

Laboratory

Indoor Gymnasium-cum-Sports Room

Canteen

IT facilities

ICT-enabled Smart Classrooms with Projectors

Computer Labs with the latest Hardware and Software



List of Principals/Vice principal/Teacher-in-Charge

1) Prop. Sunil Kumar Chaterjee	Principal	1963-1966
2) Prop. Pranab Mukharjee	Officiating Principal	1966-1967
3) Prop. Debranjana Mukherjee	Principal	1967-1969
4) Prop. Debi Prasad Nanda	Principal	1969-1970
5) Prop. Shaila Behari Chaterjee	Principal	1970-1971
6) Prop. Indrajit Mondal	Principal	1971-1975
7) Prop. Kartick Chandra Adhikary	Vice Principal & TIC	1975-1979
8) Prop. Subodh Chowdhury	Principal	1979-1980
9) Prop. Kartick Chandra Adhikary	Vice Principal & TIC	1980
10) Prop. Satya Ranjan Das	Principal	1980-1981
11) Prop. Kartick Chandra Adhikary	Teacher-in-Charge	February 1982
12) Prop. Bijan Behari Purakayastha	Principal	March 1982-Oct. 1982
13) Prop. Kartick Chandra Adhikary	Vice Principal & TIC	Oct. 1982-Nov. 1985
14) Prop. Amar Nath Basumallick	Principal	1985-1995
15) Prop. Kartick Chandra Adhikary	Vice Principal	1995-1998
16) Dr. Mahadev Sinha	Principal	1998-2012
17) Dr. Arabinda Ghosh	Teacher-in-Charge	January 2013-January 2014
18) Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala	Teacher-in-Charge	February 2014-1 st July 2015
19) Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala	Principal	2 nd July 2015-Till Date

Notable Faculty

Pranab Mukherjee, President of India

Poet Pabitra Mukhopadhyay, Bengali language and literature



Pranab Mukherjee



Pabitra Mukhopadhyay

Governing Body

President

Sri Amarendranath Samanta

Principal and Secretary

Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala

Members

Dr. Debashish Mitra

Dr. Bishnupriya Roy Chowdhury

Sri Shyamal Bera

Smt. Kalpana Dalapati

Dr. Alak Kumar Chakrabarti

Dr. Banani Chakraborty

Dr. Arunima Ray Chowdhury

Sri Susanta Kumar Pal

College Staff

Principal: Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala, Ph.D.

Bursar : Subrata Sar, M.A., D.E.L.T.

IQAC : Dr. Arunima Ray (Chowdhury), M.A., Ph.D.

Teaching Staff

* The list of faculty includes two Categories of permanent full time teachers a. Teachers on Substantive Post and b. State Aided College Teachers

Bengali

Dr. Banani Chakraborty, @² M.A., B.Ed., Ph.D.

Dr. Gopa Biswas, @² M.A. (Head of the Department), B.Ed., Ph.D.

Prof. Minati Hansda, @² M.A., B.Ed.

Prof. Jhuma Naskar Bhandari, * M.A., B.Ed.

Prof. Saurav Samanta, * M.A., B.Ed., M.Phil.

Prof. Abashesh Das,** M.A.(Bengali), M.A. (Comparative Indian language and literature), B.ED.

Prof. Sanjit Naskar,** M.A., B.Ed.

Prof. Arghya Chatterjee,** M.A., B.Ed.

English

Prof. Subrata Sar[@] (Head of the Department), M.A., D.E.L.T.

Prof. Sahidur Rahaman Lasker,^{@2} M.A.

Prof. Ankita Adhikary,** M.A.

Prof. Pritthwish Das,* M.A.

History

Dr. Alak Kumar Chakrabarti,[@] M.A., Ph.D.

Dr. Arunima Ray (Chowdhury)[@] (Head of the Department), M.A., Ph.D.

Prof. Pijush Kumar Dalapati,** M.A., B.Ed, M.Phil.

Prof. Debshila Dawn,** M.A., B.Ed.

Philosophy

Prof. Kamal Kanti Biswas,[@] (Head of the Department) M.A.

Dr. Bibekananda Sau[@], M.A., B.Ed., Ph.D.

Prof. Suparna Bera,** M.A.

Political Science

Dr. Parthapratim Sen[@], M. A., Ph.D.

Dr. Anima Mali,^{@2} (Head of the Department) M. A., M.Phil, Ph.D.

Prof. Abhijit Das,** M. A.

Prof. Subrata Bera,* M. A.

Sociology

Dr.Sabirul Sk* (Head of the Department), M.A., B.ed., Ph.D.

Education

Prof. Samir Ghosh^{@2} (Head of the Department), M.A., B. Ed.

Prof. Riya Bhattacharjee,** M.A., B. Ed.

Botany

Prof. Meghma Bera^{@2} (Head of the Department), M.Sc.

Dr. Sudip Kumar Das,* M.Sc., Ph.D.

Chemistry

Dr. Niyati Majee Das,[@] M.Sc., Ph.D.

Dr. Palas Das[@] (Head of the Department), M.Sc., Ph.D.

Sri Dwijendranath Samanta, Graduate Laboratory Instructor, M.Sc.

Economics

Prof. Ananya Banerjee Pakrasi,[@] M.A. in Economics.

Prof. Samit Chattopadhyay,^{@2} M.Sc., MBA.

Prof. Arpan Kumar Roy^{@2} (Head of the Department), M.A., M.Phil.

Mathematics

Dr. Anjana Kundu[@] (Head of the Department), M.Sc., Ph.D.

Prof. Bishal Tamang,^{@2} M.Sc.

Prof. Babusona Mondal,** M.Sc.

Prof. Rakhi Jana,* M.Sc.

Prof. Riyam Biswas,* M.Sc.

Prof. Rimpa Khan,** M.Sc.

Physics

Dr. Arpan Kool,^{@2} M.Sc., Ph.D.

Dr. Soumi Halder^{@2} (Head of the Department), M.Sc., Ph.D.

Prof. Pankaj Mondal,* M.Sc.

Prof. Apurba Maity,** M.Sc.

Prof. Tanushri Das,* M.Sc.

Zoology

Prof. Amit Kumar Gayen,^{@2} M.Sc., B.Ed.

Dr. Sudipta Patra^{@2} (Head of the Department), M.Sc., Ph.D.

Prof. Meheli Kanji,* M.Sc.

Prof. Sandipan Mondal,* M.Sc.

Prof. Dipesh Choudhury,** M.Sc.

Prof. Souvik Ghosal,* M.Sc.

Environmental studies

Sri Dwijendranath Samanta (Head of the Department), GLI, M.Sc.

Prof. Sayari Dalapati,* M.Sc.

Commerce

Prof. Netajee Prasad Kuiry[@] (Head of the Department), M.Com.

Prof. Subrata Das,^{@2} M.Com. M.Phil, MBA (HR & Finance), PDGIPR.

Prof. Doyel Aich,^{@2} M.Com., M.Phil,

Prof. Gourab Das,^{@2} M.Com. M.Phil, MBA (HR & Finance), M.A (Economics), PGDT, PGDCA, PDGIPR, B.Ed.

Prof. Srijani Basu,** M.Com.

Prof. Monalisa Bhowmick,** M.Sc. (Computer Information Technology), B.Ed.

Prof. Tama Dwibedi,** M.Com. M.Phil, CMA (Inter.)

Prof. Arna Ray,** M.Com. PGDPMS.

Prof. Utsab Das,* M.Sc. (Computer Science)

Library

Rumpa Pal, M. A., M.Lisc., M. Phil. (Librarian)

Santanu Mondal, M.Com., M.Lisc. (Librarian)

@ Associate Professor @² Assistant Professor

* State Aided College Teacher-I ** State Aided College Teacher-II

Non-Teaching Staff

Head Clerk

Vacant

Cashier

Sri Uday Sankar Das (Casual)

Clerk

Vacant

Office Staff

Sri Tushar Kanti Mahish (Casual)

Sri Sounak Banu, MLISC, PGDHR (Casual)

Sri Ashis Polley (Casual)

Sri Koustav Pal (Casual)

Smt. Bandana Dalui (Casual)

Sri Arun Das (Casual)

Sri Ranjit Mondal (Casual)

Typist Cum Clerk

Vacant

Laboratory Assistant

Sri Sushanta Kumar Pal

Library Assistant

Smt. Sushmita Ghosh (Contractual Whole Timer)

Library Attendent

Sri Partha Polley

Office Attendant

Smt. Sumita Barua (Nath) (Lady Attendant)

Sri Lakshman Chandra Poali

Faculty Room Attendent

Smt. Hemlata Mondal (Casual)

Principal Room Attendent
Smt. Anamika Mallick (Casual)

Guards
Sri Dhak Bahadur Thapa, (Day)
Bijay Kumar Singh, (Night)

Pump Operator
Vacant

Sweeper
Sri Sachin Hazra

Accreditation
Vidyanagar College is recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC).



CELLS AND COMMITTEES

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)

Following the National Assessment and Accreditation Council's (NAAC) guidelines, Vidyannagar College established its Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in 1963. This cell plays a crucial role in ensuring continuous quality improvement within the institution.

NAAC Accreditation: Under the IQAC's guidance, the college underwent NAAC accreditation in 2016 and secured a 'B+' grade.

Vision: To foster a culture of quality within the institution by internalizing and institutionalizing all quality-enhancing initiatives undertaken with internal and external support.

Mission: To develop a system for consistent and strategic improvement in academic and administrative performance. This includes promoting measures for institutional functioning towards quality enhancement, internalizing quality culture, and implementing best practices.

Coordinator: Dr. Arunima Ray (Chowdhury), Department of History.

ANTI-RAGGING CELL

Ragging has ruined countless innocent lives and careers. In order to eradicate it, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, in Civil Appeal No. 887 of 2009, passed the judgement wherein guidelines were issued for setting up of a Central Crisis Hotline and Anti-Ragging Database. In accordance with UGC guidelines, the college has institutionalized a robust anti-ragging committee.

- i. We are guided by the Supreme Court and university Grants Commission advocated guidelines for curbing the menace of ragging in higher educational institutions (Regulation 2013). Students are required to adhere to the anti-ragging rules that are in force in the campus.
- ii. Indulging in or abetment of ragging is a punishable offence and may lead to expulsion from the college.
- iii. the college has an Anti-ragging Committee.
- iv. Convenor: Prof. Arpan Kumar Roy (Dept. of Economics), Dr. Soumi Halder (Dept. of Physics)
- v. Helpline Nos.:
Email:

Best Practices of the College

1. Green Initiative in the Campus: The college has promoted a variety of activities to help protect the environment and sustain its natural resources. The college is a no smoking zone and is also a plastic free campus. The college has partially paperless.

2. Seminer:

3. Garden:

4. Dhirendranath Bera Memorial Speech:

5. Fund for Students' Welfare:

NAAC Visit

NAAC Certificate

Departments

Bengali

The Department of Bengali was set up in 1968. Starting from the journey it was general department. The honours subject was introduced since 19... So, this department offered Bengali honours course as well as general course. The department always encourage and guide their students for consistency progress in their result and other academic activities. Right from inception, the special emphasis of the faculty has been on strengthening the system of learning in Bengali language and literature. General course and Honours course was introduced in 19 and 19 respectively. Department is having with Departmental room and shares all other central infrastructure of the college. Total Intake capacity of the department is

English

Department of English was established along with the inception of Vidyanagar College on 29th July, 1963. It was one of the few earliest active departments of the institution. In the beginning, the department was catering to the +2 students and the Compulsory Language Paper to the Under Graduate students. English as a General subject in the Under Graduate Courses (B.A) was introduced in session 2003-04. Stalwarts like Prof. Majushree Banerjee, Prof. Biswanath Kayal, Prof. Moloy Ranjan Dey and Prof. Somnath Basu worked in the Department as Faculty members in the past. At present the Department is headed by Prof. Subrata Sar. Prof. Sahidur Rahaman Lasker, Prof. Ankita Adhikary and Prof. Pritthwish Das are working as faculty members of the department under the leadership of Prof. Subrata Sar.

The department started offering B.A English Honours in the institution three years later in session 2006-07. Since then, the Department has been active in offering courses in all newer models of curriculum. The Honours course commenced its journey with B.A (2+1) yearly system followed by (1+1+1) curriculum and CBCS (6 semesters) curriculum. From session 2023-24, the department is following the NEP-CCF 2022 curriculum in offering the U.G courses. At present, there is a sanction to accommodate only 47 candidates for the Honours course. The Department also plays an important role in offering (D.D.E R.B.U) M.A in English as a P.G degree course since the session 2006-07.

History

The Department of History of Vidyanagar College was established on 29th of July 1963 with Prof. Sachidananda Sarkar and Dr. Sasanka Shekhar Parui. History was taught in the Higher Secondary section of the college initially. At the undergraduate level initially, it was taught as a General Course. Honours course

was initiated in 2002. It was enriched with dedicated teachers who always tried their level best for academic upliftment of students. Teachers of the Dept. used to participate in College Seminars, workshops, various cultural programmes, sports, seminars of different academic institutions and published articles in reputed journals etc. It must be added that a vibrant atmosphere always prevails in this department undoubtedly. Intake capacity of the department is 50 in Hons and 100 in General.

Philosophy

The department of Philosophy of **VIDYANAGAR COLLEGE** was established in the year 1963. It is one of the foremost departments of the college. The department nurtures young minds to grow as fine human resources inculcating in them, rational, critical and progressive outlook with moral and social values. It is our challenge to cultivate our students as budding philosophers; inquirers of knowledge and ethical analyst of issues pertaining to society, evolving to become a practical applicant of moral values in life and above all a true human being. The philosophy department of the college has consistently excelled in academics and co-curricular activities. At present, we have two permanent faculty members and one State Aided College Teacher. The faculty members of the department are always devoted to teaching and learning process and to give every student a space to grow and realize their potentialities. We are highly concern of completion of the syllabus within stipulated time and transparent internal evaluation. We regularly organize students' seminar, group discussion etc. to train up the students. of the department 'how seminar paper should be presented', 'what is academic writing', 'how to appear in and present oneself in group discussion', 'how seminar paper can be presented with the help of audio-visual aids etc. We invite faculty members from other department and organize interdisciplinary lectures for students to develop comprehensive understanding of philosophical issues.

Political Science

The Department of Political Science began its humble journey along with the college in the year 1963. It offered courses in the plus two and in the undergraduate level as a pass subject. Though there were no shortage in the number of students in the plus-two and the undergraduate (pass) level, there was a fall in the year 2000 when the College had to, I discontinue the plus-two courses, following government policy. However, the demand for Political Science as a combination-subject in the undergraduate level continued to grow among the students. The introduction of Honours course in the year 2003 was an important step for the College as a whole and for the Department in particular. No longer have the students passing out from the nearby schools and aspiring to study Political Science Honours had to seek admission to far off colleges. We have Started late-a long wait for forty years to introduce the Honours courses, but with vigour.

Sociology

The Department of Sociology of Vidyanagar College was established in the year 19... This major focuses on sociological perspectives as they are related to social structure, social institutions, social inequality, and the solution to social problems. The Department of Sociology is one of the activity-oriented departments in the School of Liberal Arts and Culture Studies which provides students sociological perspective to develop a critical understanding of society. Excellent infrastructure having well equipped classrooms and library facilities. Seminars and conferences are arranged regularly for exposure of students to the national and international debates of sociological relevance.

Education

Vidyanagar College was established on 29th June, 1963 in order to provide quality education to the local students. Unlike many other subjects Department of Education was inaugurated in the year 2006. The department commenced its journey under the able leadership of Prof. Soma Mukhopadhyay and Prof. Anita Saha. Currently Prof. Samir Ghosh leads the department along with the able accompaniment of Prof. Riya Bhattacharjee.

Presently, the Department offers General courses for the Under Graduate Students. The department commenced with a sanction of 70 students more than 17 years ago. Presently it has university permission to allot _____ no. of seats to the students. A huge number of students prefer Education because of the able management of the department and the career driven aspects of the subject.

Botany

The Department of Botany was established in the year 1994, at the time of introduction of B.Sc. (Two-year Pass) course in the College. Since its inception, the Department has distinguished itself with consistently good performance of the students in the University Examinations. Subsequently, the department has made rapid progress, not only in infrastructure, but also in the number of enrolled enthusiastic students. Furthermore, good performance of the students at the degree level has made this department a highly desirable educational sink. Over the years, the alumni of this department have proved their potential and held different positions in various Government and Non-Government Academic and Research establishments of India. Departmental laboratories have been upgraded with modern equipments and teaching aids with the developmental grants from RUSA. A Medicinal Plants Garden (Vesojo–Bitan) consisting of many species of medicinal herbs, shrubs and trees has been established in the college campus under the aegis of this department with a view to disseminate knowledge to the students and other interested people of the area.

Chemistry

Though the College was built in 1968, Department of Chemistry started its journey way back in 1978. Initially the College was allowed to teach the Higher Secondary (10+2) curriculum. The two-year B.Sc. General degree course in Physical Science was approved in 1983. The first post of Chemistry was created in 1978 and Dr. Nilanjan Basu was appointed as Lecturer in 1979. Sri Dwijendra Nath Samanta was appointed as Graduate Laboratory Instructor in 1985.

The Choice Base Credit System (CBCS) was introduced in 2019 and the Curriculum & Credit Framework (UG) under the New Education Policy (NEP) was introduced in 2023. The Department utilizes classes in both white board-marker as well audio-visual through projector mode. A well-defined Chemistry Laboratory is there for Practical classes. Two new Laboratories with modern equipments and teaching aids are going to be built shortly in the first floor of New Building. The Department of Chemistry organized a 30 hours value added Add-on course.

Economics

The Department of Economics has been existing in the College since 5th August 1963. Prpf. Rabindranath Bhattacharjee joined the Department as the first full-time lecturer. At the time, this institution offered three-years bachelor degree in Pass Course affiliated to the University of Calcutta. So, Economics was offered as a Pass Course subject. At the pre-university level Economics and Political Science were offered as a combined subject. In the beginning the subject was taught at the B.A./B.Sc. and B.Com. (General) level. From 1976 to 2001, the Department also offered the Higher Secondary course. Honours in Economics was introduced in 2001.

Mathematics

The Department of Mathematics in Vidyanagar College is functioning since the session 1977-78. The first post of the department was created to teach Higher Secondary (science) students only. Dr. Utpal Chatterjee joined the department as the first full-time lecturer. In the session 1983-84, B.Sc. (General) course was opened. B.Sc. (Hons) course was started from session 2002-2003. Now the department has a glory with five lecturers. The professors try to maintain friendly and helpful relationship with all the students irrespective of their background. The alumni of this department have continued to glorify different positions in various Academics and Research Institutes of India, as well as in various designated post of Govt. and Private sectors. The department include an add-on programme and arranged some seminars for students.

Physics

The Department of Physics of Vidyanagar College was set up as a part of the Department of Science in the year 1978 for promotion and growth of Science in the adjoining rural areas of the college. The mission was to bring the students' attention to Science and give them a chance to learn Physics at Higher Secondary level. Then, there were no institution in the nearby villages to teach Science even at H.S level. Later in the year of 1983, the B.Sc. (General) course in Physics was introduced. The Departmental Laboratory is located on the 1st floor of Science Building covering an area of about 1700 sq. ft. And a very modern style Dark Room is located on the same floor of Science Building covering area of about 200 sq. ft. The Department is equipped with modern up-to-date Practical Instruments. Seminar and Lectures by eminent Scientists are frequently arranged in the Department to orient young minds towards Science. And few Add-On Courses were also arranged by the Department. The Department has served the students of poor socio-economic background, and lived up to its reputation of teaching Science to the students, most of whom were first generation learner. The alumni of this Department have continued to glorify different positions in various Academic Institutes, as well as in various post of Govt. and Private sectors.

Zoology

The Department of Zoology of Vidyanagar College was seeded as Dept. of Biological sciences in Vidyanagar College in the year 1977. The vice principal and teacher in charge Professor K.C Adhikari, then administrator professor Amitesh Chakraborty and the MLA Mr. Prabhas Roy took initiative in introducing science stream in the college. Later on, Dr. Subodh Chowdhury took the post of Principal in 1983-84 and enriched the department with his endeavor. In 1994-95 sessions DPI, Govt. of West Bengal sanctioned B.Sc (Bio Science) Zoology and Botany as pass subject. Then Principal Dr. Amar Basu Mallick, vice Principal Prof. K.C Adhikari and the members of governing body took active role in introducing the subjects. Dr. Arabinda Ghosh took the charge of the department since inception of the B.Sc courses. In 1997 Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala joined the department as a faculty member and participated in flourishing the department. Honours course was introduced with Dr. Arabinda Ghosh and Dr. Surja Prakash Agarwala on the session of 2010-2011. The alumni of this department have continued to glorify different positions in various Academics and Research Institutes of India, as well as in various designated post of Govt. and Private sectors. Over the financial years, the Dept. of Zoology has received Developmental grants from RUSA. As a result, effort has been to upgrade the laboratories with modern equipments and teaching aids. The departmental Seminar Library has also been enriched with CBCS and NEP syllabus-oriented books.

Environmental studies

The department was established in 2019. The Environmental studies department of Vidyanagar College is open for all the students as the subject is taught as compulsory for all bachelor degree students. The classes of this subject is very much practical problem-solution oriented. The students become more aware about the impact of their small acts. There are no Honours or General courses in this department, only compulsory paper. But some students have been motivated so much by the subject that they have chosen it as the subject of their higher studies. The teachers try to maintain friendly and helpful relationship with all the students irrespective of their background. Some activities are also organised by the teachers along with the students to impart practical approach to help sustain the environment. The activities include tree plantation, plastic collection, practical excursions etc. Other activities organised by the department include add-on programme based on life-skill such as, "impacts of climate change on human health" and also individual project works, for which certificates are issued for each and every student.

Commerce

Library

Vidyanagar College Library is situated at ground floor of auditorium building of the Vidyanagar College. The library has an enviable collection of text and reference books (more than 26,000), various national and international journals, periodicals, magazines and newspapers covering all parameters. Both open and closed access systems have been maintained simultaneously in the library. The library is fully automated with Integrated Library Management Software Koha. All the documents available in the library are barcode based and can be searched in Online Public Access Catalogue (OPAC). The library also subscribes to various e-Resources through UGC INFLIBNET N-LIST programme, where users can access e-journals and e-books. The College Library is the institutional member of British Council Library, Kolkata. The library has a good collection of non-book materials too, such as map, CD, etc. Internet facility is also available and users are encouraged to access millions of open access journals and databases. The entire library is Wi-Fi enabled. This facility has been provided for library users. The library is under CCTV Surveillance.

Undergraduate Studies under CBCS Curriculum

Admission

The Academic Session begins on 1st July every year and extends upto 30th June of the next year. Admission will be made strictly in accordance with norms as prescribed by the Admission Committee. Students seeking admission from University / Board / H.S. Council must produce their examination certificates, mark sheet, certificates of age and a migration certificate (where necessary) in original.

Admission to the college is granted on the understanding that the student undertakes to conform in all respects to the rules and discipline of the college.

Please note:

1. Admission to any course in the College is provisional, subject to the final approval of the University of Calcutta.
2. Reservation Policy.

COURSES OFFERED

Vidyanagar College offers its students quite a wide range of programme options, the successful completion of which leads to awards of Bachelor's degrees in Arts, Science and Commerce, both in the Honours and the General courses by the University of Calcutta.

The College offers the following courses of study:

B.A. Honours: Bengali, English, History, Philosophy, Political science.

B.A. General: Bengali, English, History, Philosophy, Political science, Education, Sociology.

* Any three from the above set of subjects.

B.Sc. Honours: Economics, Mathematics, Zoology.

B.Sc. General: Botany, Chemistry, Economics, Mathematics, Physics, Zoology.

B. Com. Honours: Accounting and Finance

B.Com General: The course offered to the students is a comprehensive one,

covering a wide range of subjects including Business economics. Business Environment, Business Management, Business Mathematics and Statistics, Business Regulatory Framework, Elements of Taxation, Entrepreneurship Development and Business Communication, Fundamental of Auditing, Information Technology and its application in Business Money and Financial System, Principles and Practice of Accountancy, which are arranged in four groups. A student has to opt for a combination that includes all these subjects.

General Structure of the Courses : B.A. and B.Sc.

1. Language Group:
 - i. English (Compulsory)
 - ii. Bengali (for those not having Bengali)
2. Honours & General Subject Combinations
3. Environmental Studies (Compulsory)

COURSE STRUCTURE-MDC

	CC1	CC2	Minor	IDC	AEC	SEC	CVAC	Summer Internship	Total Credit
Semester	8x4= 32	8x4= 32	6x4= 24	3x3=9	4x2= 8	3x4=12	4x2=8	1x3= 3	128
1	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU		1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2=4		21
2	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU		1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4	2x2=4		21
3	1x4= 4 (3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	1x4= 4 3TH+1P/ TU	1x3=3 2TH +1P/TU	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU	1x4= 4			21
4	2x4=8 4x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 (3TH+1P/ TU)		1x2= 2 2TH +0P/TU				22
5	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	1x4= 4 3TH+ 1P/TU	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						20
6	1x4= 4 (3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)	2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						20
Credits	8x4= 32	8x4= 32	6x4= 24	3x3= 9	4x2= 8	3x4= 12	4x2= 8	1x3= 3	128
Marks	8x100= 800	8x100= 800	6x100= 600	3x75= 225	4x50= 200	3x100= 300	4x50= 200	3x25= 75	Total Marks =3200

Marks= 25 marks per credit.

Total credit=125+3 (for summer internship) = 128

Summer Internship: As mentioned in clause no. 8 (G)

EXAMINATIONS

Unit Examinations (for Honours students) are held for 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th semester students as a part of college evaluation and attendance at such examinations is compulsory. Promotion or sending up of students is decided on the results of such examinations as well as percentage of attendance in classes.

Any student absent from any examination on medical grounds must submit before the end of the examination or within three days of its termination a Medical Certificate and a letter to the Principal from the guardian stating the ground for his/her absence. Such case may be considered with sympathy, but it must be understood that illness is not in itself a valid excuse. Promotion or sending up, in such cases, cannot be granted unless the student's record is very good.

Undergraduate Studies under Curriculum and Credit Framework (CCF, 2022)

SEMESTER WISE FOUR-YEAR B.A./B.Sc. (Honours with or without Reserch)

COURSE STRUCTURE-CCF, 2022

Semester	Core Vocational 64+36= 100		Minor (m1 & m2)	IDC	AEC	SEC	CVAC	Summer Internship	Total Credit
	Core Paper	Internship/ Project work							
	16x4= 64	2x16= 32 + Project Viva (4)= 36	8x4= 32	3x3= 9	4x2= 8	3x4= 12	4x2= 8	1x3=3	172
1	1x4= 4 3TH+1P /TU		1x4= 4 (m1) 3TH+1P/ TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/T U	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/T U	1x4= 4	2x2= 4		21
2	1x4= 4 3TH+1P /TU		1x4= 4 (m1) 3TH+1P/ TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/T U	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/T U	1x4= 4	2x2= 4		21
3	2x4= 8 2x(3TH + 1P/TU)		1x4= 4 (m2) 3TH+1P/ TU	1x3= 3 2TH +1P/T U	1x2= 2 2TH +0P/T U	1x4= 4			21
4	4x4= 16 4x(3TH + 1P/TU)		1x4= 4 (m2) 3TH+1P/ TU		1x2= 2 2TH +0P/T U				22
5	4x4= 16 4x(3TH + 1P/TU)		m1+m2 2x4= 8 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						24
6	3x4= 12 3x(3TH + 1P/TU)		2x4= 8 m1+m2 2x(3TH+ 1P/TU)						20
7	1x4= 4 (3TH+ 1P/TU)	Internship 1x16= 16 (12 weeks)							20
8		Project 1x16= 16 + Project Viva (4)= 20							20
Credits	16x4= 64 + (2x16= 32 + Project Viva (4)= 36)= 100		8x4= 32	3x3=9	4x2=8	3x4= 12	4x=8	1x3= 3	169+3= 172
Marks	16x100= 1600 + (2x400)+100= 2500		8x100= 800	3x75= 225	4x50= 200	3x100 =300	4x50 = 200	1x75= 75	Total Marks =4300

Marks= 25 marks per credit.

Minor courses will come from two subjects (m1, m2) for B.A./ B.Sc.
For B.Com. Course of Study it shall be as mentioned in the syllabus.

* Previously till 2016 the college used to offer undergraduate Courses following (1+1+1)system as directed by the University of Calcutta. After that following the instructions of Calcutta University, College introduced CBCS system which ran till 2021-2022 academic session. From 2022-2023 all the courses are offered under the CCF system introduced by the Calcutta University.

Add-On/Certificate Course

LIST OF ADD-ON COURSES:

SL. NO.	NAME OF THE COURSE	DURATION	DEPARTMENT
1.	Techniques of Palaeobotanical and Palynological studies	2 weeks, 30 hours (16.06.2023-30.06.2023)	Department Of Botany
2.	Training on Apiculture	2 months (March, 23-April, 23)	Department Of Zoology
3.	Training on Vermiculture	2 months (May 2023-July 2023)	Department Of Zoology
4.	Training on Horticulture	2 months (May, 23 - June, 23)	Department Of Zoology
5.	Techniques of Palaeobotanical and Palynological studies	2 months (16.06.2023- 30.06.2023)	Department Of Zoology
6.	Algebraic and Geometric Approach in Number Theory and Linear Algebra and its Application.	2 weeks (16.06.2023-28.06.23)	Department Of Mathematics
7.	Food Adulteration & Detection	30 hours (12.06.2023 to 30.06.2023)	Department Of Chemistry
8.	Basic Computer Skills	30 hours (2023)	Department Of Physics
9.	Introduction to Animation using AutoCAD	30 hours (2023)	Department Of Physics
10.	Statistical Tools in Political Research	30 hours (13.05.2023-03.06.2023)	Department Of Political Science
11.	Migration in India: Issues and Contexts	30 hours (15.06.2023-26.06.2023)	Department Of Political Science

12.	Yoga Training Programme (Theory and Practical)	30 Hours (28.04.2023-14.06.2023)	Department Of Philosophy
	Print Journalism.		Department Of Bengali
	Book Building, Publishing & Marketing		Department Of Bengali
	Verbal Art: Speech, Recitation, Audio Drama & Compering		Department Of Bengali
	Parinting Styles		Department Of Education

Apart from the regular curriculum courses college offer following extra-curricular courses to increase various type of skills and employability of the students.



Fee Structure

1ST. YEAR : (1ST. SEM. & 2ND. SEM.)

	B.A. (G)	B.A. (H)	B.COM. (G)	B.COM. (H)	B.SC. PHY.SC. (G)	B.SC. BIO. SC. (G)	B.SC. ECO. SC. (G)	B.SC MTMA	B.SC. ZOOA	B.SC. ECOA
JULY - OCTO.	2960	3260	3400	3560	3530	3560	3530	3680	5110	3680
NOV. - FEB.	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
MARCH - JUNE	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
TOTAL :	4310	4810	4830	5190	5160	5190	5160	5510	7740	5510

2ND. YEAR : (3RD. SEM. & 4TH. SEM.)

	B.A. (G)	B.A. (H)	B.COM. (G)	B.COM. (H)	B.SC. PHY.SC. (G)	B.SC. BIO. SC. (G)	B.SC. ECO. SC. (G)	B.SC MTMA	B.SC. ZOOA	B.SC. ECOA
JULY - OCTO.	2760	3030	3200	3330	3180	3210	3180	3300	4730	3300
NOV. - FEB.	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
MARCH - JUNE	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
TOTAL :	4110	4580	4630	4960	4810	4840	4810	5130	7360	5130

3RD. YEAR : (5TH. SEM. & 6TH. SEM.)

	B.A. (G)	B.A. (H)	B.COM. (G)	B.COM. (H)	B.SC. PHY.SC. (G)	B.SC. BIO. SC. (G)	B.SC. ECO. SC. (G)	B.SC MTMA	B.SC. ZOOA	B.SC. ECOA
JULY - OCTO.	2760	3030	3200	3330	3180	3210	3180	3300	4730	3300
NOV. - FEB.	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
MARCH - JUNE	675	775	715	815	815	815	815	915	1315	915
TOTAL :	4110	4580	4630	4960	4810	4840	4810	5130	7360	5130

Registration, fees and Refund procedure

Calcutta University and College Rules

1. Students are required to maintain regular attendance to be eligible for appearing in the University Examination. They should follow the parameters given below:

Attendance

- i. A student attending at least 75% of the total number of classes* held shall be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations subject to fulfillment of other conditions laid down in the regulations.
- ii. A student attending at least 60% but less than 75% of the total number of classes* held shall be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations subject to the payment of prescribed condonation fees and fulfillment of other conditions laid down in the regulations.
- iii. A student attending at least 60% of the total number of classes* held shall be allowed to appear at the concerned Semester Examinations and he/she has to pursue admission to the same Semester in the very next year for attending the classes and appearing at the said Semester Examination.

**Such attendance will be calculated from the date of commencement of classes or the date of admission, whichever is later.*

2. If a student is absent for more than two weeks without prior permission/intimation, his/her name is likely to be struck off the register.
3. **Science students who do not attend theoretical classes regularly shall not be permitted to attend practical classes.**
4. **Students must pass the college examinations for being sent up for University Examinations.**

Any student **absent in any examination on medical grounds** must submit before the end of the examination or within three days of its completion a Medical Certificate and a letter to the Vice-Principal from the guardian stating the ground for his/her absence. Such cases may be considered with sympathy, but it must be understood that **illness is not in itself a valid excuse.**

Sending up, in such cases, will not be granted unless the student's record is very good. Sending-up lists are displayed on the Notice Board.

5. **Students must wear and display visibly their Identity Cards during college hours inside the campus. In case of loss of Identity Card, a duplicate can be obtained only with the permission of the Principal/Vice-Principal and on payment of a fine of Rs. 70/-.**

6. A student failing to clear the fees within the notified date will have to secure re-admission on payment of full fees again with the prior approval of the Principal/Vice-Principal.
7. Students are expected to treat the members of the staff and their fellow students with courtesy both in and out of the college. There must be no disorderly or offensive conduct at any time.
8. **Student must be in their classes and take their seats at the beginning of each period.** They must not enter or leave the class room without permission.
9. College property, furniture, library books, etc. must be treated with due care.
10. Rules for the conduct of examinations placed on the Notice Board must be strictly observed.
11. Impersonation at roll-call is a punishable offence.
12. **Students are required to check the Notice Board for important announcements.**
13. Students are expected to be formally and decently dressed while in the college.
14. **Smoking, chewing tobacco products, playing cards, spitting and loitering are strictly prohibited inside the college & hostel campus and shall invite severe punishment/disciplinary action.**



GENERAL LIBRARY

The college has a well- equipped library containing more than 26000 books and journals. It serves as the hive of academic activities for students and faculty members in the pursuit of excellence in their respective area of academic pursuits. Internet access from the library is available with a small number of computers for staff and students.



LIBRARY FACILITIES & SERVICES

Different services are regularly being rendered such as:

- Circulation Services (Issue-Return of books)
- Reading Room Service
- Access to current issues and back volumes of journals and magazines
- Library Catalogue (OPAC)
- Searching On-line Journals, Databases, e-books and Internet facilities
- Reference and Information Services
- Current Awareness Service
- Career Guidance Service
- Access to question papers of all (B.A., B.Sc. & B.Com.) previous examinations
- Reprographic Service, etc.

Library Timing:

Monday to Friday	10.00 am - 5.00 pm
Saturday	10.00 am - 3.00 pm

Circulation Hours: Monday to Friday	10:30 am – 4:30 pm
Saturday	10:30 am – 2:30 pm

Issuing Library Cards:

Identity/Library cards will be issued after the completion of the admission process. However, students will be permitted to use the Reference Section on producing their admission pay receipts.

Library Rules:

1. All students of the college are eligible for membership of the library.
2. Students must observe strict silence in the library.
3. Identity Card is mandatory while visiting and using the library.
4. Honours (B.A./B.Sc./ B.COM) Students can borrow maximum two books, General (B.A./ B.Sc./ B.COM.) Students can borrow maximum one book from the general section. The maximum lending period is 15 calendar days. Teaching Staff and Non-Teaching Staff Members can borrow books as per requirement.
5. If a student retains a book beyond the maximum permitted period, a fine is imposed at the rate of Rs. 1.00 (One Rupee only) per day beyond the maximum period.
6. Absence from the college is not accepted as an excuse for not returning the book(s) in time.
7. Borrowers are responsible for the books which stand against their names. If a book is found damaged at the time of issue, it must be brought to the notice of the Librarian. If the damage is detected at the time of return, the borrower is to compensate for the damage.
8. Sub-lending or transferring of books to another person's name is not permitted.
9. Any loss of books must be immediately reported to the Librarian. The borrower is liable to pay the default fine, if any, till the date of such report. He/she will be held responsible for replacing the lost book or paying the cost of replacement of the book.
10. The Librarian has the authority to call back any book at any time. If not returned within the stipulated time, a penalty will be imposed.
11. A fine of **Rs. 50.00 (Rupees seventy only)** will be imposed for issue of duplicate Library/Identity card.

12. Reference Books, Rare Books, Journals, Newspapers, Magazines will not be issued.

13. Library clearance is mandatory. Library clearance is checked out by the library administration before issuing admit card of final University examination. All students must return the borrowed books. Admit cards will be issued only after the clearance from the library.



OTHER FACILITIES

- In addition, it provides guidance to students so that they can meet their challenges and function effectively in different situations.
- It helps students to identify their strengths and weaknesses.

Sports:

The College playing field, which has a commodious and well-equipped and is intended for the use of the students of the College. Football, Cricket, Badminton, Hockey, Basketball and Volleyball are played. There is also a Gymnasium. Students interested in games other than those listed above may contact the Professor-in-Charge. Physical exercise is arranged for all women students of the college. Regular classes in Gymnastics and Games are held for them.

College Magazine

The Vidyanagar College Magazine 'UTTARAN' was first published in Hence, it has the rare distinction of being a college magazine in print for more than years. It is published with original literary compositions and art work by past and present students and staff members. The Editorial Board, comprising of staff and student members, oversees the publication of the magazine.

Students' Union and College Societies:

The Students' Union is the representative organisation of the students.

Extension Activity Fund/Social Service Fund:

It is mandatory to join the Students' Health Home



Extension Activites:

Numerous extension activities are promoted to inculcate a sense of civic responsibility and community orientation while provisions and facilities for intellectual stimulation and development, sports and games, NSS and a large number of cultural activities facilitate the all-round personality development of the students, training them in team-work, organization and leadership and providing opportunities for developing their latent creative talents.

Internet Facility:

Internet facility is available for the students of the college. Detailed information is available with the librarian.

Safety And Security:**Fee Concession:**

Certain concession in tuition fees in the form of granting full, half tuition fee waiver is awarded to meritorious and needy students. Application forms in the prescribed format (available from the Bursar's office) are to be filled in and submitted within due date, as would be notified in due course for consideration. Application forms must be complete in all respect. Incomplete application forms will not be considered. Applicants along with their guardians are to appear before the selection committee for final selection.

Student Credit Card:

West Bengal Student Credit Card Scheme was launched on 1st July 2021. The college appointed one nodal officer (.....), one help desk officer (.....) and for smooth functioning of the scheme. A dedicated bank account with SBI was created for receiving the institutional course fee amount from the students who applies for loan under the scheme. Till 2023,students have applied and Of them have been forwarded to the Higher Education Department by our college for approval. Of the applications are sanctioned till date.

Other Important Practices:

Other important practices in operation in our college include Parent-Teacher Meets, regular departmental and inter-departmental seminars, value education and numerous academic extension activities by our teachers, all of which have contributed much to the development of the college.

Vidyanagar College Distance Education

Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE was established in It is approved by DEB (Distance Education Bureau) & affiliated by Rabindra Bharati University-RBU Distance Education. The campus of the Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE is located in South 24 Parganas, West Bengal. The Institute can be reached either by rail or by road. The mission of the Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE is to contribute to nation and society at the highest international levels of excellence and to stand on the same scaffold with other universities of eminence.

Institute type: Rabindra Bharati University-RBU Distance Education

Approved by: DEB

Application mode: Online (pen and paper-based)

Location: Vidyanagar, P.O. - Charashyamdas, 24 Pgs (S) - 743503

Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE Offered Course List

Department of Arts

Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE Admission Process

The application form is available on the official website of Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE. Those who wish to apply can submit their applications on the official website. The selection is done on the basis of merit list.

Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE Placement

The Placement Cell of the Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE supports students in making the right career choices and enables employers in taking the right hiring decisions during recruitment.

Vidyanagar College Distance Education-VCDE Course Offered

Master of Arts in Bengali Distance Education (M.A. Bengali Distance Education)

Master of Arts in Education Distance Education (M.A. Education Distance Education)

Master of Arts in English Distance Education (M.A. English Distance Education)

Master of Arts in Environmental Studies Distance Education (M.A. Environmental Studies Distance Education)

Master of Arts in History Distance Education (M.A. History Distance Education)

Master of Arts in Political Science Distance Education (M.A. Political Science Distance Education)

Where you love to be and where you build yourself.

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

Following the noble spirit of Mahatma Gandhi, Vidyanagar College proudly hosts an active National Service Scheme (NSS) unit, dedicated to the motto "Not me, but you." Launched in 1969, NSS fosters "Education through Community Service," encouraging youthful engagement in social responsibility through diverse projects and activities. NSS Unit of Vidyanagar College celebrates different events throughout the year.

Convenor: Dr. Alak Kumar Chakrabarti (Department of History)

EVENTS OF NSS 2024

MONTH	PROGRAM	DATE
January	National Youth Day	12/01/2024
	Republic day	26/01/2022
February	International Mother Language Day	21/02/2024
March	World Earth Day	22/04/2024
May	Anti-tobacco Day	31/05/2024
June	World Blood Donor Day	14/06/2024
	International Day of Yoga	21/06/2024
July	Environment Awareness Program	08/07/2024
	College Foundation Day	29/07/2024
August	Traffic Awareness Program	19/08/2024
September	International Literacy Day	08/09/2024
	Water Conservation Program	18/09/2024
	Celebrating NSS Day	24/09/2024
October	Swatch Bharat Abhiyan	02/10/2024
November	National Cancer Awareness Day	07/11/2024
	National Constitution Day	26/11/2024
December	World AIDS Day	01/12/2024

Join the NSS movement and make a positive impact on your community. Develop valuable leadership and teamwork skills. Gain hands-on experience in social service initiatives. Contribute to building a more just and equitable society. Stay tuned for upcoming events and opportunities to engage with the NSS at Vidyanagar College!



COLLEGE ANNUAL EVENT

FOUNDATION DAY:

The College celebrates its Foundation Day in 29th July.

CULTURAL FEST:

The annual cultural festival of the College, is full of colours, enthusiasm and life. The vibrant festival holds various formal and informal events, showcasing the immense talent of the students. The mornings become the platform for competitions for the students to portray their skills and abilities along with the exchange of cultural ideas and thoughts, while the nights are studded with captivating performances of their favourite stars.

ANNUAL ATHLETICS DAY:

Race, relay, long jump, tug of war, fun and entertainment bring together the students and teachers in the full spirit of the event. It is an eagerly awaited day for all the sports enthusiasts as it allows the athletes to showcase their sports skills and talent. The whole affair is celebrated on a grand scale and the winners are awarded with medals and trophies. The best female and male athletics are selected and given prestigious awards on this day.

ANNUAL DAY:

This is a formal and solemn function where all the success and achievements of the students and staff are duly recognized, appreciated and honoured. The Annual report is presented by the principal in front of a distinguished Chief Guest and the audience.



SCHOLARSHIP

All scholarships are offered and held subject to the good conduct and satisfactory progress of the holders.

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PRIZES

- Vidyanagar College has made a Fund from the donation of former Prof. Shuvendu Barik (Head, Department of Bengali). From the interest of this fund two prizes of 500/- has been given (from 2005-2006 session)-

Highest scorer in Higer Seconday exam who has admitted in Bengali (1st year, Hons) course.

Highest scorer in Calcutta University Exam in Bengali (Hons) among our college students.

- Vidyanagar College has made a Fund from the donation of former Prof. Amiyarajan Patra (Head, Department of Philosophy). From the interest of this fund one special money prize has been given (from 2005-2006 session) to the Highest scorer in Calcutta University Exam in Philosophy (Hons) among our college students.
- Vidyanagar College has made a Fund from the donation of former Prof. Dr. Nemai Chandra Pal (Head, Department of Bengali). From the interest of this fund two special book prizes has been given (from 2005-2006 session) to the Highest scorer in Calcutta University Exam (2nd year) in Bengali (Hons and General) among our college students.
- From the College Fund a prize of 500/- has been given to the Highest scorer in Calcutta University Exam (B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.) among our college students (from 2011-12 session).

LIST OF HOLIDAYS

Vidyanagar College follows list of holidays published by the Government of West Bengal and University of Calcutta.

FUNDAMENTAL DUTIES OF THE CITIZEN

Constitution of India

Part-IVA

Fundamental Duties

51 A. Fundamental duties- It shall be the duty of every citizen of India-

1. To abide by the Constitution and respect its ideals and institutions, the National Flag and the National Anthem.
2. To cherish and follow the noble ideals which inspired our national struggle for freedom.
3. To uphold and protect the sovereignty, unity and integrity of India.
4. To defend the country and render national service when called upon to do so.
5. To promote harmony and the spirit of common brotherhood amongst all the people of India transcending religious, linguistic and regional or sectional diversities; to renounce practices derogatory to the dignity of women.
6. To value and preserve the rich heritage of our composite culture.
7. To protect and improve the natural environment including forests, lakes, rivers and wild life, and to have compassion for living creatures.
8. To develop the scientific temper, humanism and the spirit of inquiry and reform.
9. To safeguard public property and to abjure violence.
10. To strive towards excellence in all spheres of individual and collective activity so that the nation constantly rises to higher levels of endeavor and achievement.
11. Duty of all parents/guardians to send their children in the age group of 6-14 years to school.



VIDYANAGAR COLLEGE

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

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