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HAZI A. K. KHAN COLLEGE

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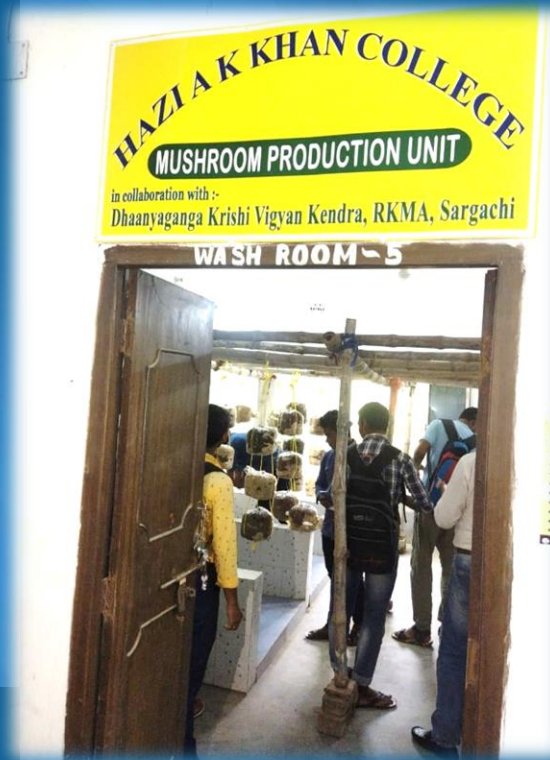
COLLEGE AT A GLANCE

- ❖ Established on 8th September, 2008.
- ❖ Co-educational institute affiliated to University of Kalyani offering UG Pass and Honours Courses.
- ❖ Academic activities of the college are guided by the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) form of education from the academic year 2018-19 onwards, following the instructions and guidelines of the University of Kalyani, with the Semester mode (6 months each) of Curriculum Division and Examination.
- ❖ Total area of the college campus **1.82** acres.
- ❖ Teaching Faculty Members: **32**
- ❖ Non-Teaching Faculty Members: **10 (Full Time-07, Part Time-01, Casual-02)**
- ❖ The College offers B.A. (Honours) degree in the following seven subjects: Bengali, English, History, Geography, Philosophy, Education and Political Science.
- ❖ The College offers B.A. (Programme/General Course) degree in the following twelve subjects: Bengali, English, History, Geography, Philosophy, Education, Political Science, Arabic, Sanskrit, Defence Studies, Physical Education and Mathematics.
- ❖ Parking Space: **03 (Two for Staffs & One for Students)**
- ❖ No. of Theory Class Room: **23**
- ❖ No. of Smart Class Room and Research & ICT Room: **03+01**
- ❖ No. of Conference Room: **01**
- ❖ No. of Computer Lab.: **01**
- ❖ No. of Geography Lab.: **01**
- ❖ Rooms, other than Class Rooms: **15 (With 10 attached toilets)**
- ❖ No. of Toilet: **21** (for female students), **41** (for male students), **10-M, 07-F** (for Staff).
- ❖ No. of Library Books: **8120**
- ❖ No. of Students' Common Room: **01**(for female students), **01** (for male students)
- ❖ No. of Aqua guard & Arsenic free drinking water: **12**
- ❖ No. of Hostel: **01**(for Minority Girl students), including 20 toilets.

NEW INITIATIVES

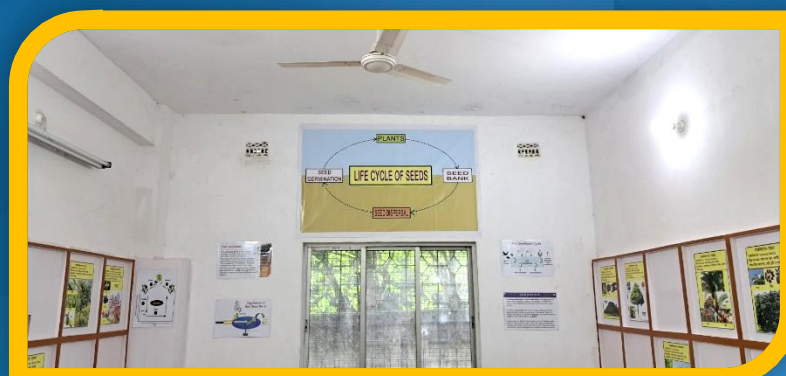
Computer Course: Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with H.A.K.C. Computer Institute, introduces four 6-month computer courses (CITA, DITA, ADITA, and CFAS) at the college premises. This joint initiative combines academic excellence and specialized expertise, offering students a comprehensive learning experience. As a student-friendly measure, a concession on course fees is provided, emphasizing accessibility and skill development.

Mushroom Cultivation: Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with Dhaanyaganga Krishi Vigyan Kendra, RKMA, Sargachi, successfully concluded a Mushroom Cultivation initiative. Participants gained practical skills. Presently, these skills are actively applied, fostering ongoing engagement and contributing to the institutions' commitment to agricultural innovation. This program aims to provide hands-on training and knowledge in the cultivation of mushrooms, fostering agricultural innovation and entrepreneurship. Participants in the program will delve into the techniques and processes of mushroom cultivation, covering aspects such as substrate preparation, inoculation, cultivation methods, and disease management. The initiative is designed to empower individuals with the skills required to



engage in sustainable mushroom farming.

Seed Bank: The Seed Bank, a collaborative initiative between Hazi A. K. Khan College and Mission Green Universe Foundation, launched some time ago at Hazi A. K. Khan College premises, has not only established itself as a beacon of biodiversity conservation but continues to thrive with ongoing impact. The initiative was conceived to address the pressing need for preserving local plant varieties, promoting sustainable agriculture, and enhancing community resilience. The Seed Bank, initially established with diverse seeds collected from the region, aimed to become a hub for knowledge dissemination and a catalyst for environmental awareness. Looking ahead, the collaborative effort envisions expanding the Seed Bank initiative. Plans include the incorporation of advanced technologies for enhanced seed preservation, broadening the range of available seeds, and fostering deeper community engagement through research initiatives and partnerships with local farmers.



Herbal Gardens: Hazi A. K. Khan College proudly introduced the initiative "Ayurekha," a thriving Herbal Garden that symbolizes our commitment to holistic education and environmental consciousness. This initiative was born from the college's dedication to promoting the knowledge and cultivation of medicinal plants, fostering a deeper connection between nature and the community.

"Ayurekha" serves as an educational and practical hub, where students and the community can explore the rich diversity of medicinal plants. The initiative aims to provide hands-on learning experiences, promoting the understanding of herbal remedies, sustainable living, and the significance of preserving traditional knowledge about the healing properties of plants.

The Herbal Garden boasts a diverse collection of medicinal plants, carefully curated to represent a spectrum of therapeutic properties. From herbs with ancient healing traditions to those with contemporary medicinal applications, "Ayurekha" showcases the vast potential of herbal flora.



Vermicomposting: Hazi A. K. Khan College takes pride in its eco-conscious endeavors, and our latest initiative focuses on sustainable waste management through Vermicomposting. This initiative underscores our commitment to environmental responsibility and empowers the college community to actively contribute to waste reduction and soil enrichment. The primary objectives include reducing organic waste, producing nutrient-rich compost, and promoting a culture of environmental awareness and responsibility.



Rainwater Harvesting: Hazi A. K. Khan College proudly embraces sustainability with our Rainwater Harvesting initiative, a commitment to water conservation and environmental stewardship. This initiative reflects our dedication to harnessing the power of rain to mitigate water scarcity and build a resilient, eco-friendly campus. The initiative focuses on reducing reliance on external water sources, replenishing groundwater levels, and cultivating a sense of water-consciousness within our college community. Our Rainwater Harvesting system intelligently collects and stores rainwater from rooftops and other surfaces.



Groundwater Recharging: Hazi A. K. Khan College is dedicated to a sustainable future, exemplified by our ongoing Groundwater Recharging initiative. This endeavor focuses on replenishing groundwater levels, recognizing the critical importance of sustaining this invaluable resource for the well-being of our community and the environment. Our goal is to

enhance natural percolation and infiltration, contributing to the restoration and augmentation of groundwater.



SEMINARS / WORKSHOPS

To instill strong academic and social values, and to make students aware of responsible, independent, and self-sufficient citizenship, Hazi A. K. Khan College regularly organizes Extension and Occasional lectures, Seminars and Workshops with experienced professionals from diverse walks of life. These initiatives serve as valuable complements to the formal syllabus-oriented classroom teaching, providing students with a holistic educational experience. Beyond the direct benefits to students, many of these programs are strategically organized to enhance the professional development of faculty members, enriching their teaching methodologies and ensuring contemporary guidance in their respective domains.

On April 20, 2022, the Department of Education, Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), hosted a valuable State Level Seminar on the intricacies of **"HOW TO WRITE A RESEARCH REPORT."** The seminar aimed to equip participants with essential skills and insights into the art of crafting effective research reports. Dr. Rajib Saha, Assistant Professor, Department of Teacher Education, West Bengal University of Teachers' Training Education Planning and Administration, was invited as the resource person of the seminar. He spoke about the various steps involved in writing a research report, including choosing a topic, conducting research, writing the report, and revising and editing.



On July 7, 2022, the Department of Education at Hazi A.K. Khan College organized a one-day state-level seminar on **"Women Education in Twenty-First Century India."** Dr. Dola Sarkar, Assistant Professor in the Department of Education at Plassey College, was the invited resource person. The seminar was patronized by Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal of Hazi A.K. Khan College, and convened by Dr. Krishnendu Munsu and Dr. Arun Kumar Singha, Assistant

Professors in the Department of Education at Hazi A.K. Khan College. Dr. Dola Sarkar's presentations provided an insightful analysis of the current state of women's education and potential areas for improvement.

A One Day State Level Seminar on **"NAAC Preparedness: New Practice & Perspectives"** was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Hazi A. K. Khan College on 7th September, 2022. Dr. Sukanta Bhattacharyya, Principal, Mankar College & NAAC Assessor, was invited as the resource person of the seminar. Dr. Sukanta Bhattacharyya, distinguished Principal of Mankar College and an experienced NAAC Assessor, graced the seminar as the esteemed resource person. His profound knowledge and expertise enriched the discussions, offering valuable guidance to participants on the intricacies of NAAC assessments. The seminar received esteemed patronage from Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, the Principal of Hazi A. K. Khan College, whose leadership and support were instrumental in the successful execution of the event. Dr. Krishnendu Munsu, the Coordinator of IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College, served as the Organizing Secretary. His meticulous planning and coordination ensured the smooth flow of the seminar, contributing to its overall success.

On September 15, 2022, the Department of Philosophy, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized a one-day state-level seminar on **"A Short Introduction to Kant's Critique of Pure Reason."** Pranab Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Department of Philosophy, Jatindra Rajendra Mahavidyalaya, Amtala, Murshidabad, was the invited resource person. The seminar was patronized by Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal, Hazi A.K. Khan College, and convened by Dr. Munmun Dutta, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Hazi A.K. Khan College. In this seminar, three points are crucial - the relation of reason to empirical truth; its role in scientific enquiry; and the positive gains that come from appreciating reason's limits.

On September 26, 2022, the Department of Political Science, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), orchestrated a One-Day State Level Seminar exploring the theme of **"Dialectical Federal Narrative in India."** This thought-provoking event aimed to unravel the nuanced dynamics of federalism within the Indian context. Under the esteemed patronage of Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal of Hazi A. K. Khan College, the seminar received unwavering support and guidance. His commitment to intellectual exploration and academic discourse was instrumental in shaping the success of the seminar. The seminar delved

into the intricate layers of the dialectical federal narrative, unraveling its impact on India's political landscape.

A one-day state-level seminar on **"Gandhi and Subhas: Harmony and Dissonance"** was organized by the Department of History of Hazi A.K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), on November 16, 2022. Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal of Hazi A.K. Khan College, was the patron of the seminar. Dipankar Roy, Assistant Professor of History, Kalna College, Kalna, Purba Bardhaman, was the invited resource person. Dr. Piyali Dan and Dr. Chandrani Pal, Assistant Professors of History, played pivotal roles as the seminar conveners. The seminar began with a welcome address by Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal of Hazi A.K. Khan College. In his address, Dr. Ghosh highlighted the importance of studying the relationship between Gandhi and Subhas, and the need to understand their different perspectives on Indian nationalism. Dipankar Roy, the invited resource person, then delivered a keynote lecture on the topic of the seminar. In his lecture, Mr. Roy discussed the complex and often contradictory relationship between Gandhi and Subhas.

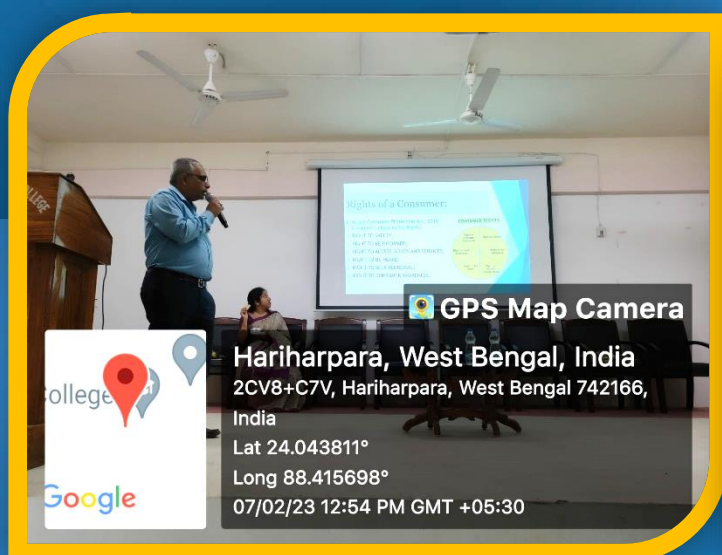
On November 22, 2022, the Department of Bengali, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), orchestrated a compelling One-Day State Level Seminar under the theme **"Banglar Saktitotto"**. The seminar aimed to explore and celebrate the rich cultural and literary heritage that embodies the strength of Bengal. Speakers discussed the role of Bengali literature, music, and art in shaping Bengal's identity and fostering a sense of pride among Bengalis.

A one-day state-level seminar on **"Gender-Sexuality and HIV-AIDS"** was organized by the Department of Philosophy of Hazi A.K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), on December 1, 2022. Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal of Hazi A.K. Khan College, was the patron of the seminar. Dr. Rajarshi Chakabarty, Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Burdwan, was the invited resource person. Dr. Munmun Dutta, Assistant Professor of Philosophy, played a pivotal role as the Seminar Convener. Her dedication and academic acumen ensured the seamless execution of the seminar, contributing to its success



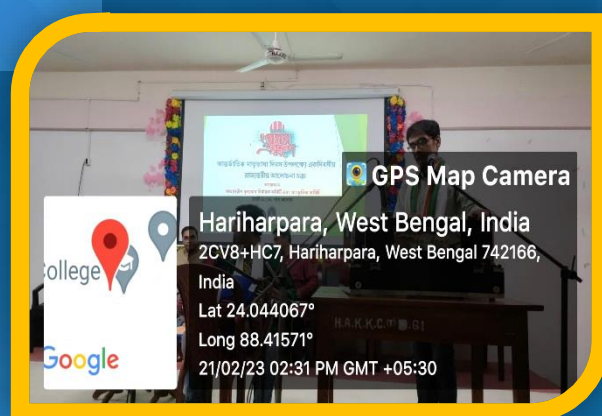
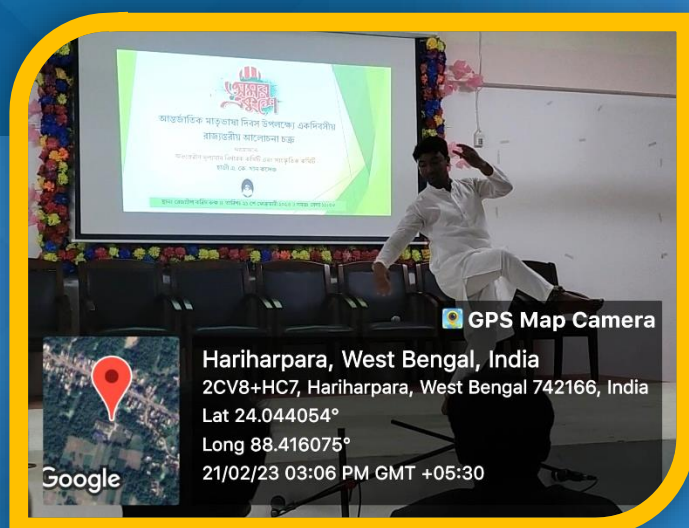
On December 2, 2022, the Department of Physical Education, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), organized a one-day state-level seminar on **“Yoga and Stress Management”**. The seminar aimed to explore the holistic benefits of yoga in mitigating stress and promoting overall well-being. The seminar delved into the profound practices of yoga and their effectiveness in stress management, aligning with the growing awareness of holistic health in contemporary society.

A one-day state-level seminar on the Consumer Protection Act, 2019 was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Hazi A.K. Khan College, in collaboration with Consumer Affairs and Fair Business Practices, Murshidabad Regional Office, Government of West Bengal, on February 2, 2023. The seminar began with a welcome address by Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh, Principal, Hazi A.K. Khan College. One of the key themes of the seminar was the importance of consumer awareness. Speakers discussed the need to educate consumers about their rights under the Consumer Protection Act, 2019, and how to file a complaint if their rights are violated. They also discussed the role of consumer organizations in promoting consumer awareness and advocacy.



On February 21, 2023, the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Cultural Committee, orchestrated a vibrant and culturally enriching One-Day State Level Seminar titled **"Amor Ekusey."** The event was organized to

commemorate International Mother Language Day, a celebration of linguistic diversity and cultural heritage. The seminar not only marked an intellectual exploration of language-related themes but also served as a poignant tribute to the significance of linguistic identity and diversity, aligning with the spirit of International Mother Language Day.



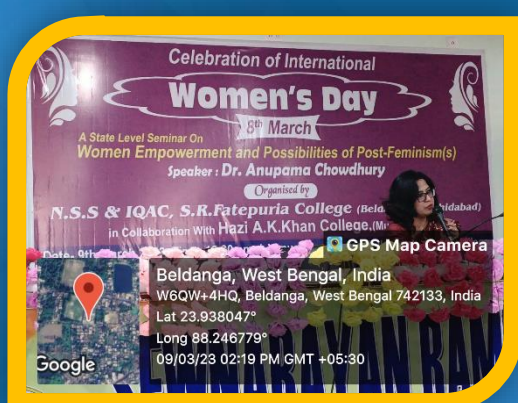
On March 1, 2023, the Internal Complaints Committee, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Hazi A. K. Khan College organized an empowering workshop on **"Self-Defense for Girl Students."** The initiative aimed to equip female students with essential self-defense skills, fostering a sense of confidence and security. The workshop welcomed Md. Rajib Hossain Ansary, an Internationally Acclaimed Karate Trainer and India Book of Records Holder, as the esteemed resource person. His expertise and accomplishments added a valuable dimension to the workshop, ensuring participants received high-quality training. The convener of the workshop was Bidisha Munshi, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Hazi A. K. Khan College. She said that the workshop was organized in response to the growing demand for self-defense training among girl students.



On March 6, 2023, the Department of Education, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Hazi A. K. Khan College, organized a thought-provoking State Level Seminar focusing on **"Women in India Today."** The seminar aimed to foster a nuanced understanding of the multifaceted roles, challenges, and contributions of women in contemporary India. The resource persons for the seminar were Dr. Minara Yeasmin, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, Aliah University, Kolkata and Murshida Khatun, Headmistress, Debkunda Sk Abdur Razzaq Memorial High Madrasah (HS), Beldanga.



On March 9, 2023, the NSS and IQAC, S. R. Fatepuria College in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a one-day state level seminar on **"Women Empowerment and Possibilities of Post-Feminism(s) "** on the occasion of International Women's Day. The seminar was held at the S. R. Fatepuria College campus and was attended by students, faculty, and scholars from all over the state. Dr. Anupama Chowdhury, Associate Professor, Department of English, M.U.C. Women's College, Burdwan, was invited as the resource person of the seminar. She spoke about the various ways in which women are empowered today, as well as the possibilities and challenges of post-feminism. She also discussed the role of education, employment, and social participation in promoting women's empowerment.



On March 23, 2023, the NSS, Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a pivotal State Level Seminar addressing the critical theme of **"Global Warming."** The seminar aimed to raise awareness

about the environmental challenges posed by global warming and foster a deeper understanding of its implications. The resource person for the seminar was Ananya Sarkar, Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, Nagar College. She spoke about the causes, consequences, and mitigation strategies for global warming. She also highlighted the importance of individual and collective action in addressing this global challenge.

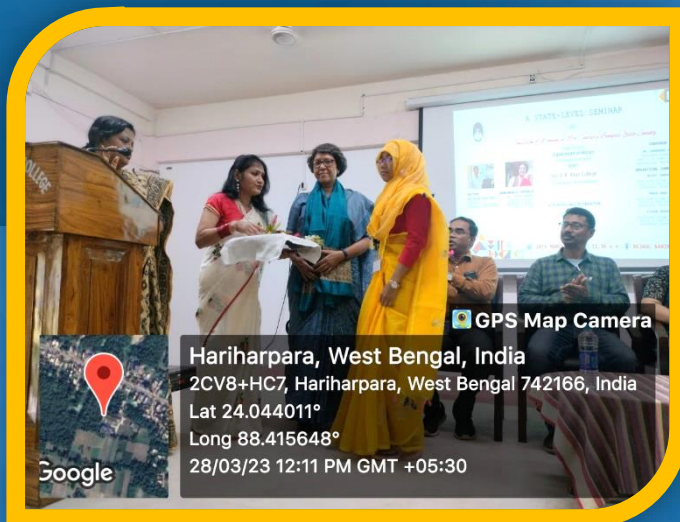


On March 25, 2023, the Department of Bengali, Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), hosted a prestigious one-day International Seminar. The seminar, titled **"EPAR BANGLA OPAR BANGLAR SAHITTYE DESH VAGER PROVAB"**, aimed to explore the profound impact of global cultures on Bengali literature. One of the key themes of the seminar was the role of literature in promoting cultural understanding and cooperation between Bangladesh and India. The speakers highlighted the importance of translating literary works from one language to another in order to make them accessible to a wider audience.



On March 28, 2023, the Department of History, Hazi A. K. Khan College, in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), hosted a significant State Level Seminar. The seminar, titled **"Condition of Women in 19th Century Bengali Elite Society,"** delved into historical perspectives to shed light on the challenges and experiences of women in elite Bengali society during the 19th century. The resource person for the seminar was Dr. Sutapa

Sengupta, Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Kalyani, Kalyani, Nadia. She spoke about the various aspects of the lives of women in 19th century Bengali elite society, including their education, marriage, family life, and participation in social and cultural activities. She also discussed the challenges faced by women in this society, such as child marriage, polygamy, and domestic violence.



The Department of English in collaboration with IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a one-day international seminar on **"Diaspora Literature: Exclamation for the Crises of Space and Identity"** on April 29, 2023. The resource persons for the seminar were Prof. (Dr.) Mizanur Rahman, Professor, Department of English, Islamic University, Kushtia, Bangladesh and Dr. Md. Monirul Islam, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Presidency University, Kolkata, West Bengal.



The IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College in collaboration with Block Development Office Hariharpara, Murshidabad organized a one-day state level workshop on **"Vocational Course"** on May 17, 2023. The workshop was held at the college campus. The workshop was aimed at creating awareness about the importance of vocational courses and their potential for enhancing employability and entrepreneurship among youth. Sri Raja Bhowmick, Block Development Officer, Hariharpara Block, Murshidabad, spoke about the various vocational training schemes and programs available under the government's initiatives. He emphasized the importance of choosing the right vocational course based on one's interests and skills. Prova Mazumdar, Women Welfare Officer, Hariharpara Block, Murshidabad, spoke about the specific needs and challenges faced by women in pursuing vocational training and entrepreneurship. She emphasized the need for providing adequate support and mentorship to women in this field.



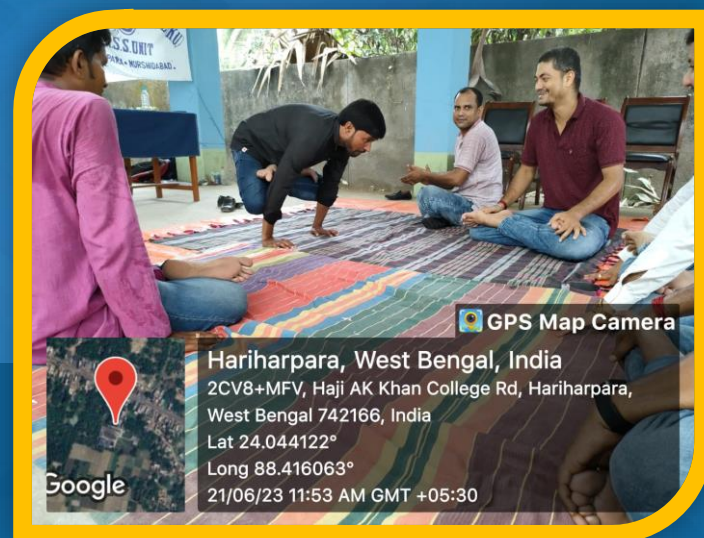
On June 7, 2023, the Central Library in collaboration with IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a one-day state-level seminar on **"The Role of Open Educational Resources in Enhancing Virtual Learning Platforms."** The seminar focused on the growing importance of open educational resources (OERs) in enhancing the effectiveness of virtual learning platforms. OERs are freely available and openly licensed educational materials that can be used and adapted without restrictions. The seminar explored the various ways in which OERs can be used to improve the quality, accessibility, and affordability of virtual learning experiences. On June 13, 2023, the Student Placement Sub-Committee & IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College in collaboration with RICE organized a seminar on **"Career Guidance"** for the benefit of students. The seminar was held at the college campus and was attended by a large number of

students from various streams. The seminar featured Mr. Subhabrata Sarkar, Executive Officer at RICE, Berhampore, as the distinguished speaker. His expertise in career guidance added significant value to the seminar.

The Internal Complaints Committee (ICC), Hazi A. K. Khan College in collaboration with IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a seminar on "**Gender Sexuality and Society**" on May 11, 2023. The seminar was held at the college campus and was attended by students, faculty, and members of the local community. Dr. Rajarshi Chakraborty, Associate Professor, Department of History, University of Burdwan, graced the seminar as the esteemed speaker. He spoke about the complex and interconnected relationships between gender, sexuality, and society. He discussed the historical and cultural factors that have shaped our understanding of gender and sexuality, and he explored the ways in which these concepts are contested and redefined in contemporary society.

The Department of History in collaboration with IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College, organized a one-day state-level seminar on "**Understanding Museums as Repositories of Our Culture**" on June 15, 2023. The speaker for the seminar was Mousumi Banerjee, Curator, Murshidabad District Museum. She spoke about the importance of museums in preserving and showcasing our cultural heritage. She highlighted the role of museums in educating the public about the history and culture of different communities.

On June 21, 2023, the Department of Physical Education in collaboration with IQAC, Hazi A. K. Khan College organized a one-day workshop on "**Yoga: A Step Towards Healthy Living.**" Mr. Md. Rajib Hossain Ansari, an internationally acclaimed Karate Trainer and India Book of Records Holder, served as the distinguished resource person. His expertise added depth to the workshop's exploration of yoga and its positive impact on health. Participants engaged in practical yoga sessions conducted by Mr. Rajib Hossain Ansari, providing hands-on experience and understanding of various yoga postures and techniques.



EXPLORATORY TRIPS

A field survey was conducted on behalf of the **Geography Department** in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Undergraduate Degree in Geography (Honours) under the University of Kalyani on July 28, 2023, in Tartipur village, Hariharpara C.D. Block, Murshidabad District. The project work was assigned as part of the CBCS Syllabus for Semester-IV under the Course GEO-H-SEC-P-02/B (Field Work). The aim of the study was to analyze the socio-economic issues faced by weavers in Tartipur village.



On April 4, 2023, the **History Department** organized a captivating Heritage Walk at Jitpur, Domkal, Murshidabad. The event aimed to immerse participants in the rich historical tapestry of the region, providing a unique opportunity to explore and appreciate its cultural heritage. The Heritage Walk at Jitpur, Domkal, Murshidabad, proved to be an enlightening and enriching experience for all involved. By blending education with exploration, the event successfully brought history to life, fostering a deeper connection between participants and the heritage of Jitpur.



The field survey was conducted on June 22, 2023, and June 26, 2023, in Hosenpur, Hariharpara, Murshidabad, West Bengal, as a partial requirement for the Semester-II Honours paper ENVS-H-AECC-02. The field survey was organized under the supervision of Smt. Mahamaya Ghosh, a teacher of **Environmental Studies**. The primary objective of the field survey was to emphasize the significance of ponds and their ecosystems.



The field survey was organized as part of the partial fulfillment of Semester-II Programme Course ENV-S-G-AECC-02. Smt. Mahamaya Ghosh, a teacher of **Environmental Studies**, supervised the fieldwork. The survey took place on June 15, 2023, and June 19, 2023, at Hariharpara, Murshidabad, West Bengal. Its purpose was to address pollution-related issues in the study area, as the villagers lack awareness about these issues. The survey aimed to raise awareness and promote environmental consciousness among the local community.



The Field Survey was organized as a partial requirement for the Semester-II Programme Course ENV-S-G-AECC-02. Smt. Mahamaya Ghosh, a teacher of **Environmental Studies**, supervised the field work. The field survey was conducted on June 12, 2023, and June 13, 2023, in Fatepur and Sundalpur, Hariharpara, Murshidabad, West Bengal. The primary objective of the field survey was to identify and highlight the importance of rivers and their ecosystems. The survey revealed that the people are not fully aware of the extent and severity of the threats to riverine ecology. As a result, the field survey team made a concerted effort to raise awareness among the people about the importance of protecting river water from further contamination to save the lotic ecosystem.

The field survey was organized for the partial fulfillment of Semester-I Honours ENVS-H-AECC-01. Smt. Mahamaya Ghosh, a teacher of **Environmental Studies**, supervised the fieldwork. The survey took place on February 6, 2023, and February 7, 2023, at Hosenpur, Hariharpara, Murshidabad, West Bengal. The primary objective of the field survey was to underscore the crucial role of plants in our environment. Unfortunately, the villagers lack awareness regarding the impacts of deforestation. Therefore, the survey aimed to raise awareness and encourage them to plant more trees, contributing to the preservation of the environment.



The field survey was organized for the partial fulfillment of Semester-I Honours ENVS-H-AECC-01. Smt. Mahamaya Ghosh, a teacher of **Environmental Studies**, supervised the fieldwork. The survey took place on January 30, 2023, January 31, 2023, and February 1, 2023, at Hariharpara, Murshidabad, West Bengal. The primary aim of the field survey was to shed light on health issues affecting women and their children in the study area. Unfortunately, there is a lack of awareness, especially among women in the village, regarding these health issues. Therefore, the survey served as an attempt to raise awareness and make them conscious of these health concerns.



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CELEBRATION OF SPECIAL EVENTS

The IQAC, Hazi A.K. Khan College, and the Cultural Sub-Committee are actively involved in organizing celebrations of numerous events of national and international significance each year. This initiative serves to raise awareness among all college stakeholders of their responsibilities as conscientious citizens.

Hazi A.K. Khan College transformed its premises into a vibrant haven of monsoon festivities, hosting a grand **Barsamangal** celebration on July 5, 2022. The event aimed to capture the essence of the rainy season, embracing its transformative beauty and the rich cultural traditions associated with it.

Hazi A.K. Khan College immersed itself in environmental consciousness as it celebrated **Tarumitra Utsav** on August 10, 2022, with a unique and symbolic initiative of tying rakhis onto trees. The event exemplified the college's commitment to ecological awareness and sustainable practices. The Tarumitra Utsav commenced with a thoughtful Rakhi Tying Ceremony, where students and faculty adorned trees with vibrant rakhis. This gesture symbolized a bond of protection and care between humans and the environment, underscoring the importance of preserving and nurturing our natural surroundings.

Hazi A.K. Khan College proudly marked the celebration of **Independence Day** on August 15, 2022, as part of the Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav, commemorating 75 years of India's freedom. The event was a testament to the spirit of patriotism and unity, bringing together students, faculty, and staff to honor the nation's journey towards sovereignty. The festivities commenced with the ceremonial hoisting of the national flag, a poignant moment that echoed the sacrifices made by countless individuals in the pursuit of freedom. The fluttering tricolor served as a symbol of national pride and resilience.

The **National Sports Day** was celebrated by Hazi A.K. Khan College on August 29, 2022, at the college premises. The event aimed to promote sportsmanship, physical well-being, and the spirit of healthy competition among students and the college community.

The Hazi A.K. Khan College **Foundation Day** Programme was held on September 8, 2022, at the college premises. The event was organized by the IQAC, Hazi A.K. Khan College, and the Cultural Sub Committee. The programme was a grand success, with a large number of students, faculty members, and guests attending the event. A variety of cultural performances were held, including dance, music, and poetry. The performances were well-received by the audience. Prizes were distributed to students who had excelled in academics, sports, and cultural activities. The prize distribution ceremony was a motivating event for the students.

On September 20, 2022, Hazi A.K. Khan College soared to new heights of joy and camaraderie as it celebrated the vibrant and exhilarating **Kite Festival**. The event brought together students, faculty, and the local community in a kaleidoscope of colors, showcasing the spirit of unity and festivity.

The Department of Political Science, Hazi A.K. Khan College took a momentous step towards fostering global harmony and understanding on September 23, 2022, as it celebrated **International Peace Day**. The event aimed to promote a culture of peace, unity, and social responsibility among students, faculty, and the broader college community.

On September 29, 2022, Hazi A.K. Khan College immersed itself in the celebration of Sarodotsab, a cultural extravaganza titled "**Sharat Tomar Arun Alor Anjali.**" This event, dedicated to the essence of autumn and the offering of prayers through art and music, marked a vibrant and soulful gathering of students, faculty, and the local community.

The Department of Political Science, Hazi A.K. Khan College illuminated with gratitude and appreciation on November 2, 2022, as it celebrated **International Teachers' Day**. The event, dedicated to honoring the invaluable contributions of educators, brought together students, faculty, and staff in a heartfelt acknowledgment of the profound impact teachers have on shaping lives.

On January 24, 2023, Hazi A.K. Khan College proudly celebrated the **birth anniversary** of the revered freedom fighter, **Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose**. The event was a tribute to the indomitable spirit and contributions of Netaji in the quest for India's independence.

Hazi A.K. Khan College proudly commemorated **Republic Day** on the 26th of January, 2023, in a spirited celebration that echoed the values of democracy, unity, and national pride. The event brought together students, faculty, and staff in a collective homage to India's constitutional heritage. The festivities commenced with the dignified hoisting of the national flag, an emblematic gesture symbolizing the sovereignty and unity of the nation. The tricolor unfurled against the sky, evoking a profound sense of patriotism among the attendees.

Hazi A.K. Khan College transformed into a vibrant hub of spring festivities, hosting a grand Basantotsab celebration on March 1, 2023. The celebration featured traditional folk songs dedicated to the arrival of spring.

Hazi A.K. Khan College paid homage to the visionary leader and architect of the Indian Constitution, **Dr. B.R. Ambedkar**, on the occasion of his birthday anniversary, celebrated on April 13, 2023. The event aimed to commemorate his contributions to social justice, equality, and nation-building.

The **International Dance Day** was celebrated by Hazi A.K. Khan College on April 24, 2023. The event was a jubilant homage to the universal language of dance, bringing together students, faculty, and dance enthusiasts in a kaleidoscope of cultural diversity.

On May 5, 2023, Hazi A.K. Khan College joyously celebrated **Buddha Purnima**, a sacred occasion commemorating the birth, enlightenment, and passing away of Lord Buddha. The event unfolded as a meaningful and culturally enriching experience, bringing together students, faculty, and staff in a collective celebration of spirituality and wisdom.

Hazi A.K. Khan College immersed itself in a cultural symphony on May 24, 2023, as it joyously celebrated the birth anniversary of the Rebel Poet, **Kazi Nazrul Islam**. The event was a homage to the poet's profound contributions to literature, music, and the spirit of resistance.

Hazi A.K. Khan College resonated with the joyous melodies and rhythms of diverse cultures as it celebrated **World Music Day** on June 21, 2023. The event brought together students, faculty, and music enthusiasts in a harmonious celebration of the universal language of music.

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES AND OUTREACH PROGRAMMES

On July 11, 2022, the NSS Unit of Hazi A. K. Khan College took a significant step towards environmental consciousness by organizing an Awareness Programme on **Global Warming** at Swaruppur, Hariharpara. The event aimed to educate and engage the community in understanding the impact of global warming and the importance of sustainable practices.

On July 28, 2022, the NSS Unit of Hazi A. K. Khan College undertook a commendable initiative by organizing a General **Health Awareness Programme** at Hariharpara High School. The event aimed to promote health awareness and educate students about the importance of well-being. The NSS Program Officer provided an overview of the importance of health awareness and the objectives of the programme.

On August 13, 2022, under the guidance of the NSS Programme Officer and other members, the NSS unit of our college embarked on a **cleaning program** at the Hariharpara Primary Health Centre. All NSS volunteers actively participated in the initiative. The NSS Programme Officer divided the volunteers into several groups, assigning each group a specific area to clean.

Together, they diligently cleaned the entire premises of the health center. Md. Safi, BMOH Hariharpara, was also present during the event and expressed his appreciation for the commendable efforts of the NSS volunteers.



On August 14, 2022, the volunteers of the NSS unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College embarked on a mission to foster patriotism among underprivileged individuals, particularly children, in their adopted village of Kesaipur. They enthusiastically distributed national flags to the villagers in celebration of the '**Har Ghar Tiranga**' initiative. A lively discussion ensued, with the children eagerly engaging in a conversation about the significance and importance of Independence Day. Through their efforts, the NSS volunteers successfully instilled the spirit of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' within the hearts of the villagers.



NSS volunteers of the college, along with all the students and staff, enthusiastically participated in an **Independence Day parade**. Their fervent chants of patriotic slogans resonated through the air, igniting a surge of patriotism within them. The parade served as a powerful reminder of the sacrifices made by freedom fighters during the struggle for independence and chronicled the events that led to India's liberation.



The NSS Unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College took a proactive step towards empowering women and girls by organizing an awareness program on **Beti Bachao Beti Padhao** on August 16, 2022, at Hariharpara. The program aimed to raise awareness about the importance of gender equality, female education, and the rights of women and girls in society.

In a proactive effort to combat the prevalent dengue fever, the NSS Unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College organized a comprehensive **Dengue Awareness Programme** on August 24, 2022, in the Hariharpara Hospital Area. The program aimed to educate the community about the causes, symptoms, and preventive measures of dengue fever, empowering them to protect themselves and their families from this potentially life-threatening disease.

In a heartwarming gesture to honor and appreciate the invaluable contributions of teachers, the NSS Unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College organized a Teacher's Day Celebration on September 5, 2022, in Taltala Para, Hariharpara. The event aimed to express gratitude to teachers for their tireless efforts in shaping the lives of students and society. NSS volunteers **distributed books, pens, and notebooks** to underprivileged students in Taltala Para, Hariharpara. The distribution of these essential educational materials aimed to bridge the gap in access to resources and encourage students to pursue their academic aspirations.

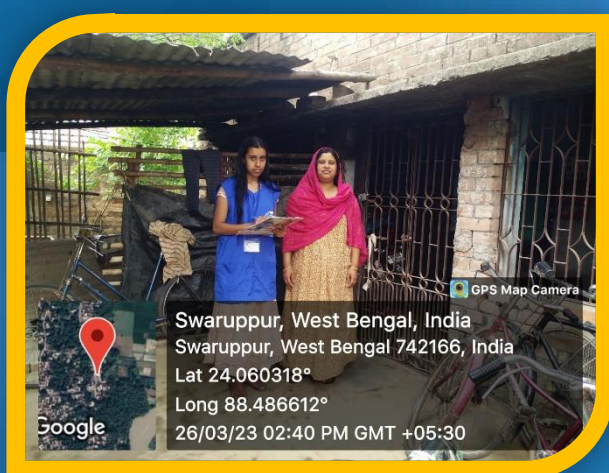
On September 9, 2022, the NSS Unit of Hazi A. K. Khan College took a proactive stance towards road safety by organizing the "**Safe Drive Save Life**" campaign at Hariharpara Bazar. The event aimed to create awareness about responsible driving practices, emphasizing the collective responsibility of the community for road safety.

On November 17, 2022, the NSS Unit of Hazi A. K. Khan College addressed a critical social issue by organizing an **Awareness Programme on Child Marriage** at Rukunpur, Hariharpara. The event aimed to disseminate information, challenge societal norms, and foster a collective commitment to eradicating the practice of child marriage.

An awareness program on **Adeno Virus** was organized by the NSS unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College in collaboration with the medical team from Hariharpara Hospital at Gopalnagar Primary School on March 9, 2023. The program commenced at 01:30 p.m. and concluded at 03:30 p.m. The medical officer from Hariharpara Hospital supervised the entire program. Awareness was raised about the nature of the virus, the associated dangers and threats, symptoms, and precautions to be taken by students and the general public. The program was attended by guardians, students, and teachers of the school, along with NSS volunteers, NSS members, and faculty from the college.



A **survey** was conducted on the 6th day of the special camping program on March 26, 2023, at the adopted village Keshaipur. NSS members and volunteers visited door-to-door to collect data, gathering information on the social, economic, educational, and environmental conditions of the villagers. The collected data was analyzed by the NSS team, and decisions were made to assist the villagers in overcoming their difficulties and problems.



In a proactive effort to address the prevalent issue of arsenic contamination in drinking water, the NSS Unit of Hazi A.K. Khan College organized an extensive **Arsenic Awareness Programme** on April 28, 2023, in Hariharpara and Daltanpur. The program aimed to educate communities about the health hazards of arsenic poisoning, raise awareness about alternative water sources, and promote the adoption of safe drinking water practices.

On May 25, 2023, the NSS Unit of Hazi A. K. Khan College demonstrated its commitment to environmental sustainability by organizing an Awareness Programme on the **Use of Paper Bags** at Hariharpara Hospital Area. The event aimed to promote eco-friendly practices, reduce plastic usage, and raise awareness about the environmental impact of everyday choices.

NOTEWORTHY ATTAINMENTS OF THE FACULTY

Principal Dr. Goutam Kumar Ghosh has authored a significant publication with the paper titled "Samprodayikotar Utthan: Buddhijibider Motamot o Deshbhag" included in the book "Epar Bangla Opar Bangla Sahitye Deshbhager Provab," published by Bangiya Sahitya Samsad with the ISBN 978-93-94748-61-3 in the year 2023.

Contributed a chapter entitled 'Women Empowerment and Sustainable Development of Indian Society' to the book 'Sahitya-Sanskriti o Somaj Jibone Nari', published by Bangiya Sahitya Samsad, with the ISBN 978-93-94748-62, in the year 2023.

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Contributed a paper entitled 'Prithibir Alo Theke Kanyabhruner Prantikikaran' to the journal 'Ebong Prantik' with the ISSN 2582-3841 (Online) and 2340-487X (Print) in the year 2022.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Rabindranather Shiksachinta' to the journal 'Pratidhwani the Echo' with the ISSN 2278-5264 (Online) 2321-9319 (Print) in the year 2023.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Lingo Boisomyo: Somajer Mulsrote Tar Provab' to the journal 'Ebong Prantik' with the ISSN 2582-3841(Online) 2340-487X (Print) in the year 2023.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Rabindra Dristite Asprisryota' to the journal 'Wisdom Speaks' with the ISSN 2456-5121 in the year 2023.

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Contributed a chapter entitled 'Bangla Sahitye Baul Sadhanay Nari' to the book 'Sahitya-Sanskriti o Somaj Jibone Nari', published by Bangiya Sahitya Samsad, with the ISBN 978-93-94748-62, in the year 2023.

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Contributed a chapter entitled 'Amiyabhusan Majumdarer Nirbas: Prosongo Deshbhag' to the book 'Epar Bangla Opar Bangla Sahitye Deshbhager Provab', published by Bangiya Sahitya Samsad, with the ISBN 978-93-94748-61-3, in the year 2023.

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Contributed a paper entitled 'Impact on New Education Policy (NEP) 2020: On Higher Education System in India' to the journal 'Journal of Education & Culture' with the ISSN 2229-4287 in the year 2023.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Importance of Integration Modern Technology in Higher Education' to the journal 'Knowledgeable Research' with the ISSN 2583-6633 in the year 2023.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Impact of E-Learning in Higher Education System in India' to the journal 'Gurukul International Multidisciplinary Research Journal' with the ISSN 2394-8426 in the year 2023.

Contributed a paper entitled 'Inclusive Education Technology Use for Diverse Learning Strategy' to the journal 'International Journal of Science and Social Science Research' with the ISSN 2583-7877 in the year 2023.

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MAGAZINES

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