The Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) of the IQAC

All NAAC accredited institutions will submit an annual self-reviewed progress report to NAAC, through its IQAC. The report is to detail the tangible results achieved in key areas, specifically identified by the institutional IQAC at the beginning of the academic year. The AQAR will detail the results of the perspective plan worked out by the IQAC. (*Note: The AQAR period would be the Academic Year. For example, July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013*)



Revised Guidelines of IQAC and submission of AQAR

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1.3 NAAC Track ID (For ex. MHCOGN 18879)

WBCOGN21457

1.4 NAAC Executive Committee No. & Date: (For Example EC/32/A&A/143 dated 3-5-2004. This EC no. is available in the right corner- bottom of your institution's Accreditation Certificate)

EC(SC/17/ A& A/45.1) date 16/09/16

1.5 Website address:

Web-link of the AQAR:

http://udaynarayanpurmahavidyalaya.org/AQAR.html

http://udaynarayanpurmahavidyalaya.org/

For ex. http://www.ladykeanecollege.edu.in/AQAR2012-13.doc

1.6 Accreditation Details:

Sl. No.	Cyclo	Cycle Grade		Year of	Validity
51. INU.		Uraue	CGPA	Accreditation	Period
1	1 st Cycle	С	1.54	2016	15.09.2021
2	2 nd Cycle				
3	3 rd Cycle				
4	4 th Cycle				

1.7 Date of Establishment of IQAC :

DD/MM/YYYY

16.07.2014

1.8 AQAR for the year (for example 2010-11)

N.A			

1.9 Details of the previous year's AQAR submitted to NAAC after the latest Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC ((for example AQAR 2010-11submitted to NAAC on 12-10-2011)

i. AQAR (DD/MM/YYY)4
ii. AQAR(DD/MM/YYYY)
iii. AQAR(DD/MM/YYYY)
iv. AQAR(DD/MM/YYYY)
1.10 Institutional Status
University State V Central Deemed Private
Affiliated College Yes V No
Constituent College Yes No V
Autonomous college of UGC Yes No
Regulatory Agency approved Institution Yes No ✓
(eg. AICTE, BCI, MCI, PCI, NCI)
Type of Institution Co-education V Men Women
Urban Rural V Tribal
Financial StatusGrant-in-aid \checkmark UGC 2(f) \checkmark UGC 12B
Grant-in-aid + Self Financing \bigvee Totally Self-financing
1.11 Type of Faculty/Programme
Arts 🗸 Science V Commerce Law PEI (Phys Edu)
TEI (Edu) Engineering Health Science Management
Others (Specify)

1.13 Special status conferred by Central/ State Government-- UGC/CSIR/DST/DBT/ICMR etc



2.7 No. of Employers/ Industrialists

2.8 No. of other External Experts

2.9 Total No. of members



2.10 No. of IQAC meetings held	05
2.11 No. of meetings with various stakeholders:	No. 4 Faculty 2
Non-Teaching Staff Students 1	Alumni 0 Others 1
2.12 Has IQAC received any funding from UGC d If yes, mention the amount	uring the year? Yes No V
2.13 Seminars and Conferences (only quality relate	ed) :- NIL
(i) No. of Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops	/Symposia organized by the IQAC
Total Nos. International	National State Institution Level
(ii) Themes 2.14 Significant Activities and contributions made	by IQAC
The cell monitors overall teaching –learn and digital learning, lecture on resea participation of faculties in seminar by I	g overall existing qualities and facilities of the institution. ing activities and organized teachers' training in computer arch mentality incorporation, and IQAC also arrange QAC of other institutions. IQAC also monitor collection, arents' feedback about the institution and its process.

2.15 Plan of Action by IQAC/Outcome

The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality

enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the year \ast

Plan of Action	Achievements
 Conducting computer and digital learning training for teachers 	 Conducted training for use of ICT technology for teachers Conducted extension lecture for
 Conducting lecture and workshop for improvement of research culture among faculties 	overall quality improvement and improvement of research ability within regular framework of college
3. Conducting computer and	3. Collected vision and ideas for

	spoken English classes for students		each department and summarized for implementation
4.	Making student's club/ group for cultural activity	4.	Spoken English class for students are being held
5.	Conducting skill-building workshop for students	5.	took action on few areas and also
6.	Collection of feedback report from students and		conducted open house with guardian
	parents	6.	
7.	Collection of vision and academic plan from each department		cum-performance report
8.	Collection of work-cum- performance format from each faculty		
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2.15 Whether the AQAR v	Yes	٧	No				
Management	v	Syndicate		Any othe	r bod	У	

Provide the details of the action taken

Governing Body analyzes the 1st AQAR in detail. On the basis of the discussions on it the report has been approved and following decisions have been taken:-

a) To improve the pass percentage of the students, particularly of the General Course Students, it is decided to take steps for improvement of attendance of the students and at the same time more emphasis to be given upon class tests and preparatory examination.

b) It is advised that teachers should engage in research activities and publications. Necessary incentives, except monetary incentives, will be provided to the teachers for this purpose.

c) It is decided to open another unit of the NSS so that Extension activities could be further enhanced; and

d) Members of the G.B. feel that some more skill development programmes may be introduced in the college. Since the college is located in the rural area it is decided to introduce programmes related to preparation and use of bio-fertilizers for agricultural purpose.

Part – B

Criterion – I

I. Curricular Aspects

Level of the Programme	Number of existing Programmes	Number of programmes added during the year	Number of self-financing programmes	Number of value added / Career Oriented programmes
PhD				
PG				
UG	08	01	01	01
PG Diploma				
Advanced Diploma				
Diploma				
Certificate				
Others				
Total	08	01	01	
Interdisciplinary				
Innovative				

1.1 Details about Academic Programmes

1.2 (i) Flexibility of the Curriculum: CBCS/Core/Elective option / Open options (ii) Pattern of programmes:

Pattern	Number of programmes
Semester	-
Trimester	-
Annual	10

1.3 Feedback from stakeholders* (On all aspects)	Alumni	Parents	V	Employers		Students	٧]
Mode of feedback :	Online	Manual	V	Co-operating	g scho	ols (for PI	EI)	

*Please provide an analysis of the feedback in the Annexure (Please Check Annexure –II for the report)

1.4 Whether there is any revision/update of regulation or syllabi, if yes, mention their salient aspects.

There have been changes in History, Sanskrit, Philosophy and English syllabus by the affiliating University. For History, module division within 1^{st} and 3rd paper have been changed and the time period 1750-1800 has been shifted from 4^{th} to 6^{th} paper. Use of language for teaching and writing in examination has been changed to Sanskrit from Bengali in 2^{nd} and 6^{th} paper. There has been addition of new chapters in $1^{st} - 4^{th}$ paper. For English interchange of topics within paper II and paper V have been made and few new songs, poems, plays and essays have been added.

1.5 Any new Department/Centre introduced during the year. If yes, give details.

Education (Hons)- Self Finance course- it is 3 year degree course, affiliated by University of Calcutta.

Criterion – II

2. Teaching, Learning and Evaluation

2.1 Total No. of	Total	Asst. Professors	Associate Professors	Professors	Others
permanent faculty	12	12	-	-	18

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2.2 No. of permanent faculty with Ph.D.

2.3 No. of Faculty Positions Recruited (R) and Vacant (V) during the year	Asst.		Associa	ite	Profes	sors	Others		Total	
	Professors		Profess	ors						
	R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V	R	V
	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1

18

2.4 No. of Guest and Visiting faculty and Temporary faculty 8

Govt. Approved Part-Time Teachers

2.5 Faculty participation in conferences and symposia:

No. of Faculty	International level	National level	State level
Attended	4	2	6
Presented papers	3	2	3
Resource Persons	1	0	1

2.6 Innovative processes adopted by the institution in Teaching and Learning:

The institution is successfully using virtual classroom along with usual techniques like use of power point projector for lecture. Besides that in traditional classroom teaching scope of quiz, debate, presentation by the students are also done. Educational tour has been conducted for department of Bengali, English, History, Geography, Philosophy, Education and extension lecture was arranged by Dept. of History and Sanskrit and lecture was taken by Dr. Ranabir Chakraborty, professor of Ancient History of Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi. Dept. of Sanskrit organized a play acted by students which is enacted based on a play from the syllabus and thus making it innovative way to learn.

60%

NIL

- 2.7 Total No. of actual teaching days during this academic year 193
- 2.8 Examination/ Evaluation Reforms initiated by the Institution (for example: Open Book Examination, Bar Coding, Double Valuation, Photocopy, Online Multiple Choice Questions)
- 2.9 No. of faculty members involved in curriculum restructuring/revision/syllabus development as member of Board of Study/Faculty/Curriculum Development workshop
- 2.10 Average percentage of attendance of students

2.11 Course/Programme wise

Distribution of pass percentage :

Title of the Programme	Total no. of students	students							
	appeared	Distinction %	I %	II %	III %	Pass %			
B.A. Hons	131	-	15.26%	74.8	-	90.83%			
B.A. Pass	136	-	-	11%	-	30.14%			

2.12 How does IQAC Contribute/Monitor/Evaluate the Teaching & Learning processes :

IQAC takes feedback from each student and also conduct mid-term test to understand progress of students in each department.

2.13 Initiatives undertaken towards faculty development :01

Faculty / Staff Development Programmes	Number of faculty benefitted
Refresher courses	
UGC – Faculty Improvement Programme	
HRD programmes	
Orientation programmes	
Faculty exchange programme	
Staff training conducted by the university	
Staff training conducted by other institutions	01
Summer / Winter schools, Workshops, etc.	
Others	

2.14 Details of Administrative and Technical staff

Category	Number of Permanent Employees	Number of Vacant Positions	Number of permanent positions filled during the Year	Number of positions filled temporarily
Administrative Staff	4			
Technical Staff	1			

Criterion – III

3. Research, Consultancy and Extension

3.1 Initiatives of the IQAC in Sensitizing/Promoting Research Climate in the institution

IQAC conducted extension lecture to speak about incorporation of research mentality in daily schedule and it also facilitates participation of faculties in various seminars, workshops etc.

3.2 Details regarding major projects :- 0

	Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Number				
Outlay in Rs. Lakhs				

3.3 Details regarding minor projects:- 01

	Completed	Ongoing	Sanctioned	Submitted
Number		1		
Outlay in Rs. Lakhs		2,39,527		

3.4 Details on research publications

	International	National	Others
Peer Review Journals	11	8	-
Non-Peer Review Journals	-	-	8
e-Journals	7	-	-
Conference proceedings	1	1	1

3.5 Details on Impact factor of publications:

Range	0-2	Average
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1.5

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Nos. in SCOPUS | 4

3.6 Research funds sanctioned and received from various funding agencies, industry and other organisations

Nature of the Project	Duration Year	Name of the funding Agency	Total grant sanctioned	Received
Major projects				
Minor Projects	2	University Grants Commission	2,39,527	169527
Interdisciplinary Projects				
Industry sponsored				
Projects sponsored by the University/ College				
Students research projects (other than compulsory by the University)				
Any other(Specify)				
Total				

3.7 No. of books published	di)W	ith ISB	N No.	-] Cha	apters in 1	Edited B	ooks 1	
	ii) W	ithout I	SBN No)					
3.8 No. of University Depa	artment	s receiv	ing fund	ds from :- N	I.A.				
	UGC-	SAP		CAS		D	ST-FIST		
	DPE					D	BT Schei	me/funds	
3.9 For colleges	Auton	omy		CPE		D	BT Star S	Scheme	
	INSPI	RE		CE		A	ny Other	(specify)	
3.10 Revenue generated th	rough o	consulta	ncy	NIL					
3.11 No. of conferences		Leve	1	Internation	al	National	State	University	College
organized by the Instit	ution	Numb					1		
organized by the instit	ution	Spons- agenci	Ũ				ugc		
									<u> </u>
3.12 No. of faculty served	as expe	erts, cha	irpersor	is or resourc	e pei	rsons	1		
3.13 No. of collaborations		In	ternatio	nal 0	Nati	onal 0		Any other	0
3.14 No. of linkages create	ed durir	ng this y	ear	0				L	
3.15 Total budget for resea	arch for	current	year in	lakhs :					
From Funding agency	1,69,	527/-	From	Managemen	t of U	Universit	y/College	e -	
Total	1,69,5	527/-							
3.16 No. of patents receiv	ed this	vear 「			[I			
5.10 No. 01 patents receiv	cu uns	ycar	Type	of Patent			Nu	mber	

s year	Type of Patent		Number
	National	Applied	0
	Inational	Granted	0
	International	Applied	0
	International	Granted	0
	Commercialised	Applied	0
		Granted	0

3.17 No. of research awards/ recognitions received by faculty and research fellows Of the institute in the year

	Total	International	National	State	University	Dist	College]	
			1						
wł anc	no are Pł l student	culty from the I n. D. Guides ts registered und n.D. awarded by	der them	om the I	- - Institution	[-		
3.20 N	lo. of Re	esearch scholars	s receiving	the Fell	owships (Ne	wly em	rolled + ex	xisting ones)= N.A	
	J	IRF	SRF		Project Fel	llows		Any other	
3.21 N	lo. of stu	idents Participa	nted in NSS	events	Universit National	•	10	State level International level	
3.22 N	lo. of st	udents participa	ated in NCO	C events	s: N.A				
					Universi	ty leve	1	State level	
					National	level		International level	
3.23 N	lo. of A	wards won in N	NSS:	NIL					
					Universit	y level		State level	
					National	level		International level	
3.24 N	lo. of A	wards won in N	NCC: N	J.A.					
					Universit	y level		State level	
					National	level		International level	

3.25 No. of Extension activities organized



3.26 Major Activities during the year in the sphere of extension activities and Institutional Social Responsibility

- Social awareness on environment and hygiene in Tokapur Village, Howrah.
- Relief work for flood victim in the neighbouring areas of this college,

Criterion – IV 4. Infrastructure and Learning Resources

4.1 Details of increase in infrastructure facilities:

Facilities	Existing	Newly created	Source of Fund	Total
Campus area	5.52 acre	NIL	N.A.	5.52 acre
Class rooms	11	02	College fund/ MPLAD	1580940
Laboratories	2	1	UGC/ College Fund	
Seminar Halls	-			
No. of important equipments purchased $(\geq 1-0 \text{ lakh})$ during the current year.	-	2	State Govt	600000
Value of the equipment purchased during the year (Rs. in Lakhs)	-		Ugc State govt College fund	8,06,737
Others			Ugc State govt College fund	163475

4.2 Computerization of administration and library

Administration is fully computerized, finance, accounts, admission, scholarship data is maintained in digital format. Currently we have installed library software and process of making digital catalogue is in full swing.

4.3 Library services:

	Exi	Existing		Newly added		Total	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	
Text Books	5777	655875	351	153289	6128	8,09,164	
Reference Books	840	142350	402	173149	1247	3,15,499	
e-Books							
Journals							
e-Journals							
Digital Database							
CD & Video							
Others (specify)							

4.4 Technology up gradation (overall)

	Total Computers	Computer Labs	Internet	Browsing Centres	Computer Centres	Office	Depart- ments	Others
Existing	13		13					
Added	03		03					
Total	16		16					

4.5 Computer, Internet access, training to teachers and students and any other programme for technology upgradation (Networking, e-Governance etc.)

NIL.

4.6 Amount spent on maintenance in lakhs :

i) ICT	27020
ii) Campus Infrastructure and facilities	184100
iii) Equipments	16120
iv) Others	-
Total :	227240

Criterion – V 5. Student Support and Progression

5.1 Contribution of IQAC in enhancing awareness about Student Support Services

IQAC arranges meeting with different cells, and student representative to inform about activity and facilities of different cells available for students. And they also monitor and evaluate activity of such cells.

5.2 Efforts made by the institution for tracking the progression

The outgoing student's phone number has been recorded and proposal to register an informal alumni association into formal organization is in the process. This may help tracking of outgoing students in a more formal manner.



Last Year				This Year							
General	SC	ST	OBC	Physically Challenged	Total	General	SC	ST	OBC	Physically Challenged	Total
1016	181	4	50	01	1252	1138	220	04	83	01	144 6

Demand ratio - 1:1.64 Drope

Dropout % - 15%

5.4 Details of student support mechanism for coaching for competitive examinations (If any)

NIL

No. of students beneficiaries

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5.5 No. of students qualified in these examinations NIL

NET	SET/SLET	GATE	CAT	
IAS/IPS etc	State PSC	UPSC	Others	

5.6 Details of student counselling and career guidance

Currently, The college do not have facility for career and placement cell, but it ensures active participants of teachers into discussion of making career decision for students. Counselling cell deals with students who come for discussion about issues like less attendance, difficulties in transport, or any other personal problem. Counselling Cell tries to give best possible solution available in the institution.

No. of students benefitted



5.7 Details of campus placement : 0

	On campus		Off Campus
Number of Organizations Visited	Number of Students Participated	Number of Students Placed	Number of Students Placed

5.8 Details of gender sensitization programmes

On 12.9.2017, the IQAC of the College had organized a lecture and interactive session on the issue of gender sensitization. The speaker was Dr. Aparna Bandyopadhyay, Associate Professor and Head, Department of History, Diamond Harbour Women's University. Dr. Bandyopadhyay had spoken on the importance and methods of implementation of gender-sensitivity and gender-equality in educational institutions, and interacted with the students about the gendered perspectives and stereotypes and subsequent discriminations in our everyday experience, and advised the students on maintaining a healthy gender relationship.

5.9 Students Activities

5.9.1 No. of students participated in Sports, Games and other events

	State/ University level	1	National level		International level	
	No. of students participa	ted in cu	ltural events			
	State/ University level	2	National level		International level	
5.9.2	No. of medals /awards v	von by st	udents in Sports,	Games and	l other events :-NIL	
Sports	: State/ University level		National level		International level	
Cultural	: State/ University level		National level		International level	

5.10 Scholarships and Financial Support

	Number of students	Amount
Financial support from institution	9	8425
Financial support from government	531	Not Available
Financial support from other sources	40	166500
Number of students who received International/ National recognitions	NIL	NIL

5.11 Student organised / initiative	s -0			
Fairs : State/ University level	National level		International level	
Exhibition: State/ University level	National level		International level	
5.12 No. of social initiatives unde	rtaken by the students	1		

5.13 Major grievances of students (if any) redressed: - Shortage of drinking water facility. This has been addressed by installing another submersible pump and another water filter facility.

Criterion – VI

6. Governance, Leadership and Management

6.1 State the Vision and Mission of the institution

Vision: - To fulfil dreams and aspirations of higher education of young persons, particularly of girls' through inculcating necessary knowledge and skills for future education and employment. **Mission:** - 1. To create and provide adequate infrastructural facilities and learning resources like classrooms, laboratories, toilets, books, equipment, etc. needed to promote gross enrolment ratio (GER) and teaching learning process in the college. 1. To introduce subject and courses commensurate with the need of the locality and capacity of the institution and also to the student profile. 2. To provide quality teaching in healthy and friendly atmosphere. 3. To review the progress through evaluation of learning outcomes, faculty self-evaluation and feedback from the students and the guardians.

6.2 Does the Institution has a management Information System

There is no such formal management information system.

6.3 Quality improvement strategies adopted by the institution for each of the following:

6.3.1 Curriculum Development

The curriculum/ syllabus for diff. Courses/ programmes are developed and issued by affiliating University. So, scope of IQAC in this regard is limited.

6.3.2 Teaching and Learning

To improve the teaching-learning process in the institution a virtual classroom has been prepared in Nov., 2016 with the financial assistance from the Higher Education Department of the west Bengal Government. In this classroom a laptop with the internet facility, an LCD projector and a smart board have been installed. Using this system, teachers can download study materials and lectures within the classroom in the presence of the students.

Moreover, for the academic session of 2017-2018 provisions have been made to increase year-wise classes for each department. In order to increase no. of classes including tutorial classes 'Class Routine' has been thoroughly revised to incorporate more classes for students of each programme/course.

6.3.3 Examination and Evaluation

In order to improve the aptitude quality of the students MCQ type questions are being set in the college examinations, for example, in the class tests and test examinations.

However, no strategy has yet been adopted to improve evaluation system as there is no problem with the existing system.

6.3.4 Research and Development

In order to promote research among faculty members two important strategies have been adopted. A seminar lecture was organized in Dec., 2016 to promote research culture among the faculty members; and secondly, a Journal is being published by the college with the original writings (essays, articles, etc.) contributed by the faculty members.

6.3.5 Library, ICT and physical infrastructure / instrumentation

In order to provide better library facilities arrangements have been made to procure various text books and reference books. In the last years we have procured books of about Rs. 3 Lakh. We have installed a desktop with internet facilities for entry of all library books. Hence a library software has been installed for digitalization of the books. In fact, entry of about 5,000 books has already been made by using this software.

Efforts have been initiated to create a wi-fi space in the college campus. A proposal has been sent to the local office of reliance Jio for the creation of the same on the basis of their proposal. However, we hope it would be completed very soon.

Moreover, internet facilities have been extended to college library and virtual classroom.

During the last year we have procured some Gym instruments for Mini Indoor Games complex of the college. Enrolment of names of 1st year students in the gym has been made compulsory from the current academic session.

6.3.6 Human Resource Management

IQAC put great importance upon Human resource management. As it has representative from both faculty members and non-teaching staff any decision regarding involvement of the staff for quality improvement of the institution could be easily ventilated and disseminated among the staff.

Moreover, IQAC meet separately with the faculty members and non-teaching staff to understand their problems, if any, for delivering better services to the students in particular and institution, in general.

6.3.7 Faculty and Staff recruitment

Some faculty members have been appointed on the basis of the recommendations of WBCSC during the last one year. Moreover, some teachers were also appointed to the posts of guest lecturer and full time contractual teacher from college fund. Care had been taken to follow standard recruitment policies in this regard.

6.3.8 Industry Interaction / Collaboration

So far the institution does not have any system of industry interaction and collaboration with other bodies, societies, etc.

6.3.9 Admission of Students

The institution always works to ensure transparency in admission of students. In terms of guidelines issued from The Higher Education Department of the Government and University Of Calcutta. The entire admission process runs on on-line mode. Any notification for admission is widely circulated by displaying such notices in public places, like local B.D.O office, Post office, etc. and in the college website.

6.4 Welfare schemes for

Teaching and	For teaching and non-					
Non-Teaching	teaching staff of the					
	college an Employees					
	credit Cooperative					
	society has been formed					
	and its name is					
	Udaynarayanpur					
	Madhabilata					
	Mahavidyalaya					
	Employees credit					
	Cooperative society					
	Limited. Loans at lower					
	interests and easier					
	terms are provided to the					
	members of the society.					
	During last					
	one year 5 full time					
	teachers, eighteen Part					
	Time Teachers and ten					
	non-teaching staffs of					
	the college have been					
	included in this society					
	as members.					
Students	Financially backward					
	Students can avail					
	tuition fee waive					
	benefit from students welfare fund.					
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6.5 Total corpus fund generated

NIL

6.6 Whether annual financial audit has been done

No

6.7 Whether Academic and Administrative Audit (AAA) has been done?

Audit Type	External		Internal		
	Yes/No	Agency	Yes/No	Authority	
Academic			Yes	IQAC	
Administrative	No		No		

Yes

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6.8 Does the University/ Autonomous College declare results within 30 days?

For UG Programmes

	No	v
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For PG Programmes	Yes	-	No	-	
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Yes

6.9 What efforts are made by the University/ Autonomous College for Examination Reforms?

No such recent reforms have been made by the University.

6.10 What efforts are made by the University to promote autonomy in the affiliated/constituent colleges?

No such recent reforms have been made by the University.

6.11 Activities and support from the Alumni Association

NIL

6.12 Activities and support from the Parent – Teacher Association

NIL

6.13 Development programmes for support staff

NIL

6.14 Initiatives taken by the institution to make the campus eco-friendly

Trees are planted regularly in the college campus and a person has been employed to look after the trees and plants. A large portion of college campus has been reserved for growing plants and trees with the help of local gram panchayet. There are separate places in the campus for the waste materials. Hence all efforts are being made to make the campus eco-friendly.

Criterion – VII

7. Innovations and Best Practices

7.1 Innovations introduced during this academic year which have created a positive impact on the functioning of the institution. Give details.

(a) In pursuance of the suggestion of IQAC two steps have been taken to improve the classroom attendance of the students.

Firstly, students with poor attendance are being identified at the time of university registration and they are cautioned about their poor attendance. They are also made to submit a declaration for improving their attendance.

Secondly, at the time of filling up forms for university examinations guardians/parents of those students whose attendance in classes are poor are invited to apprise them about the poor attendance of their kids in a meeting with the management of the college. Appeals are made to the guardians to look after the matter for improving class room attendance of the students as a whole.

(b) In order to improve computer knowledge and Internet-handling abilities among the faculty members special training arrangement has been undertaken under the guidance of experts from a local computer training centre.

(c) Spoken English course of six-monthly duration has been introduced since last academic session. Students are being convinced about the benefit of undertaking this course. It is found that students are getting interested in doing this course.

7.2 Provide the Action Taken Report (ATR) based on the plan of action decided upon at the beginning of the year.

At the beginning of the year IQAC has prepared and adapted a plan of action which includes, among other arrangement of lectures for promotion of research culture among faculty, feedback from all parents regarding institution, inviting suggestions from all departments about their vision for academic improvement and arrangement of computer training for students of the college.

For implementation of the plans college authority is taking earnest and sincere efforts.

Firstly, Prof. Ballari Roy Chowdhuri of Gokhale Memorial College and Prof. Suvankar Chakraborty of P.K.H.N. Mahavidyalaya, Purash, Howrah were invited on 23.12.2016 to deliver lectures for promotion of research cultures. Secondly, feedback forms were distributed to all students in which we kept a point for response from parents/guardians. These feedbacks were collected to get the opinions of the parents.

Thirdly, departmental suggestions were invited to get their visions about academic department and these suggestions were received.

Fourthly, in order to provide computer training to the students contact had been made with officials of Webel, Udaynarayanpur Branch and they had intimated their willingness to provide service. Students of the college are also notified in this regard indicating details of course duration and course fees. But responses from the students are not encouraging. 7.3 Give two Best Practices of the institution (please see the format in the NAAC Self-study Manuals)

- 1. Make your campus green.
- 2. Prevent Drop-Out.

*Provide the details in annexure (annexure need to be numbered as i, ii,iii)

(Please Check Annexure iii and iv for details)

7.4 Contribution to environmental awareness / protection

The institute participate in environment awareness via its NSS wing and it makes posters, rally, special camp etc. The college ensures protection of its greenery (details given in Annexure 2) and also plantation is done as a regular event.

Yes

No

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7.5 Whether environmental audit was conducted?

7.6 Any other relevant information the institution wishes to add. (for example SWOT Analysis)

SWOT

Strengths-

(i) There exists a good and healthy academic environment in the institution. Cordial relationship exists among teachers, students and staff.

(ii) Most of the students of the college are girl students and they are obedient and disciplined.

(iii) There is a large and green campus located over 5.52 acres of land.

Weaknesses -

(i) There are only twelve full time teachers for fourteen departments. Shortage of qualified teachers hampers teaching- learning process.

(ii) There are shortage of class rooms and laboratory rooms.

(iii) Due to lack of financial resources Boys' Common Room with adequate space is yet to be constructed.

Opportunities-

(i) There is scope for introduction of B.Sc. (Honours) Course.

(ii) There is scope for introduction of some Career oriented courses and skill development programmes.

(iii) There is adequate opportunity for development of games and sports in the college as there is a large play -ground and interested students.

Targets –

- (i) Construction of some new classrooms and laboratory rooms as well as a cycle shed.
- (ii) Introduction of B.Sc. (Honours) course.
- (iii) Introduction of some skill development programmes.
- (iv) To prepare a team of athletes comprising of both boys and girls.

8. Plans of institution for next year

Plan for next year for this institution includes, -to increase pass percentage esp. of General B.A. /B.Sc. course students and to increase research and extension work and also to bring collaboration will be some of the major agendas.

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Annexure I

Abbreviations:

CAS	-	Career Advanced Scheme
CAT	-	Common Admission Test
CBCS	-	Choice Based Credit System
CE	-	Centre for Excellence
COP	-	Career Oriented Programme
CPE	-	College with Potential for Excellence
DPE	-	Department with Potential for Excellence
GATE	-	Graduate Aptitude Test
NET	-	National Eligibility Test
PEI	-	Physical Education Institution
SAP	-	Special Assistance Programme
SF	-	Self Financing
SLET	-	State Level Eligibility Test
TEI	-	Teacher Education Institution
UPE	-	University with Potential Excellence
UPSC	-	Union Public Service Commission

Annexure- II

Summary of Feedback Report from Students

Feedback forms were collected from all three year students and they were distributed subject to the departmental heads for a summary report. After careful analysis of the summary we found major appreciation was received for holding of regular classes, class-tests, co-operative mentality of faculties and office, discipline of the college but major problems were found to be in water crisis and lack of books in library. Currently we have installed another submersible pump for better supply of drinking water in the college building. These year new orders for books were placed too for each department (total-1400) to improve stocks of library books.

Summary of Parents-Teachers Meet and Parents' Feedback

> This year the institute decided to arrange open discussion forum with parents along with college administration and faculties. Students who scored less than 35% marks in qualifying examination and attended less than required percentage were asked to attend the meeting with their respective parents. The meeting was held in presence of Mr. Samir Kumar Panja President, Governing Body, Dr. A. Ghosh, Principal of the college, faculties of various department and non-teaching staff. More than 150 parents attended the meeting. The meeting began with a brief by Principal, Dr. A. Ghosh. He told about the necessity and objective of the meeting to the parents present in the meeting. He also explained new regulation of university exams and why regular attendance and higher marks are necessary from 1st year itself. Then he invited Sreemoyee Banerjee, Prof and HoD, Department of Bengali, to declare results of each subjects. After this Principal invited comments from parents. Prof. Snehasree Saha, Asst. prof, Food & Nutrition, moderated this section. Many of the parents welcomed college authority for organising such forum and allowing them take part in the discussion. Few parents took up specific issues like illness, marriage of daughters, long gaps within classes etc. All these questions and concerns were individually addressed by the college authority. Finally President summed up the meeting by addressing the audience and declared very low marks and attendance can stop student from sending to the university examination. He also requested all parents to be in constant touch with college for betterment of their children.

Presentation of Best practices 1 :-

1. Title of the practice

Title :-" Make your campus green."

2. Goal :--

Describe the aim of the practice followed by the institution. Mention the underlying principles or concepts in about 100 words.

To make the campus green and environment friendly.

3. The Context: -

Describe any particular contextual features or challenging issues that have had to be addressed in designing and implementing the practice in about 150 words.

Since we have submitted self-study report for evaluation by NAAC team we have been able to construct a boundary wall along about eighty per cent of the college boundary. So it has helped to prevent encroachers from using the campus as grazing field. But the problem of water logging still remains. The campus is being flooded in each and every year. Hence, difficulties in plantation of trees in the campus still persist.

4. The Practice:-

Describe the practice and its implementation in about 400 words. Include anything about this practice that may be unique in the Indian higher education. Please also identify constraints, if any.

Regular maintenance is being done for the existing trees and plants and some new plants are added every year to recover the losses suffered during flood.

5. Evidence of Success:-

Evidence of success-Provide evidence of success such as performance against targets and benchmarks review results. What do these results indicate? Describe in about 200 words.

Success of our endeavour will be evident when one enters our college campus. Some trees have already grown up and others are in their growing stage. At present the campus is green and livid.

6. Problems Encountered and resources required:-Please identify the problems encountered and resources (financial, human and other) required to implement the practice in about 150 words.

The main problem is shortage of financial resources. Twenty per cent of the boundary wall is yet to be constructed. Funds are also required for development of land to avoid the problem of water logging.

Annexure – IV

Presentation of Best practices -2

1. Title of the practice

Title :- Prevent Drop-out to Build Nations

2. Goal:-

Describe the aim of the practice followed by the institution. Mention the underlying principles or concepts in about 100 words.

Two years ago we had set a target to reduce the drop-out rate to 15 per cent and it has been achieved. Now we like to see the drop-out rates to persist at this level for the coming year if its not reduced.

3. The Context:-

Describe any particular contextual features or challenging issues that have had to be addressed in designing and implementing the practice in about 150 words.

When the students steps in an institution of higher education it becomes the responsibility of HERI's like us to fulfil their own as well as of the Nation's aspirations of continuing and completing their course/programmes to add to pool of quality human resources.

4. The Practices:-

Describe the practice and its implementation in about 400 words. Include anything about this practice that may be unique in the Indian higher education. Please also identify constraints, if any.

To begin with we try to find out the reasons behind drop-outs. It is seen that generally students tend to discontinue due to i) financial problems, ii) early marriage of girl students and iii) to move to some relatively better job oriented courses (vocational training etc.).

Given the present infrastructure there is little to tackle cases related to the third mentioned factor. However, all efforts are being made to sort out cases related to the first two factors. Meritorious and regular students are assisted and encouraged to apply for various scholarships /stipends. Tuition fee concessions are provided to the eligible students. There are Grievance redressal cell and Students counselling cell to sort out any problem which could force the students to think of discontinuation.

5. Evidence of Success:-

Evidence of success-Provide evidence of success such as performance against targets and benchmarks review results. What do these results indicate? Describe in about 200 words.

Drop-out rate has fallen considerably during last two years from over 25 per cent in 2016 it has now been reduced to 15 per cent.

6. Problems Encountered: -

Please identify the problems encountered and resources (financial, human and other) required to implement the practice in about 150 words.

Lack of financial resources and shortage of qualified faculty members prevent us from introducing job-oriented add on courses, skill development programmes and proper management of existing programmes, courses.

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