

BARASAT GOVERNMENT COLLEGE

(Established in 1950)

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Chemistry Department Quiz Competition (24.09.2019)







From the Principal's desk

Barasat Government College has been accredited with Grade 'A' by NAAC in the assessment held in January 2016. The college has also been awarded by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India for the DST-FIST programme. This has made the college one of the earmarked colleges of this region.

The college, which had a humble beginning in 1950, has gained impressive grounds in recent years. It has addressed the changing demands of the students by adding new subjects and upgrading departments to the post-graduate level. CBCS has been introduced from the academic session of 2018-2019.

The college strives to pursue its Vision to inculcate knowledge and power in the minds of the younger generation in order to participate in the development of the Nation, adding to its welfare, progress, and security. It also strives to achieve its Mission of imparting holistic education and prepare students for national and global needs.



PRINCIPAL Barasat Government College

PRINCIPAL

Dr. Samar Chattopadhyay West Bengal Senior Education Service (WBSES)

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

DEPARTMENT OF BENGALI

Sri Sandip Kumar Patra Dr. Rita Ghosh Dr. Dipankar Bhattcharyya Dr. Bhismadeb Mukhopadhyay Dr. Nivedita Chakraborty (Dutta) Dr. Kisalaya Jana Md. Abdur Rafik Sardar Smt. Adrija Chaudhuri Dr. Paramita Bhattacharya Smt. Shatabdi Sadhu Smt. Swati Pal Smt. Sonali Paul Smt. Tanushree Das

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Dr. Debjani Ray Moulik Dr. Swaty Mitra Dr. Ambarish Sen Sri Debapratim Chakraborty Smt. Priyanka Sen Sri Niloy Chakraborty Smt.Mousumi Roy

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

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HOD, Associate Professor M.A, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.A, M.Phil, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.A SACT -I (Morning section), M.A, Ph.D

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

Sri Prabal Bagchi Sri Subhendu Bikas Satpathi Dr. Urmita Ray Sri Rupak Saha Dr. Balaram Das Smt. Rita Chakraborty Smt. Elora Biswas HOD, Associate Professor, M.A Associate Professor, M.A, M.Phil Associate Professor, M.A, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.A Assistant Professor, M.A, Ph.D Sact-II (Morning Section), M.A (Double), M.Ed Sact-II (Morning Section), M.A

DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

Smt. Arpita Neogi Sengupta Dr. Madhuchannda Bhattacharya Dr. Mithu Sinha Ray Smt. Debashree Dutta Smt. Soma Sinha

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FACULTY OF SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

Dr. Pradip Mukherjee Dr. Samar Chattopadhyay Dr. Shilbhadra Chattopadhyay Dr. Ajita Sengupta Dr. Abhijit De Dr. Dhananjoy Roy Dr. Uttam Kumar Sinha Mahapatra Dr. Madhusudan Ghosh Dr. Srijit Bhattacharya Sri Sarajit Biswas Dr. Sudip Mukherjee

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HOD, Associate Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D SACT-II, M.Sc

HOD, Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Associate Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.Sc Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Ph.D SACT-I, M.Sc, Ph.D Guest Faculty, M.Sc, Ph.D

DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

Dr. Sumana Saha Dr. Jayati Ghosh Dr. Ivy Kundu Dr. Enamul Haque Dr. Srikanta Guria Dr. Somaditya Dey Mrs. Indrani Banerjee Dr. Salil Kumar Gupta Dr. Rupendu Roy Dr. Manas Ranjan Ray

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Dr. Ruksanara Begum Dr. Chandan Surabhi Das Dr. Bidyut Pramanik Dr. Sourama Saha Dr. Shrabana Mazumder Sri Jaydip De

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Dr. Nisith Chandra Das Sri Jayanta Biswas Dr. Indranath Bhattacharyya Dr. Prasanta Paul Dr. Shobhan Mandal

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

Dr. Rajnarayan Gupta Dr. Rongili Biswas Dola Chattopadhyay Kaushiki Banerjee Kakali Bhattacharjee Dr. Chandrani Bhattacharjee

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Dr. Arun Kumar Roy

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Librarian (S.G.), M.A, M.LSc, Ph.D

ABOUT THE SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES DEPARTMENTS

DEPARTMENT OF BENGALI:

The Department of Bengali is a culturally vibrant post-graduate department which conducts both UG and PG courses. Besides the regular classes the department organizes invited talks from distinguished scholars, seminars, conference and film shows. Ayudh is the department's Wall Magazine & Bangla Bivagiyo Patrika is the Annual Journal.





DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH :

It is a happening department which employs audio-visual supports in class room teaching and encourages studentparticipation through seminars, class discussion, debates and quiz sessions which help students to overcome the language barrier and increase proficiency in English. Open Window is the department's Wall Magazine which

finds contribution from both present and past students. The department also has a language lab.

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT :

The Department of Sanskrit was established in the year 1950 and the Honours course commenced from 1976. The department keeps alive an interest in the classical language and literature.



DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY:

The department offers Honours and General courses since 1950. Seminars, discussions and educational tours are undertaken to further the interest of the students in the subject. Itihas Jaan is the regular Wall Magazine of the department.





DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY:

The department offers both Honours and General courses and organizes special lectures and discussions regularly.

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE :

The department is functioning since the inception of the college and offers both honours and General courses. Film-shows are a regular mode of teaching to illustrate political situations.



ABOUT THE SCIENCE DEPARTMENTS



Discussion session during students' seminar at the Physics department.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS :

The Department of Physics was established in 1960 and introduced PG courses in 2010. The department has three Honours labs, one Pass lab and three PG labs along with a computer lab. In addition to teaching most of the faculty members are engaged in different research projects.

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY:

The department began with offering B.Sc. general course in 1961 which was further upgraded for teaching Honours in Chemistry in 1967. The department is enriched with well-equipped laboratories and e-classrooms. Students of the department have also ranked in JAM and other All India Examinations.





DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY :

The department was established in 1978, which was upgraded to Honours level in 1996, and post-graduate status during 2003-04 with academic autonomy in 2004-05. The department is well equipped with laboratories for both UG and PG students. The departmental wall magazine is Life-o-Live.

DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY:

The Department of Zoology was established in 1996 and upgraded itself to post-graduate status with academic autonomy in 2009. The department has well facilitated laboratories and two digital e-classrooms. The teachers act as principal investigators in central and state-funded projects and provide guidance to research scholars pursuing



their Ph.D degree. In 2016, the department has been awarded DBT BOOST II for three years for infrastructural upgradation of research laboratories.



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS :

The Department keeps alive an interest in studies in Economics and Culture in this region. The subject is offered at both General and Honours levels.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS:

It is a young and dedicated department, which teaches Pure and Applied Mathematics at both Honours and General Level.





DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY:

The department of Geography was established in the year 1996. It provides training in the practical modules of the course curriculum to help understand the natural environment, physical forces of nature and biodiversity. The laboratory cum store has a wide variety of instruments available for the students. The Maps section is a store house of a wide collection of topographical maps, aerial photographs and satellite images. The Department also has a modern survey instrument like 'Total Station'.

CENTRAL LIBRAY

SUPPORTING STAFF

- Smt. Rina Sarkar (Majumder)
- Sri Sudip Kumar Ghosh
- Sri Jyotirmoy Roy
- 🔶 Smt. Ratna Barik

The central library of the college houses more than 90,000 books and subscribes to about 20 journals. The computerization of the library is done by using KOHA - a versatile and userfriendly open source software. The library subscribes to the membership of N-LIST consortium of INFLIBNET through which the members of the library can access e-journals and e-books available under the consortium through the internet. The Library allows home lending of books, reading room facility and reference services. Photocopying facility for postgraduate students is also available. Apart from the central



library, there are seminar libraries attached to all individual departments.



days.

Overstay Fine : A student, keeping a book beyond 15 days without renewal, will be charged a fine. Details can be found on the back of the Library Card.

Library Cards : The College library provides book lending cards to its students which enable them to borrow books from the library. Two library cards are issued to each newly admitted 1st year degree student after showing the college Identity Card and Admission Receipt.

Renewal of Cards : Students, moving to 2nd/3rd year degree classes, are required to renew their Library Cards.

Issue of Books : A degree student may borrow 2 books at a time, for a period of 15



COLLEGE OFFICE

COLLEGE OFFICE : The college office is partly computerized. The Accounts Office takes care of students' fee collection, daily accounts, maintaining Cash Book and similar affairs of the college.

OFFICE STAFF:

- Sri Mantu Lal Mondal
- Sri Kalidas Gangopadhyay
- Sri Raju Hela
- Sri Barun Mondal
- Sri Tapas Bhadra

- Sri Snehasish Tarafdar
- ♦ Sri Subrata Mukherjee
- ✤ Sri Smarajit Modak
- ♦ Sri Ashim Sil
 - Sri Surajit Basak



SUPPORTING STAFF :

BENGALI	:	Sri Pintu Gharai, Smt. Arpita Das
GEOGRAPHY	:	Smt. Jayanti Biswas, Sri Arup Kumar Dutta, Sri Sanjib Kar
CHEMISTRY	:	Sri Ramnarayan Hela, Smt. Premlata Sarkar (Mondal)
BOTANY	:	Smt. Subhra Sikdar Moitra, Sri Mudhusudan Sarkar
ZOOLOGY	:	Sri Gopal Ghosh
PHYSICS	:	Sri Prabir Kumar Sen, Sri Narayan Chandra Paul, Smt. Mita Acharya

ACADEMIC CALENDAR (August- December 2021)

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Month	Date	Day	Description
August	15	Sunday	Independence Day
U	19	Thursday	Muhharam
	22	Sunday	Rakhi Purnima
	30	Monday	Janmastami
September	7	Tuesday	College Foundation Day
-	17	Friday	Viswakarma Puja
October	2	Saturday	Gandhi Jayanti
	6	Wednesday	Mahalaya
	9	Saturday	Puja Vacation (including Durga Puja, Fatewa Dahaj Dam,
	to		Lakshmi Puja, Kali Puja, Bhatridwitiya, Chhat Puja,
November	19	Friday	Jagatddhatri Puja, Rasyatra, Gurunanak's Birthday)
December	25	Saturday	Winter Recess
	to 31	Friday	

Note : The above mentioned Schedule may be changed under unavoidable circumstances

ACADEMICS

AFFILIATION : The college is affiliated to the West Bengal State University.

SESSION

The academic session for Semester I starts from the month of July

every year and ends by the month of December.

THREE-YEAR B. A. / B.Sc. COURSES (HONOURS) UNDER CBCS

Outline of Choice-based Credit System

A unit by which the course is measured. It determines the number of hours of Credit instruction required per week.

- 15-18 weeks equivalent to 90 actual teaching days. Semester :
 - July to December / January to June
- 1. **Core Course (CC)** : A course which should be compulsorily studied by a candidate.

2. **Elective Course (EC) :**

- DSE (Discipline Specific Elective Course) : A course which is offered by the (a) main discipline and which is supportive to the main discipline.
- GE (Generic Elective) : An elective course chosen generally from an unrelated (b) discipline / subject.

3. Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) :

- AECC (Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course): (a)
 - Environmental Science and (i)
 - (ii) English Communication/MIL Communication (including Bengali)
- Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) : The course may be chosen from a pool of (b) courses designed to provide value-based and/or skill-based knowledge.

UG Degree with Honours in a discipline may be awarded if a candidate completes 14 Core Courses in that discipline, 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), minimum 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC), and 4 papers each from a list of Discipline Specific Electives (DSE) and Generic Elective (GE), respectively.

UG Programme Degree in Science may be awarded if a candidate completes 4 Core Papers each in 3 disciplines of choice, 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), minimum 4 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC), and 2 papers each from a list of Discipline Specific Elective Courses (DSE) based on 3 disciplines of choice selected above, respectively.

UG Programme Degree in Humanities may be awarded if a candidate completes 4 Core Papers each in 2 disciplines of choice, 2 Core Papers each in English and MIL, respectively, 2

Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC), minimum 4 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC), and 2 papers each from a list of Discipline Specific Elective Courses (DSE) based on 2 disciplines of choice selected above, respectively, and 2 papers from the list of Generic Elective (GE) Papers.

Whenever there is a practical, there will be no tutorial and vice-versa.



DETAILS OF CHOICE-BASED CREDIT SYSTEM

	Details of courses under B.Sc. (Honours) DURSE*	CRE	DITS	
100		Theory+ Practical	Theory	+ Tutorial
I.	Core Course (14 Papers)	14X4= 56	14X5=70	
	Core Course Practical/Tutorial*(14 Papers)	14X2=28	14X1=14	
II.	Elective Course (8 Papers)			
	A.1. Discipline Specific Elective	4X4=16	4X5=20	(4 Papers)
	A.2. Discipline Specific Elective			
	Practical / Tutorial*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4	(4 Papers)
	B.1. Generic Elective/Interdisciplinary	4X4=16	4X5=20	(4 Papers)
	B.2. Generic Elective			
	Practical / Tutorial*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4	(4 Papers)
Opti	onal dissertation or project work in			
plac	e of one Discipline Specific Elective			
pap	er (6 credits) in 6th Semester			
III.	Ability Enhancement Courses			
	1.Ability Enhancement Compulsory			
	Courses (AECC) (2 Papers of 2 credit each)	2 X 2=4	2 X 2=4	
	Environmental Science			
	English/MIL Communication			
	2. Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)			
	(Minimum 2)	2 X 2=4	2 X 2=4	
	(2 Papers of 2 credit each)			
	Total credit	140	140	

	Details of courses under B.Sc. (Honours) DURSE*	CRE	DITS	
		Theory+ Practical	Theory	+ Tutorial
I.	Core Course	14X4= 56	14X5=70	(14Papers)
	Core Course Practical / Tutorial*	3		
	(14 Papers)	14X2=28	14X1=14	
II.	Elective Course (8 Papers)			
	A.1. Discipline Specific Elective	4X4=16	4X5=20	(4 Papers)
	A.2. Discipline Specific Elective			
	Practical / Tutorials*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4	(4 Papers)
	B.1. Generic Elective/Interdisciplinary	4X4=16	4X5=20	(4 Papers)
	B.2. Generic Elective			
	Practical / Tutorials*	4 X 2=8	4X1=4	(4 Papers)
Opt	ional Dissertation or project work in	A REPORT OF		
plac	e of one Discipline Specific elective paper			
(6 c	redits) in 6th Semester			
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	Total credit =	140	140	
	(2 Papers of 2 credits each)			221
	(Minimum 2, Max. 4)	2 X 2=4	2 X 2=4	
	2. Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)			
	English Communication/MIL			
	Environmental Science			
	(2 Papers of 2 credits each)			
	Courses (AECC)	2 X 2=4	2 X 2=4	
	1. Ability Enhancement Compulsory			
III.	Ability Enhancement Courses			

	Details of Courses Under Undergraduate P DRSE*		DITS	
		Theory+ Practical	Theory	+ Tutorial
I.	Core Course	12X4= 48	12X5=60	12Papers)
	04 Courses from each of the			
	03 disciplines of choice			
	Core Course Practical / Tutorial*	12X2=24	12X1=12	
	(12 Practical/ Tutorials*)			
	04 Courses from each of the			
	03 Disciplines of choice			
II.	Elective Course	6x4=24	6X5=30	(6 Papers)
	Two papers from each discipline of choice			
	including paper of interdisciplinary nature.			
	Elective Course Practical / Tutorials*	6 X 2=12	6X1=6	
	(6 Practical / Tutorials*)			
	Two Papers from each discipline of choice			
	including paper of interdisciplinary nature.			
Opti	onal Dissertation or project work in			
plac	e of one Discipline elective paper			
(6 c	redits) in 6th Semester			
III.	Ability Enhancement Courses			
	1. Ability Enhancement			
	Compulsory Courses (AECC)	2 X 2=4	2X2=4	
	(2 Papers of 2 credits each)			
	Environmental Science			
	English/MIL Communication			
	2. Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)	4 X 2=8	4 X 2=8	
	(4 Papers of 2 credits each)			
22	Total credit =	120	120	

	Details of Courses Under Undergraduate F URSE*		DITS
		Theory+ Practical	Theory + Tutorial
I.	Core Course	12X4= 48	12X5=60
	(12 Papers)		
	Two papers – English		
	Two papers – MIL		
	Four papers – Discipline 1.		
	Four papers – Discipline 2.		
	Core Course Practical / Tutorial*	12X2=24	12X1=12
	(12 Practicals)		
II.	Elective Course (6 Papers)	6x4=24	6X5=30
	Two papers- Discipline 1 specific		
	Two papers- Discipline 2 specific		
	Two papers- Inter disciplinary		
	Two papers from each discipline of choice		
	and two papers of interdisciplinary nature.		
	Elective Course Practical / Tutorials*	6 X 2=12	6X1=6
	(6 Practical/ Tutorials*)		
	Two papers- Discipline 1 specific		
	Two papers- Discipline 2 specific		
	Two papers- Generic (Inter disciplinary)		
	Two papers from each discipline of choice		
	including papers of interdisciplinary nature.		
Opti	onal Dissertation or project work in		
plac	e of one elective paper (6 credits)		
in 6	th Semester		
III.	Ability Enhancement Courses		
	1. Ability Enhancement		
	Compulsory Courses (AECC)	2 X 2=4	2 X 2=4
	(2 Papers of 2 credits each)		
	Environmental Science		
	English Communication/MIL		
	2. Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)	4 X 2=8	4 X 2=8
	(4 Papers of 2 credits each)		
	Total credit =	120	120

ADMISSION

B.A, / B.Sc. HONOURS and GENERAL:

Admission to the above courses would be according to the merit of the applicants and availability of seats. Merit lists of candidates are published on the college Notice-board and the college website. Physical verification of documents and testimonials will be done after the commencement of classes. Failure to produce relevant documents would result in cancellation of admission.

Subject	Eligibility Criteria for	Eligibility Criteria for	Computation of
	General Candidates	SC/ST Candidates	Merit Works
Bengali	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Bengali	40% in respective subject	+ Bengali marks
English	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in English	40% in respective subject	+ English marks
Sanskrit	50% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	50% in Sanskrit	40% in Sanskrit	+ Sanskrit marks
History Philosophy Political Sc.	50% in aggregate, 45% in respective subjects. (In case the candidate does not have the subjects at the plus two level 50% of English marks to be considered for computing merit marks)	40% in aggregate, 40% in respective subjects. (In case the candidate does not have the subjects at the plus two level 40% of English marks to be considered for computing merit marks)	Aggregate of best 4 subjects + History / Philosophy / Political Science / English marks
Physics	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Physics and Math	40% in Physics and Math	+ Physics & Mathematics
Chemistry	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Chemistry,	40% in Chemistry,	+ Chemistry marks
Mathematics	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Mathematics,	40% in Mathematics,	+ Mathematics marks
Botany	55% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Biology	40% in Biology	+ Biology marks
Zoology	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Biology	40% in Biology	+ Biology marks
Geography	60% in aggregate,	40% in aggregate,	Aggregate of best 4 subjects
	60% in Geography	40% in Geography	+ Geography marks
Economics	55% in aggregate, 40% in Mathematics,	40% in aggregate, 40% in Mathematics	Aggregate of best 4 subjects + Economics / Mathematics marks.

Aggregate is calculated as the sum of 4 best subjects in WBCHSE or equivalent examination from any other board (e.g. ISC, CBSE). Students of Science/Commerce [at H.S. (10+2)], who are willing to take Honours in an Arts subject will be considered, provided they get 60% or above marks in aggregate at (10+2) level.

Notification:

- a. Marks of ENVS will not be considered for preparation of merit list.
- B. If two candidates have the same merit marks, the one securing higher marks in subject would get priority for admission. In such case of B.A/B.Sc. General course, English marks will be used.
- c. If any candidate from reserved category normally qualifies in the General list, he/she would be included in the General Category list.

SEATS in HONOURS and GENERAL COURSES and SUBJECT COMBINATIONS

Honours Subject	Gen	S.C.	S.T.	OBC (A) (ad- hoc)	OBC (B) (ad- hoc)	Total Seats	Generic Elective (ANY 1)	Compulsory Subjects for 1st. Semester
Bengali	52	20	06	09	06	93	1. Sans., 2. Eng.,	Sector All
English	52	20	06	09	06	93	3. Beng. 4. Phil.,	ENVS
Sanskrit	31	12	03	05	04	55	5. Hist., 6. Pol. Sc.	
History	52	20	06	09	06	93	7. Eco.	
Philosophy	52	20	06	09	06	93		
Political Science	52	20	06	09	06	93		
Physics	36	15	04	06	04	65	1. Bot., 2. Chem.,	
Chemistry	28	11	03	05	03	50	3. Eco. 4. Math,	ENVS
Mathematics	40	15	04	07	04	70	5. Phy., 6. Zoo.	
Botany	31	12	03	05	04	55	7. Geog.	
Zoology	31	12	03	05	04	55		
Geography	34	13	03	06	04	60		
Economics	31	12	03	05	04	55		
		GEN	IERAL C	OURSE	S		SUBJECTS OFFERED (ANY 2)	
B. A. General	216	84	23	38	27	388	 Beng., 2) Eng., 3) Sans., Hist., 5) Phil., 6) Pol. Sc., Eco. 	ENVS
							SUBJECTS OFFERED (ANY 3)	
B. Sc. (Pure)	64	25	07	11	08	115	1) Phy., 2) Chem., 3) Math., 4) Eco., 5) Geog.	ENVS
B.Sc. (Bio)	31	12	03	06	04	56	1) Chem. 2) Geog. 3) Bot	ENVS



* For the B.A./B.Sc. (Honours/General/Major) Course of Studies, a candidate is required to choose his/her Honours and two/three elective subjects, as the case may be, from among Group-I to Group-VIII as follows by taking not more than one subject from any of the groups mentioned hereunder :

	GROUP										
Gr. I.	:	Physics, Zoology	Gr. II	:	History, Mathematics						
Gr. III	:	Chemistry, Sanskrit	Gr. IV	:	Botany, Economics						
Gr. V	:	Political Science	Gr. VI	:	Geography, Philosophy						
Gr. VII	1	English	Gr. VIII	1	Bengali						

Guide lines for Registrations under CBCS System

CHOICE OF CORE/ DSC/ DSE/ GENERIC COURSES& COMPULSORY PAPERS FOR B.A. (GENERAL) STUDENTS (MORNING SECTION)

- In SEM I, II, III and IV, a student will have to choose two core (DSC) Papers from any two groups, taking one form each group and he/ she will have to continue those 2 subjects upto SEM VI as DSE (Credit-6)
- In SEM V and VI, along with above two continued papers, they have to choose another paper from the rest group as GE paper (Credit-6)

GROUP 1	GROUP 2	GROUP 3
ENGLISH (G)	BENGALI (G)	PHILOSOPHY (G)
SANSKRIT (G)	HISTORY (G)	POLITICAL SCIENCE (G)
ECONOMICS (G)		

Other Compulsory Papers in each semester

SEM	Credit 6 each	Credit 2 each
SEM I	DSC 1, DSC 2 & ENGL	ENVS (AECC
SEM II	DSC 1, DSC 2 & ENGL	BENGALI/ENGLISH COMMUNICATION
SEM III	DSC 1, DSC 2 & MIL	SEC
	(ENG/BENG)	(Bengali/English/Economics/ History/ Political Science)
SEM IV	DSC 1, DSC 2 & MIL	SEC
	(ENG/BENG)	(Bengali/English/Economics/ History/ Political Science)
SEM V	DSE 1, DSE 2 & GE (Paper 1)	SEC
		(Bengali/English/Economics/ History/ Political Science)
SEM	DSE 1, DSE 2 & GE (Paper II)	SEC
		(Bengali/English/Economics/ History/ Political Science)

Abbreviations: DSC: Discipline Specific Core, DSE: Discipline Specific Elective, ENVS: Environmental Science, MIL: Modern Indian Language, SEC: Skill Enhancement Course, GE: Generic Elective.

NB:

- Students have to choose three subjects (DSC 1, DSC 2 & GE) at the time of application to admission to BA General Course under CBCS.
- For DSC1 and DSC2, students will choose only one from each group (i.e. Gr 1, Gr 2, & Gr 3).

For GE, students will choose one subject other than DSE subjects except Philosophy & Sanskrit, i.e.

no candidate is allowed to take Philosophy & Sanskrit as GE subject.

FEES STRUCTURE

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	Period of Payment	1st Sem BA/BSc Fees				
HEADS OF PAY		Honours in Phys./ Chem./ Math./ Bot./ Zool./ Geog.	Honours in Economics with Math	Honours in all Arts Subjects	B. Sc. General Pure/Bio course	B.A. GENERAL COURSE
A. Government Dues:	J					
1. Admission Fees	Only for 1st Semester Admission	110	110	75	85	50
Or Re- admission Fees						
2. Tuition Fees	Each Semester	660	660	450	510	300
3.Pankha Fees	Each Year	1	1	1	1	1
4. Examination Fees	Each Year	2	2	2	2	2
B. Caution Money Collection						
1. Library Caution Money	Once only at the time of	5	5	5	5	5
2. Laboratory Caution Money	1st Admission	20	0	0	15	0
C. Other Dues Collection						
1. College Union Fund (Total)	Each Year	200	200	200	200	200
D. Non-Govt. Dues						
1. Sports	Once only at the time of	100	100	100	100	100
2. Student's Identity Card	1st Admission	100	100	100	100	100
3. Students' Health Home	Each Year	10	10	10	10	10
4. Miscellaneous	Each Semester	100	100	100	100	100
Total amount payable Sem		1308	1288	1043	1128	868

Note :

i) Tuition fees for the current year should be deposited at the time of Admission.

ii) Students participating in the compulsory Field Training Programmes or Excursion should entirely bear the expenditure incurred.

POST-GRADUATE M. A. / M. Sc. COURSES

Subjects : 1. Botany 2. Zoology 3. Physics 4. Bengali

Four Post Graduate Courses – Botany, Zoology, Physics and Bengali is presently taught in this college. Further the Department of Chemistry has received University permission and is making infrastructural preparations to upgrade itself into a PG department (For additional details, see website).

		CLASSES
Commencement of Classes	:	B.A./B.Sc. First year classes (both for DAY and MORNING Sections) commence on 1stOctober 2021
TEACHING HOURS		
MORNING SECTION	:	6.30 AM. to 11.30 PM. (Weekdays) 6.30 AM. to 10.30 AM. (Saturday)
DAY SECTION	:	10.30 AM. to 4.45 PM. (Weekdays) 10.30 AM. to 2.30 PM. (Saturday)

INFRASTRUCTURAL FACILITIES

DIGITAL CLASS ROOM:

Departments are provided with Laptops, LCD Projectors, Visualizers, Internet Connections, etc. to make classes more interactive.

LABORATORIES :

The college has several centralized instrument facilities as well as advanced laboratories in the Departments of Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics and Geography.

FACILITIES FOR SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES :

The college has a state of the art seminar hall with about 150 seating capacity.

STUDENTS' HEALTH HOME:

Barasat Government College is a member of the Students' Health Home. To avail its facilities and services a student should approach its local unit at Sethpukur, Barasat and obtain a Health Card on production of his/her College Identity Card and Admission Receipt.



SC/ST Stipends: Students of the scheduled caste and scheduled tribe communities are eligible to get stipends from the West Bengal Government.

Poor -Aid Fund : Poor students are provided financial assistance from a Poor-Aid Fund.

Students' Freeship : Meritorious and economically poor students are financially supported by the college with a limited number of Half and Full freeships.

Note : Students from SC & ST communities and those availing financial assistance (in the form of scholarship or stipends) from other sources, need not apply for such freeship.





SPECIAL BODIES

ALUMNI :

Barasat Government College Alumni Association (BGCAA) of the college exists with the active support of the Principal of the college. The body was registered in 2016. Contact us at alumnibgc@gmail.com

GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL CELL AND WOMEN'S REDRESSAL :



The Grievance Redressal Cell is meant for general grievances. To address specific gender-related grievances of its female students and female-staff there is a Women's Redressal Cell. Complaint and suggestion boxes are placed at strategic points in the campus. The college has its own Internal Complaint Committee (ICC).







PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION :

An Association of Parents and Teachers was established to receive feedback and suggestions from parents of students studying in the College with the hope to advance a good and working relationship between the parents and the institution.

INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC) :

To ensure continuous improvement of the institution the college has set up an Internal Quality Assurance Cell.

A Seminar on Gender, sexual harassment and working of the ICC, organized by IQAC in collaboration with ICC & Gender Cell was held on Sept 11, 2018. Speaker was Prof. Ruchira Goswami.

KANYASHREE PRAKALPA :

Last year around 25 girl students have received K1 Scholarship and more than 350 students have received K2, the annual scholarship of Rs.25,000.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT :

The college conducts Remedial Coaching classes on a regular basis especially for SC, ST and OBC students.

PLACEMENT & TRAINING CENTRE :

On 28thApril 2021 a webinar was organized by the placement cell on Career Options for Graduates with special focus to Banking Sector.

CHEAP CANTEEN and CHEAP STORE FACILITIES :

The college has started these units to cater to daily needs of students at fair prices.

NETAJI SUBHAS OPEN UNIVERSITY

A unit of the Netaji Subhas Open University was opened in this college in 1998. The centre offers Bachelor's Degree Programme (BDP) leading B.A., B.Sc., B.Com. (Honours) and PG Degrees in various subjects.

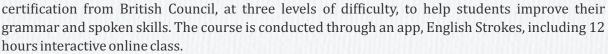
Contact no. of the centre is : 033-2562 4525 E-mail : coordinatornsoubarasat@gmail.com.



NIELIT

NIELIT Computer Center, formerly DOEACC Society, is an autonomous Scientific Society of Ministry of Communication & Information Technology, Department of Information Technology (DietY), Govt. of India and AICTE Scheme. Barasat Government College made "Basic Computer Course" compulsory since 2013 for all students of the first year (both Morning and Day section). An AICTE approved certificate (digitally signed by NIELIT) is awarded to the students on qualifying the online examination. "Basic Computer Course, with recognition at National level, is conducted by NIELIT at a nominal charge for students of Barasat Govt. College."

Online Spoken English course is available at a nominal charge for students of Barasat Govt. College with



ALLIED ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Activities like seminars, workshops and exhibitions are held regularly for constant up-gradation of the academic environment of the College. Seminar Lectures are delivered by external academicians :

PUBLICATION :

The journal entitled 'Aureole : An Academic Journal' (ISSN : 0976-9625) is published annually by the college.

SPECIAL TALKS :

Both Arts and Science departments regularly organize special invited talks by distinguished scholars of their respective fields all year round.





STUDENTS' SEMINARS :

Students spontaneously participate in Students' Seminars organized by most departments every year.

WEBINAR & WORKSHOP:

Department of Philosophy conducted an ICPR sponsored webinar on "Man-Environment Interdependence and Sustainable Development'" by Prof. Basab Chowdhury, Vice Chancellor, West Bengal State University, Prof. (Dr.) Santosh Kumar Pal, Head of the Department of Philosophy, Burdwan University and Dr. Laxmikanta Padhi, Head of the Department of Philosophy, North Bengal University on February 13, 2021.

Department of Political Science and Department of Sanskrit in collaboration with the IQAC of the college conducted an interdisciplinary webinar on "Equality-Inequality through the Lens of Gender: Past and Present Indian Society" by Prof. Mau Dasgupta, Professor, Department of Sanskrit, Calcutta University and Dr. Jhumpa Mukherjee, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Kolkata on June 5, 2021.

Department of Geography organized an international webinar on "Contemporary Environmental Scenario: A Geospatial Appraisal" by Prof. Tomaz Ponce Dentinho, Professor, Centre of Applied Economic Studies of the Atlantic, Department of Economics and Business, University of Azores, Portugal and Dr. Debjani Ghatak, Visiting Assistant Professor, Department of Geography, College of Geosciences, Texas A&M University, USA on June 5, 2021, to celebrate world environmental Day.

Department of English organized a talk by Debasri Basu, Assistant Professor, Department of English (UG & PG), Maulana Azad College, on "Partition Literature" on June 6, 2021.

Department of History conducted a webinar on "Looking Back: Partition and Rehabilitation" by Dr. Shubhasri Ghosh, Assistant Professor, Asutosh College on June 19, 2021.

Department of English organized a special talk by Dr. Debapriya Basu, Assistant Professor, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati, on "The Great Household: Domestic Life in Renaissance England" on July 2, 2021.

Department of English organized a special lecture on "Train to Pakistan: Reflections on a Narrative Shorthand and the Limits of Representing Violence" by Dr. Rituparna Roy, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Heritage College, Kolkata on July 5, 2021.

Department of English and Gender Sensitisation Committee conducted a webinar on "Should Men Worry about Patriarchy?" by Dr. Niladri R. Chatterjee, Professor, Department of English, Kalyani University, on July 18, 2021.

Department of Philosophy organized a 5-day online workshop on "Reflections on Some Philosophical Issues: East and West" from July 24, 2021.





Caption : A survey work on Saraswatiriverat Adisaptagram conducted by students, Department of Geography







PHYSICAL EDUCATION

The college has a volley-ball court and badminton court for the students.





Students of the College participated in inter University East Zone Kho Kho Championship and also in inter - University Cricket Championship in this year.



AWARENESS PROGRAMME



(District Tobacco Control Cell under National Tobacco Control Programme, North 24 Parganas jointly with Career Counselling and Placement Cell, Barasat Government College organized an awareness cum sensitization programme on various harmful effects of tobacco, related laws at college seminar hall and around College campus on 21.01.2020.)

- 1. Students are advised to be punctual and to attend all lectures regularly.
- 2. Under the University Notification No. CSR/64/99, a candidate shall be considered as Collegiate if he/she attends 75% of lectures in any subject, and as Non-Collegiate if attendance in any subject falls short of 75% but not below 60%. A candidate who has not attended at least 60% of lectures shall be considered Dis-collegiate and shall be debarred from appearing at any examination. Further, students defaulting on regular payment of fees would be considered discontinued and names of such students would be removed from the college register.
- 3. After the completion of admission a student is required to collect his / her identity card from the college office. Students are required to carry their Identity Card bearing their photographs. Without Identity Card no student will be allowed to enter the College Campus.
- 4. Smoking and spitting is forbidden on the college premises.
- 5. Any student found guilty of damaging college property or of any other form of indiscipline like writing on / defacing walls will be severely punished.
- 6. All college excursions or outings require the prior permission from the Principal.
- 7. Medium of Instruction for the Honours Courses is English (excluding languages).
- 8. Cycles, bikes or cars shall be parked at the owner's responsibility.
- 9. Outsiders need prior permissions to enter the college premises.

REVIEWS AND SPECIAL REVIEWS OF THE EXAMINATION PAPERS

The college arranges for students to apply for reviews/special reviews of University examination papers after the publication of results. Notification is made in the college website and notice boards announcing the time for review application, usually within 15 days of result publication. The college charges Rs. 15/- as processing fee per candidate.

The college follows the guidelines set by the University which may be accessed at the university website www.wbsubregistration.org.

The rules set for review of papers in 2017 are – a) not more than two papers, b) only theory papers, c) at least 40% marks in the remaining papers for Honours candidates and 30% marks in remaining papers for General candidates.

Fees payable to college Rs. 175/-; Review forms to be downloaded from university website.

For special review special application with selection test marks duly forwarded by the Department and with recommendation from the Principal, against a fee of Rs. 1000/per paper and Rs. 15/- processing charge to be submitted at the college office.

Provisions for 'self inspection of scripts' and RTI are also there for students.

Paper to be sent to candidate under RTI rules when all review / special review process and self-inspection are completed. Central and State information Commission guidelines will be followed for RTI cases. RTI is not a mechanism to change marks.



Chemistry Department and Botany Department jointly prepared hand sanitizer as per WHO guidelines and handed over to the Principal of the College.



Hand sanitizer is being handed over to the I C, Barasat Police Station.



Principal handed over the hand sanitizer prepared by the College to the Super of the Kishalaya juvenile Home of Barasat

THE NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

NSS Unit of our college has been functioning since 2002. Now college has one active NSS Unit. Teachers have contributed their efforts to run NSS Unit actively. Presently Dr. Balaram Das, Assistant Prof. of History, is the Programme Officer of NSS Unit, Barasat Govt. College.

NSS Unit of our college has organised several Orientation Programmes in this academic session through various resource persons invited from different institutions.

ORIENTATION PROGRAMME



SPECIAL CAMP PROGRAMME





(The NSS unit along with students, Teachers, non teaching staffs of Barasat Government College observed the Independence Day and Republic Day in a colourful manner on 15th August and 26th January, 2020-21. The national flag was hoisted and followed by the National Anthem and a short cultural programme. The customary salute was paid to the Tricolour Flag as a mark of respect.)



STUDENTS' UNION

Barasat Government College keeps the tradition of an agile and dynamic Students' Union. Every regular student of the college is a member of the Union and he/she is eligible to participate in the Union elections held every year. The Union works all year round, organizing academic and cultural functions, sports-meets, seminars and published magazine etc. The Union also supported the NSS unit constantly in all their activities.



Students' Union engaged in relief for Cyclone Yaas

















Student Union had organized Blood Donation Camp in 2021 at college premises



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