BISWANATH COLLEGE
বিশ্বনাথ মহাবিদ্যালয়
ACCREDITED WITH “B” GRADE BY NAAC

Prospectus : 2020-21

Affiliated to Gauhati University
Estd. : 1960
Biswanath Chariali, Biswanath (Assam)
Certificate of Accreditation

The Executive Committee of the National Assessment and Accreditation Council on the recommendation of the duly appointed Peer Team is pleased to declare the Biswanath College Chariali, Dist. Sonitpur, affiliated to Gauhati University, Assam as Accredited with CGPA of 2.80 on four point scale at B grade valid up to November 14, 2020.

Date: November 15, 2015

Director
আমার মহাবিদ্যালয়ের লক্ষ্য

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“তমসো মা জ্যোতির্মিশ”

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Named apparently after Biswanath temple, one of the famous as well as oldest temples in the north-eastern part of India, Biswanath College has a heritage that goes back to nearly 60 years, and it occupies a place among the premier seats of higher learning on the north bank of the river Brahmaputra. Located in an ideal setting, the College, grown from a humble beginning, is all set to realize its potential as a seat of academic excellence in the years to come. The College embarked upon its journey in 1960 when the north-eastern part of our country, former greater Assam, was considered to be a backward province in every sphere of life. But eminent scholar Sadananda Chaliha as long-serving principal with his keen interest in education took the College to newer heights of excellence. In the course of time the College has become a place of eminence in the realm of learning and academic proliferation.

Bounded by the river Borgang in the east, river Ghiladhari in the west, the Himalayas in the north and the river Brahmaputra in the south, Biswanath is one of the most important places in Assam in general, and in the district of Biswanath in particular if taken into account its historical significance. Having contributed significantly to the academic and cultural life of the north bank of the river Brahmaputra, Biswanath College has carved a niche for itself in the sphere of higher education in Assam. The college came into existence on 7th September, 1960 through the untiring efforts of the magnanimous people of the place in general, and of Naazibur Rahman, the then executive engineer in the PWD department, Assam, in particular. Now Biswanath Chariali (in the past the name of the place was just Biswanath) is one of the fast-growing cities in Assam.

Biswanath College is the brainchild of the socially conscious benevolent people of the locality with thirst for knowledge and strong desire for manifestation of education among masses. Their resourcefulness, sense of resilience and willpower were bolstered by a host of people of the locality who worked behind the scene with a mission at heart for this College. Biswanath College was brought under deficit system of grant-in-Aid by the Govt. of Assam on 01-04-63.

The science stream was introduced with the beginning of Pre-University classes under Gauhati University in the year 1970 with 46 students. Degree courses in science subjects started from 1976. The science section was brought under deficit system of grant-in-Aid on 01-01-78. The College was brought under provincialised system by Govt. of Assam in 2005.

Today the college has major courses in all subjects with competent and committed teachers, strong library and an environment conducive to teaching and learning. The College is introducing different job-oriented vocational courses and centre of distant learning. The Faculty of Commerce and the Faculty of Computer application were introduced in the College 2012 and 2017 respectively.

The college was accredited with ‘B’ grade (CGPA 2.80) by NAAC (National Assessment & Accreditation Council) in 2015. Now the college is working relentlessly for the third cycle of NAAC assessment and accreditation. We hope we shall be able to obtain a better score with the concerted efforts of the faculty members, non-teaching staff members, the students, the parents, the guardians and other stake holders of this institution.

**MISSION OF BISWANATH COLLEGE:**

To impart higher education for the development of human resource and producing responsible citizen with a clear aim to cope with the changing global environment.

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It is my pleasure to welcome you all to Biswanath College......

As we all know the current scenario has been quite challenging because of this pandemic, let us not lose hope and wish for a brighter time ahead. As Martin Luther King Jr. had said "We must accept finite disappointment, but never lose infinite hope".

Biswanath College which is Assam’s leading premier Institution has set specific objectives and planned activities for achieving excellence in all spheres of education. The laboratories, classrooms etc have been designed as per the needs of the students. There are also good collection of reference books, textbooks and journals to cater to the various academic needs. For holistic development of students, we organise Guest Lectures, Industrial Expert talks, Workshops, Seminars and various Training programmes along with mandatory university prescribed syllabus. Our aim is to prepare academically rich and professionally competent students who can contribute in building up a self-reliant India in the coming times. In addition to the academics, the students are engaged in sports and cultural activities too in order to provide a healthy relief from rigorous routine. With experienced and dedicated faculties as well as excellent infrastructure, our college helps students to realise their goals in life. Our sincere staff deserves all the credit of our success year after year. I encourage all the students to take advantage of the opportunities provided by the college and involve themselves in all the extracurricular activities by availing of the sports ground, gymnasium, training on cultural activities provided by the college.

The college has already completed sixty years of its glorious existence and it gives me pleasure to make a special mention that the United Nations Academic Impact has offered membership citation to our college during the year of celebration of Diamond Jubilee of the college.

As we step into the new academic session, filled with hope and dreams of soaring new heights, I wish to reiterate the importance of a few things that students need to keep in mind. Remember hard work, dedication and perseverance are the most important traits in a person that leads to success in life. The future belongs to you; your need, therefore, is to prepare yourself for an active participation in the world. Learn to enjoy hard work, particularly your studies. Think wisely, think systematically. Always keep in mind the importance of planning and prioritizing your time and the effective use of it which are essential to achieve success. Preserve our heritage and environment for yourself as well as for your next generation. Be a good human being above all. Parents should remember that children should not be forced, but should be guided to achieve whatever goals they may have in their minds in an easy and pleasing manner, so that we may be able to discover the particular touch of genius in each one of them.

Personally, I am grateful and elated to continue this journey with you as your Principal. Over the past one year, I have had a chance to meet many of you and your parents, and look forward to continuing building a strong relationship with all of you in the times ahead!

Happy Learning!!!
**BISWANATH COLLEGE**

CHARIALI-784176  
BISWANATH (ASSAM)  
Estd. 1960  
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**Principal**  
Dr. Chinta Mani Sharma, M.Sc, M.A, PhD

**Vice Principal i/c**  
Mrs Marami Bhattacharyya, MA, M.Phil HoD, Dept. of Economics

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**GENERAL INFORMATION**

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HIGHER SECONDARY PROGRAMMES

The college offers the two year higher secondary courses in Arts and Science. These courses are affiliated to Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Guwahati, Bamunimaidam

NUMBER OF SEATS:  
- Arts: 200  
- Science: 100

In Arts stream a student is allowed to select the following subjects:-

A) Compulsory subjects:
   1) English
   2) MIL-Assamese/Nepali/Hindi/Bodo/Alternative English
   3) Environmental Studies

B) Elective subjects:
   1) Economics  
   2) Political Science  
   3) Education  
   4) History  
   5) Mathematics  
   6) Statistics  
   7) Geography  
   8) Advance Assamese  
   9) Logic and Philosophy

N.B.: Math+Stat+Eco+Logic & Philosophy will be considered as science stream.

In Science stream a student is allowed to take the following subjects:

A) Compulsory subjects:
   1) English
   2) MIL-Assamese/Nepali/Hindi/Bodo/Alternative English
   3) Environmental Studies

B) Elective subjects:
   1) Physics  
   2) Chemistry  
   3) Mathematics  
   4) Biology  
   5) Economics  
   6) Statistics  
   7) Geography  
   8) Logic and Philosophy

COMBINATION OF SUBJECTS

HIGHER SECONDARY (Arts)

A. Compulsory subjects:
   1) English  
   2) MIL-Assamese/Nepali/Hindi/Bodo/Alternative English  
   3) Environmental Studies

(One may also offer Bengali as a non-collegiate candidate)

B. Elective subjects:
   A student can select a maximum of four subjects from the following. Three of them are compulsory and the rest considered as 4th elective subject.
   1) Advance Assamese  
   2) Education  
   3) Economics  
   4) Geography  
   5) History or Logic and Philosophy  
   6) Political Science  
   7) Mathematics or Statistics

HIGHER SECONDARY (Science)

A. Compulsory subjects:
   1) English  
   2) MIL-Assamese/Nepali/Hindi/Bodo/Alternative English  
   3) Environmental Studies

(The College also offers Bengali as a non-collegiate candidate)

B. Elective subjects:
   (a) Physics + Chemistry + Mathematics + Biology (including 4th subject)  
   (b) Physics + Chemistry + Mathematics + Statistics (including 4th subject)  
   (c) Physics + Chemistry + Biology + Geography (including 4th subject)  
   (d) Economics + Statistics + Mathematics + Physics (including 4th subject)  
   (e) Economics + Statistics + Mathematics + Logic and Philosophy (-do-)
UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMMES

The College offers Three Year Degree Courses in Arts, Science & Commerce

NUMBER OF SEATS

1. Degree 1st Semester (Including Honours) :
   - Arts (Main shift) : 300
   - Science : 250
   - Arts (Additional shift) : 300
   - Commerce : 150

2. Degree 1st Semester (Honours) : Arts, Science and Commerce
   - Assamese : 60
   - Economics : 30
   - Philosophy : 60
   - Physics : 40
   - Geography : 15
   - Finance : 40
   - English : 50
   - History : 40
   - Botany : 40
   - Mathematics : 40
   - Accountancy : 40
   - Education : 40
   - Political Science : 50
   - Chemistry : 50
   - Zoology : 40
   - Management : 40

   (Admission is allowed purely on merits and subject to GU / College norms)

In Arts stream a student is allowed to select Honours in any one of the following subjects :-
   7) Political Science 8) Philosophy 9) Geography

In Science stream a student is allowed to select Honours in any one of the following subjects :-
   7) Geography

In Commerce stream a student is allowed to select Honours in any one of the following subjects :-
   1) Accountancy 2) Management 3) Finance
The CBCS system

The Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) has been introduced in the colleges affiliated to Gauhati University from the current academic session as per directives of University Grants Commission. In this new system courses are divided into Core Courses, Discipline Specific Elective Courses, Generic Elective Courses, Ability Enhancement Courses, Skill Enhancement Courses. An overview of these new Courses is given below :-

NATURE AND NOMENCLATURE OF COURSES:

In line with the UGC’s guidelines, the courses are categorized as Core courses, Elective courses or Ability Enhancement courses.

1. Core Course: A core course is a course that has to be compulsorily studied. A student in an undergraduate degree programme with Honours will have to take up 14 core courses, each of 6 credits. For Honours Course such courses will be known as C1, C2,...........C14. In a Regular undergraduate degree programme (for pass course students) a student will need to take up 12 core courses, each again is of 6 credits. Such courses will be known as DSC-1A, DSC-1B, DSC-1C and DSC-1D.

2. Elective Course: An Elective course is to be chosen by the student from a pool of such courses on offer and will essentially be of three types:

2.(a) Discipline Specific Elective Course (DSE): An Elective course which is offered by the main discipline. The discipline offering a Discipline specific elective course may also offer discipline related elective courses that are interdisciplinary in nature. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours will have to earn 24 course credits from Discipline Specific Elective courses. For a student enrolled in a non-honours undergraduate degree program in science, the course credit requirement from Discipline Specific Elective courses will be 36 credits. For a student enrolled in a non-honours undergraduate degree program in Arts and Commerce, the course credit requirement from Discipline Specific Elective courses will be 24 credits.

2.(b) Generic Elective Course (GE): A Generic Elective course is offered by an unrelated discipline and has the objective of broadening the academic experience of a student. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours can acquire 24 course credits from Generic elective courses. A Core course offered in a discipline may be allowed as an Elective to a student from another discipline. This course will be treated under the category of Generic Elective Courses. Generic Elective Courses are not available to students in a non-Honours undergraduate science degree program while other non-Honours undergraduate programmes require enrollees to take up two such courses.

2.(c) Dissertation/Project: Engaging Students in a Project/Dissertation work, which requires knowledge application and problem solving, is considered to be important in the learning process. All students enrolled in an undergraduate degree program (Honours and non-Honours) will have the option of choosing to undertake Project/Dissertation work for 6 credits in lieu of a 6 credit Discipline Specific Elective course in the fifth Semester only.

3. Ability Enhancement Courses: Ability Enhancement Courses which are to be taken up by students in an undergraduate degree program will be of two types:

3.(a) Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC): These 4 credit Courses are mandatory for every student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program. A student will have to take up 4 credit Course in Environmental Science and a second 4 credit Course in English Communication/MIL Communication.
3. (b) **Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC):** Skill Enhancement Courses will be value based or skill based and there will be a pool of Courses on offer. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours will have to take up a minimum of two SEC Courses of 4 credits each as part of the program requirement. For students enrolled in non-Honours undergraduate degree programs the credit requirement from Skill Enhancement Courses will be 16 credits. It is desirable that the university will prepare Skill Enhancement Courses for various disciplines from the list of SEC provided by the UGC template. However colleges are free to develop their own SECs independently which must have prior approval of the Academic Council.

The following Table indicates the requirements for successful completion of under-graduate degree in Guwahati University:

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| Undergraduate Degree with Honours (all disciplines) | • 14 core papers in that discipline  
• 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses  
• 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (minimum)  
• 4 Discipline Specific Elective  
• 4 Generic Elective papers |
| Undergraduate Degree (in Science) | • 4 core papers each in three disciplines of choice  
• 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses  
• 4 Skill Enhancement Courses (minimum)  
• 2 papers each of discipline Specific Elective papers based on three disciplines of choice selected above, respectively. |
| Undergraduate Degree in Humanities/Social Science/Commerce | • 4 core papers each in two disciplines of choice  
• 2 core papers each in English and Mil/Alt English respectively.  
• 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses  
• 4 Skill Enhancement Courses (minimum)  
• 2 papers each from a list of Discipline Specific Elective papers based on two disciplines of choice selected above  
• 2 papers from the list of Generic Electives papers. |
COMBINATION OF SUBJECTS

In Choice Based Credit System the nomenclature of subjects have been changed. Now the undergraduate programmes are renamed as Honours Course and Regular Course.

TDC (ARTS)

REGULAR COURSE (NON-HONOURS COURSE)

A) Core Course (Compulsory Subjects):
   1) English  2) MIL - Assamese /Nepali/Alternative English/Hindi/Bodo  
      (The College also offers Bengali as a non-collegiate candidate)

B) Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course:
   1) English Communication/MIL Communication  2) Environmental Science

C) Core Courses : (Students will take up 2 subjects from the following)
   (a) Economics
   (b) Elective Assamese
   (c) Education
   (d) History
   (e) Political Science
   (f) Geography
   (g) Philosophy
   (h) Mathematics
   (i) Elective Nepali

D) SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES : (Any four)
   These Courses will be notified as soon as GU frames their syllabus.

E) DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC COURSES : (two papers)
   Students will select two papers each from the subjects chosen in list (C) above.

F) GENERIC ELECTIVE : (two papers)
   Students will select any one or two subjects from the list of subjects not chosen in list (C) above.

HONOURS COURSE

A) COMPULSORY SUBJECTS :
   Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course:
   1) English Communication/MIL Communication  2) Environmental Science

B) HONOURS SUBJECTS :
   7) Political Science  8) Philosophy  9) Geography

C) GENERIC ELECTIVES :
   A student can choose any one/two/three/four from the following subjects, excluding the one offered in the Honours course :
   1) Education  2) Economics  3) Geography
   4) History or Philosophy or Elective Assamese  5) Mathematics or Statistics
   6) Political Science  7) Elective Nepali (as a non-collegiate candidate)

D) DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVES :
   A Students will take up 4 Papers in the discipline in which he/she offers Honours.

E) SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES : (Any two)
   These Courses will be notified as soon as GU frames their syllabus.

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COMBINATION OF SUBJECTS

TDC (SCIENCE)

REGULAR COURSE (NON-HONOURS COURSE)

A) Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course:
   1) English Communication  2) Environmental Science

B) Core Courses: (Any Three Elective Subjects from the list given below)
   1) Physics  2) Chemistry  3) Mathematics  4) Zoology  5) Botany  6) Geography
   7) Statistics  8) Economics
   A Student offering Regular course can choose any three subjects as per the following combinations:
   a) Physics + Chemistry + Mathematics
   b) Physics + Mathematics + Statistics
   c) Physics + Mathematics + Geography
   d) Economics + Statistics + Mathematics
   e) Botany + Zoology + Chemistry
   f) Botany + Zoology + Geography

C) SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES: (Any four)
   These Courses will be notified as soon as GU frames their syllabus.

D) DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC COURSES: (two papers)
   Students will select two papers each from the three subjects chosen in list (B) above.

HONOURS COURSE

A) ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COMPULSORY COURSE:
   1) English Communication  2) Environmental Science

B) HONOURS SUBJECTS:
   1) Physics  2) Chemistry  3) Mathematics  4) Zoology  5) Botany  6) Geography
   7) Economics

C) GENERIC ELECTIVES:
   A student can choose any one/two/three/four from the following subjects, excluding the one offered in the Honours course:
   1) Physics  2) Chemistry  3) Mathematics  4) Zoology  5) Botany  6) Geography
   7) Statistics  8) Economics

D) DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVES:
   A Student will take up 4 Papers in the discipline in which he/she offers Honours.

E) SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSES: (Any two)
   These Courses will be notified as soon as GU frames their syllabus.
1ST SEMESTER

REGULAR COURSE (NON-HONOURS COURSE)

A) Core Course (Compulsory Subjects):
   1) English

B) Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course:
   1) English Communication/MIL Communication

C) Elective Course (Discipline Specific Elective) :
   (a) Financial Accounting
   (b) Business Organisation

HONOURS COURSE

1ST SEMESTER

A) COMPULSORY SUBJECTS :
   Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course:
   1) English Communication/MIL Communication

B) HONOURS SUBJECTS :
   i) Financial Accounting  ii) Business Law

C) GENERIC ELECTIVES :
   Micro Economics
1. Credit Allocation (B.Sc. Honours)

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Optional Dissertation project work in place of Discipline Specific Elective paper (6 credits) in 6th Semester

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Examinations, Evaluation and Grading

Examinations
Examinations, whether internal or external, theory or practical, would be counted separately for the purpose of considering a student passed or failed.

- If a student does not appear in a paper (internal or external, theory or practical) in an examination, the student will be considered failed in that paper. Any paper where a student fails will be called an ‘Arrear’ paper of that student.

In case a student fails in any one or more papers in an end semester examination, she/he can appear in all the papers in which she/he failed.

- A student having ‘arrear’ in external examination, either in theory or practical papers, shall be allowed chance to clear the same in the next available end-semester examinations, with the following restrictions:

- No student will be allowed to appear in the first and fifth semester examinations simultaneously.
- No student will be allowed to appear in the second and sixth semester examinations simultaneously.
- The first and the fifth semester examinations will be held simultaneously, while the third semester examination will be held separately. Similarly, the second and the sixth semester examinations will be held simultaneously, while the fourth semester examination will be held separately.
- A student may be allowed once to reappear in any one of the honours theory papers in each of the first, second and third semesters for betterment of marks if the candidate secured ‘pass marks’ in all papers. Students will be allowed to reappear only in the next similar examination. Marks obtained either in the earlier examination or in the subsequent examination, whichever is higher, will be awarded to the student.

- No betterment will be allowed in internal and practical examinations in any semester.
- A student must pass all her/his semester examinations, including ‘arrear’ and ‘betterment’ chances within six years from the date of admission to the first semester. In this context, six years means six academic sessions. In the event of a student failing to do so, she/he will have to take fresh admission in the first semester. Subject to the said condition, a student who could not appear or who failed in any semester examination will be allowed chance to clear the same as follows:
  i. First semester with regular third semester examination.
  ii. Second semester with regular fourth semester examination.
  iii. Third semester with regular fifth semester examination.
  iv. Fourth semester with regular sixth semester examination.

- There shall be no scope for a student to appear as Private Candidate in any course.

Schedule: The schedule for examinations will be as per the concerned Academic Calendar. The exact dates of examinations and related information will be notified by the office of the controller of Examinations, Gauhati University.

Evaluation: A student’s performance will be evaluated throughout the year based on continuous assessment. Evaluation of the student’s performance in each semester for every course/paper will be based on the following.

- Internal Assessment (IA)
- End Semester Examination (ESE)

For a student to pass in a course/paper, she/he has to pass in both Internal Assessment and End Semester Examination separately.

Internal Assessment (IA): IA will ideally account for 20% of the total marks allotted to a course/paper. For evaluating the performance of the students in a continuous way, the following measured will be adopted for distributing marks earmarked for IA.

- Sessional or mid-term examination will be conducted for 50% of the total marks allotted for IA of a course/paper. (for example, if 20 marks is allotted for IA of a course/paper, then 10 marks will be kept aside for assessment in sessional or mid-term examination. The sessional examination will be held for 30 marks for the convenience of
setting questions and covering the syllabus and the marks secured by the students will be proportionately converted to be out of 10 marks. Duration of the examination will be on hour. The question papers of the sessional or mid-term examinations will be set by the concerned teacher(s) and the evaluated answer scripts will be shown to the students and corrections will be made, if any.

- 20% of the marks allotted for IA will be awarded to the students based on class attendance. If the total marks for IA is 20, then 4 marks will be awarded to the students based on class attendance. The following criteria will be adopted for awarding marks under this category:
  a) Class attendance for 76% to 80% ..................... 1 mark;
  b) Class attendance from 81% to 85% ....................2 marks;
  c) Class attendance from 86% to 90% ....................3 marks;
  d) Class attendance form 91% and above ............... 4 marks.

- Rest 30% of the marks allotted for IA will be distributed and awarded on the basis of performance of the students on the following criteria:
  a) Home assignments;
  b) Seminar/Group discussions;
  c) Field work;
  d) Performance in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.

End Semester Examination (ESE) :
The ESE will comprise of 80% of the total marks earmarked for a course. The ESE shall be of three hours duration for a course whose ESE component exceeds 50 Marks. For a student to pass in a course/paper, she/he has to pass in both Internal Assessment and End Semester Examination separately.
For odd semesters, ESE will be held in the month of November and for the even semesters, the examination will be held in the month of May.

Pass Marks
- The pass marks will be as follows:
  Theory paper : 30%
  Practical paper : 40%

- A student must pass in both internal and external examinations of a paper (theory and practical) separately if he/she has to pass in that paper. Passing a UG course in any subject does not automatically imply qualifying in Honours, if any.

- The following rules will apply for the Bachelor Degree in any subject with Honours.
  - Simple pass : 30% to 39% marks in aggregate, i.e., from CGPA 4.00 to less than CGPA 5.00
  - Pass with Honours : 40% marks or above in aggregate in Honours subjects, i.e., minimum of CGPA 5.00
  - In case a student with Honours in any subject secures less than 40% marks in aggregate (i.e. CGPA less than 5.00) but 30% or above in the Honours Subject, she/he shall be declared ‘Simple Pass’.
  - In case of project works or dissertation, it shall be a separate paper with separately allotted marks and cannot be treated as part of any other theory paper. Pass mark for project work or dissertation will be 50%.

Number of Attempts
- A Student who has completed a semester may be allowed to proceed to the next semester, irrespective of the number of papers in which she/he failed.

- In order to complete an UG degree, a student must obtain pass marks in all the papers prescribed.
A student having failed to fill in his examination form in the first semester may be allowed to appear in the second semester if all other eligibility criteria are fulfilled.

**Grading:**

Gauhati University has adopted the grading system recommended by the UGC which will ensure uniformity with the rest of the country. This is expected to facilitate student mobility across institutions within and across countries and also enable potential employers to assess the performance of the students. The University, accordingly, will follow the Grading System under which the marks are converted to grades based on a pre-determined formula. The following definitions and explanations are used in the Grade Sheet design –

- **Credit**: A unit by which course works is measured. It determines the number of hours of instructions required per week. One credit is equivalent to one hour of teaching/tutorial or two hours of practical per week.
- **Letter Grade**: It is an index of the performance of students in a course. Grades are denoted by O, A+, A, B+, B, C, P and F.
- **Grade Point**: It is the numerical weight allotted to each letter grade on a 10 point scale.
- **Credit Point**: It is the product of grade point and number of credits for a course.

**Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA)**: It is the measure of performance of work done in a semester. It is the ratio of total credit points secured by a student in various courses registered in a semester and the total course credits taken during that semester. It shall be expressed up to two decimal places.

$$SGPA\ (S_j) = \frac{\sum (C_{ij} \times G_{ij})}{\sum C_{ij}}$$

Where
- $S_j$ = SGPA of the jth semester
- $C_{ij}$ = number of credits for the i_th course of the jth semester
- $G_{ij}$ = grade point obtained by the student in the i_th course of the jth semester.

**Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA)**: It is a measure of overall cumulative performance of the student over all semesters. It is the ratio of sum of the product of the SGPA of each semester and the respective credits earned divided by the total credits earned in the programme.

$$CGPA = \frac{\sum (C_j \times S_j)}{\sum C_j}$$

Where
- $C_j$ = credits earned in semester j.
- $S_j$ = SGPA in semester j
- $\sum C_j$ = Total credits earned in the programme

**Conversion of marks (%) to Letter Grades and Grade Points**: Conversion of percentage into credits (s) and grade (s): The following illustrations could be taken as an example for computing SGPA and CGPA from percentage to credits for Honours courses in all disciplines, degree program courses in Science subjects and degree program courses in Humanities, Social Sciences and Commerce Subjects:

- **Percentage to Grades and Grade Points**: The following formula may be used to convert marks (%) into letter grades.

Let $\bar{x}$ = mean of % age marks of all student appeared in the paper.
- $\sigma$ = Standard deviation
- $m$ = % of marks obtained
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<td>O (Outstanding)</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>$m \geq \bar{x} + 2.5\sigma$</td>
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<td>A+ (Excellent)</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>$\bar{x} + 2.0\sigma \leq m &lt; \bar{x} + 2.5\sigma$</td>
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<td>A (Very Good)</td>
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<td>$\bar{x} + 1.5\sigma \leq m &lt; \bar{x} + 2.0\sigma$</td>
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<td>B+ (Good)</td>
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<td>$\bar{x} + 1.0\sigma \leq m &lt; \bar{x} + 1.5\sigma$</td>
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<td>B (Above Average)</td>
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<td>$\bar{x} \leq m &lt; \bar{x} + \sigma$</td>
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<td>C (Average)</td>
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<td>$\bar{x} - 0.5\sigma \leq m &lt; \bar{x}$</td>
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<td>D (Pass)</td>
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<td>F (Fail)</td>
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<td>$m &lt; \bar{x} - \sigma$</td>
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*Minor variations may be adjusted by the individual institution.*
**Post Graduate Programme:**

The two year post graduate programme in Assamese was opened in 2018 and since then the college has admitted two batches of students.

**Details of the Programme:**

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FACULTY PROFILE AND OFFICE STAFF

Principal: Dr. Chinta Mani Sharma, M.Sc., M.A., Ph.D
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PROSPECTUS: 2020-21: 30
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THE COLLEGE LIBRARY AND LIBRARY RULES

The College Library, renamed as Sadananda Chaliha Central Library, has so far to its credit about twenty five thousand resourceful volumes of books offering both the teachers and the students ample opportunity to pursue examination oriented as well as research-oriented studies. The volumes are ever-increasing. Besides journals, magazines and newspapers for varied purposes are also available.

In addition to these, photostat facility is also available in the library.

LIBRARY RULES:
(a) The Library is open on all working days from 9-30 AM to 3-00 PM except on Sundays and authorised holidays.
(b) The loan-counter will be closed half an hour before the closing of the library.
(c) Students having General course may borrow two volumes and those having Major course four volumes of books at a time from the library.
(d) Every book must be returned within 30 (thirty) days to the library to avoid late fine. No books will be issued to a student who has not returned books borrowed earlier.
(e) A book lost or damaged or defaced by underlining must be replaced at the borrower’s cost.

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HOSTEL FACILITIES

Hostel accommodation is provided to the students according to the availability of seats. At present there are two hostels for girls and one hostel for boys. In all there are 112 seats for girls and 15 seats for boys. While the Kanaklata Girls’ Hostel is the oldest one, the Mulagabharu Girls’ Hostel was constructed with financial assistance from UGC Xth plan period (2007-2012) and it accommodates 26 students. The Lachit Boys’ Hostel was constructed during 2003-04 with financial assistance from the State Government.

The hostel boarders must abide by the hostel rules, copies of which are available with the Hostel Superintendent. Violation of hostel rules may lead to expulsion from the hostel or even from the college. The hostels shall remain closed during Summer and Puja Vacations. Boarders will be collectively responsible for the loss, impairment or destruction of any hostel property and they may be asked by the college authority to compensate for the loss collectively.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF HOSTELS
Kanaklata Girls’ Hostel : Dr. Biswajit Sarmah, M.Sc., PhD
Mulagabharu Girls’ Hostel : Mr. Ridip Bhuyan, M.Sc
Lachit Boys’ Hostel : do

ADVISORY COMMITTEE OF COLLEGE HOSTELS
BISWANATH COLLEGE, 2019-2020

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Mr. Dilip Borah, Asso. Prof. & HoD, Geography : Member
Mr. Ridip Bhuyan, Warden, Mulagabharu Girls’ Hostel : Convenor
Dr. Biswajit Sarmah, Warden, Kanaklata Girls’ Hostel : Convenor
Mrs. Karabi Gogoi, Asstt. Prof. of Economics : Member
Dr. Mita Hazarika, Asstt. Prof. of English : Member
Mr. Balin Bhuyan, Asstt. Prof. of Assamese : Member

(Application Forms for Hostel Admission will be issued at the time of Admission.)

HOSTEL DUES
(Annual Hostel dues are to be paid in one term from June to May at the time of admission)

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OTHER ACADEMIC FACILITIES AVAILABLE IN THE COLLEGE:

A. CAREER COUNSELLING & CAREER GUIDANCE CENTRE:
   The college has set up a Career Counselling & Guidance Centre under a highly experienced and well-informed faculty member to help the students with proper guidance and career counselling. The centre has been organising seminars & workshops in the last several years with participation of prominent personality in the field and placement agency as Resource Person. Students of the college availing the opportunity have found placements in different depts and organisations including Defence. During this five year XIth plan this cell is financially strengthened by a good amount of grant from UGC, New Delhi.

B. Remedial classes for SC/ST/OBC (Non-creamy layer)/minority and economically backward students:
   The college, with financial assistance from University Grant Commission has introduced free remedial classes for SC/ST/OBC (non-creamy layer)/minority and economically backward students of BA/BSc. classes to enable them to compete with general students. Interested students may apply to the Course co-ordinator as and when admission to these classes start.

C. Free Coaching classes for entry into services for SC/ST/OBC (Non-creamy layer)/Minority/economically backward students:
   With financial assistance of University Grants Commission, Biswanath College has constituted a cell for giving free Coaching classes to students of SC/ST/Minority/OBC (Non-creamy Layer)/Economically backward category of BA/BSc classes in order to train them to sit for any interview either government or non-government. Interested students may apply for admission to such classes when admission to such classes starts.

D. In addition to regular academic courses the college offers facilities and opportunities for diversification propagation and exposition of inherent academic potential of students through different state level and national level competitive examinations as shown below:

1. MATHEMATICS:
   Department of Mathematics of the college is regularly holding two state level examinations.
   i) Mathematics Competition and ii) Mathematics Olympiad. The examinations are conducted by Assam Academy of Mathematics, Gauhati University in the month of May and September every year. Many students from this centre have qualified for state level positions and also for Regional Mathematics Olympiad conducted by National Board of Higher Mathematics, Dept. of Atomic Energy, Govt. of India.

2. CHEMISTRY:
   The Chemistry Department of the college regularly organises Chemistry Olympiad Examinations under Society for Chemical Education, Assam for students of Higher Secondary standard. This examination helps the successful students to participate in the National Standards Examination (NSE) in Chemistry conducted by Association of Chemistry Teachers.

3. PHYSICS:
   National level competitive Examinations in Physics are organised in our college by Dept. of Physics. The examinations are:
   i) National Standard Examinations in Physics (For H.S. Students)
   ii) National Graduate Physics Examinations (For Degree Students)
Biswanath College Bio-Tech Hub Centre: The Biswanath College Bio-Tech Hub Centre was sanctioned by DST during 2013-14. A JRF was appointed for conducting this project work.
Co-ordinator: Dr. Amrit Paul, M.Sc., Ph.D.

Career Oriented Programme:
A. Tea Husbandry:
During the 10th UGC plan period a Career Oriented Programme in Tea Husbandry was started in the college. During the current UGC plan, the UGC has sanctioned the BVoc course for this college. Under this scheme, a six-month certificate course in Tea Husbandry (Tea Plantation & Management) has been introduced in the college. It is hoped that the course will help the students in securing lucrative placement.

B. Certificate course in Functional English:
The Department of English offers a six-month certificate course in Functional English to the undergraduate students at a nominal cost. The course will enable the students to acquire the four skills of language which is now essential in every step of life. The students are trained through CALL (Computer Assisted Language Lab). Interested students may contact the Head of the Department of English of this college.
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND GENERAL RULES

1. Photo-copies of self-attested marksheets are to be submitted with the Admission Form. But the original testimonials must be produced at the time of interview for admission.

2. In the case of Break of studies, the 'Gap Certificate' from a magistrate verifying character and stating the reasons of inability for prosecuting studies during the gap period must be submitted with the Application Form for admission.

3. Selection of the students for admission is normally done on the basis of the results of the last examination passed. The policy of the reservation of seats is strictly in accordance with the Govt. norms.

4. If selected, admission must be taken on the specified day.

5. If any candidate fails to be present on the admission day owing to unavoidable reasons, his/her guardian/representative may take the admission, producing all the original testimonials. Otherwise, no claim for admission will be entertained later on.

6. Fees mentioned in the prospectus are subject to revision from time to time.

7. A Guardian's declaration authorising the college authority to take action against his/her ward if he/she violates the Rules and Regulations of the College must be enclosed in the application form for admission.

8. The student seeking admission from the other states or universities must submit Migration certificate within 3(three) months from the date of their admission.

9. The students are to note that as per Gauhati University norms a student is to attend 75% of classes held in a session to be eligible to appear at University Examinations.

10. The students once getting admission into the college must strictly adhere to the rules of the college regarding the College-uniform so as prevent entrance of outsiders into the College campus during college hours.

11. Students indiscipline in terms of ragging, teasing, misbehaving fellow-students or teachers is strictly prohibited.

12. Active participation of all the students in academic enterprises like Seminars, Talks, Debate and Discourses, Symposium etc.is mandatory.

13. Participation of all students in co-curricular activities of the College is compulsory.

14. Smoking and use of alcohol & drugs within the College campus are strictly prohibited.

15. Movements of vehicles within the College campus during the class hours are prohibited so as to maintain peace and discipline in all respects.

16. Prior permission from the Principal must be obtained for holding all kinds of meetings or assemblage within the College campus so that the smooth functioning of the classes or office works may not be affected.

17. It is compulsory for all students to sit for all Departmental, Terminal, Test, Annual Examinations of the college. Medical certificates are not entertained for promotion.

18. Hostel facilities are available for female students only and seats are allotted to the applicants on merit basis only.

19. Computer facility is also available for the students, if they genuinely seek for.

20. Use of mobile phone inside the College campus strictly prohibited.

ATTENDANCE RULES

Students not attending at least 75% of classes shall not be allowed to appear in the examination conducted by AHSEC/ Gauhati University.
DOCUMENTS (ORIGINAL) REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ADMISSION

- Original Marksheet and Provisional Certificate. (From the last institution attended)
- Birth Certificate/HSLC Examination Admit Card.
- Migration Certificate from respective Board/Council by the applicant who passed from other than SEBA/AHSEC.
- Gap Certificate in original as the case may be.
- One copy recent Photograph (22x16mm)
- Caste Certificate (in case of Reserved Category)
- Certificate from Appropriate Authority for socially and educationally backward classes and other economically weaker sections.
- Certificate in support of EWS (Economically weaker sections)

GENERAL RULES FOR MAINTENANCE OF DISCIPLINE AMONG STUDENTS

- The college is committed to maintenance of discipline and decorum among students.
- Students must abide by all rules and regulations as prescribed by the college authorities. Violations of rules, irregular attendance, irregular clearance of hostel dues, showing discourtesy to teacher and staff members in any forms, adoption of unfair means during examination, delinquent behaviour in the college campus or outside etc. are some of the offences which may invite disciplinary action like termination of scholarship, forced transfer and even expulsion from the college and the hostel.
- All forms of ragging in hostel or college campus are prohibited. Strong disciplinary action will be taken if one is found to be involved directly or indirectly in ragging.
- Any notice desired to be pasted or circulated by the students anywhere in the college and hostel premises will need the prior permission of the college authority.
- Powers in respect to maintenance of discipline are vested with the Head of the institution. His decision shall be final in all such matters.

UNIFORMS FOR STUDENTS

- **GIRLS**: White Salwar, Purple-coloured Kameez and White Dupatta (Kurta, Kurti, Churiddar and Leggings are not allowed.)
  OR
  Muga/Muga-coloured Mekhela and White Chadar with Purple border and Purple-coloured Blouse.

- **BOYS**: Simple/Formal Black Pant and White Shirt. (Jeans are not allowed)

RAGGING

As defined by Honourable Supreme Court of India, any disorderly conduct whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness any other students, indulging in rowdy or indiscipline activities which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or Psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student or asking the student to do any act or perform something which such students will not be in the ordinary course and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame or embarrassment so as to adversely effect the physique or psyche of a fresher or a junior student is defined as ragging.

ANY SENIOR STUDENT FOUND INDULGING IN RAGGING INSIDE THE COLLEGE CAMPUS/HOSTEL SHALL BE PUNISHED AS PER ORDER OF SUPREME COURT OF INDIA.
OTHER INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES AND COCURIcular ACTIVITIES

GIRLS’ COMMON ROOM:
There are two Girls’ Common Room in the college. One is constructed in the Science Block so as to benefit the Science Students. Another Girls’ Common Room which is a part of Arts Building of the college was renovated with financial assistance from UGC. This Common Room has all the facilities required for the the purpose. The Common Room also offers facilities of Indoor Games such as Table Tennis, Carrom etc. to the women students of the college. The Girls’ Common Room of the Science Block has been extended with MLA Fund in 2018.

BOYS’ COMMON ROOM:
The Boys’ Common Room of the college is very close to the Arts Building which helps the students to spend their leisure periods. The common room offers facilities for entertainment and some kinds of indoor games. Students usually feel comfortable playing Table Tennis, Carrom in the common room. The Students’ Union of the College also use the common room as their office.

FESTIVALS AND FUNCTIONS
In addition to the regular Festivals and Functions (i.e. Saraswati Puja, Tithi of Sankardev, Republic day, Independence day, Freshers’ social and Annual College Week), the College holds the ‘All Assam Inter College Sadananda Chaliha Memorial Speech Competition and Najeebur Rahman Memorial Quiz Competition’ every year. Again the date of 7th September has been observed as Biswanath College foundation day. All festivals and functions of the College has been observed during the day time.

STUDENTS’ IDENTITY CARDS
College Identity Cards are issued annually. Old identity Card is to be surrendered by each student at the end of academic session of a year. The college authority reserves the right to issue a duplicate identity card in case of loss/damage of the original card through proper verification on payment of Rs. 50/-

BISWANATH COLLEGE GYM
The Biswnath College Gym was financed by UGC during 2013-14. At present physical training is offered to the aspirants at a nominal cost during the morning and the evening hours. Students are presented with course completion certificates after successful completion of their training. Interested students may contact Mr. Raju Katak, Physical Instructor.

NCC AND NSS
The Biswanath College wings of NCC & NSS have always been very active and the members of these wings have been working very hard over the years and have been able to bag honours to the college very often. A good NCC/NSS certificate will certainly be an asset for the students.

❖ Students opting for NCC may contact the NCC Officer Mr. Sunsuma Brahma, M.A., Lecturer, Department of Hindi.
❖ For NSS they may contact the NSS Programme officer Mr. Rajeswar Boro, M.A., M.Phil Assistant Prof., Department of Assamese.
AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

With a view to encouraging and inspiring the learners, the college has initiated several moves in order to bring the financially weak but meritorious students at par with the general students. Such moves include institution of scholarships, awards and tuition waivers. Besides these, in order to enthuse the students the college has provision of giving recognition to meritorious students by way of giving formal honour supported by citations, certificates etc. Some such scholarships are detailed below:

- State Government scholarships for SC, ST, OBC, MOBC students of this college are available to all eligible students.
- National scholarships are available to students with “Star Mark” in HSLC examination who are financially weak.
- "Ishan Uday" UGC Scholarship for North East students.
- State Merit Scholarships are available to students who secure first division in HSLC Examination.
- Full tuition waiver (Free studentships) is given to a few exceptionally meritorious and needy students of the college.
- The Biswanath College Sanchai Aru Wrinpan Samiti Ltd. scholarships are available to meritorious students of H.S. classes.
- The Chabilal Upadhyaya Memorial Educational Trust of the college offers scholarships to the poor and meritorious students of HS (Science) students.
- Ripunjoy Tamuly Memorial Trust has been offering books and full tuition fee to one poor but meritorious student in Higher Secondary Arts Stream since 2009.
- The Poor Student-aid-Fund of the College offers financial assistance to the poor but meritorious students of the college. During the session 2008-09 as many as ten students availed of this scheme.
- The Late Khagendra Nath Bhattacharyya Memorial Award (Rs. 2000.00 and a citation) is available to the student who secures highest marks (minimum 60%) in Economics (Major) in the College.
- Department of English annually offers Late Purna Hazarika Memorial Award which includes a memento and an amount of Rs. 5000.00 to the best graduate of the Department.

- **Stipend to SC/ST/OBC (Non-creamy layer)/Minority students**:
  
  During XIth five year plan, University Grants Commission, New Delhi has allocated funds for giving monthly stipend to BA/BSc students of SC/ST/OBC (Non-creamy layer)/Minority groups. In this current academic session a few students with low income (Below Poverty Line) from the categories mentioned above will be selected for this stipend. Interested students may apply to such stipends in response to advertisements/notices issued by the college.
OPEN AND DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES

 опас  Biswanath College Study Centre for Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL) G.U.

Known earlier as PGCS (Post Graduate Correspondence School), the Biswanath College Study Centre of IDOL, GU was started in 2003 and since then the centre has been making immense contribution for spreading higher education in this locality.

P. G. DEGREE :- Assamese, Education, Bengali, Bodo, English, Economics, History, Political Science, Philosophy, Mathematics, M.Com, B.Sc. (IT), M.Sc. (IT), MCA, MCJ, PGDBM, PGDCA, PGDHRM, PGDFS.

FEES TO BE PAID :- Course Fee Rs. 7,000/- (In one installment for two semesters)
Library and Development fees Rs. 100/-, Centre Fee Rs. 100/-

Examination Centre Fee Rs. 200/-

[Arrangements are also made for Classes in the College campus. Tuition Fee for Class in the College will be decided later] 

For details the students may contact : Dr. Naresh Thakur, M.A., Ph.D. Co-ordinator

 опас  K.K. Handique State Open University, Biswanath College Study Centre

COURSES OFFERED :-
1. B.P.P.
2. B.A.
3. B.Com.
4. B.B.A. (Bachelor of Business Administration)
5. B.M.C. (Bachelor of Mass Communication)
6. B.C.A. (Bachelor of Computer Application)
7. P.G.D.J.M.C., P.G.D.M.C.
8. P.G.D.C.A.
10. MSW (Master in Social Work)
11. MBA

Co-ordinator : Dr. Pulak Sabhapandit, M.Sc., PhD

Press Meet during College Foundation Day Cultural Rally
MEMBERSHIP OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL BODIES

A) Biswanath College - A Recognised Member Institute of United Nations Academic Impact

Biswanath College has become a member institution of United Nations Academic Impact in January 2020. Biswanath College, since its formative years has committed to various UNAI principles such as commitment to the United Charter, human rights, educational opportunity for all, sustainability, addressing poverty etc. With these promises and activities towards promoting sustainable development goals, Biswanath College has been able to get membership citation from United Nations Academic Impact. The biggest advantage of being a member of the UNAI is the prestige that comes with it. With the membership in UNAI, Biswanath College has been selected to be a part of United Nations, the political body that is most directly responsible for managing global and international affairs and maintaining the peace.

B) Biswanath College - A Member of MHRD's Institutions Innovation Council

MHRD’s Innovation Cell is an initiative with the mandate to work closely with Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) of India to encourage the creative energy of student population to work on new ideas and innovation and promote them to create start-ups and entrepreneurial ventures. This program was inaugurated on 21st November 2018 at AICTE HQ New Delhi by Honorable Minister of HRD and since then a network of 950+ Institution’s Innovation Council has been established across country. As a part of MHRD’s Innovation Cell, the Institution’s Innovation Council was formed at Biswanath College in November 2019 and it was approved by MHRD’s Innovation Cell on November 5, 2019. The council, since its formation, has been adopting numerous activities in the campus in order to create an eco-system which will encourage, inspire and nurture young students by exposing them to new ideas and processes resulting in innovative activities in their formative years.
Some Important Committees

Career Counselling and Guidance Cell
Co-ordinator: Mrs. Jyotikana Das Tamuly, M.Sc.

UGC (University Grants Commission) Cell
Co-ordinator: Dr. Naresh Thakur, M.A. Ph.D

IQAC (Internal Quality Assurance Cell)
Co-ordinator: Dr. Nipam Kumar Saikia, M.A. Ph.D

RUSA (Rashtriya Uchchattar Shiksha Abhiyan)
Co-ordinator: Mr. Ajoy Kumar Dey, M.Sc.

AISHE (All India Survey of Higher Education)
Co-ordinator: Mr. Ajoy Kumar Dey, M.Sc.

SWAYAM
Co-ordinator: Dr. Lalit Baruah, M.Sc., PhD

B.Voc Courses (6 Months Certificate Course in Tea Plantation and Management)
Co-ordinator: Dr. Ratul Nath, M.Sc., PhD

CBCS (Choice Based Credit System) implementation cell
Co-ordinator: Dr. Debashis Sarmah, M.Sc., PhD

IIIC (Institution's Innovation Council)
President: Ms. Deepjyoti Nath, M.A., MPhil
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