

# SONAMUKHI COLLEGE

(Estd. – 1966)



**NAAC # B+ 2<sup>nd</sup> Cycle: 2022**

**(Affiliated to Bankura University from 01-01-2017)**

**(Previously, affiliated to The University of Burdwan since 1966)**



**PROSPECTUS 2024-25**

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**Admission Link: [College Website](http://College Website) or <https://banglaruchchashiksha.wb.gov.in>**

## Bird's Eye View



Inter-college Games & Sports 23-24: Female-1st, Male-2nd

Bankura University 5th Inter-college Athletic Meet 2023-24



A Light on Earth Day  
 One Day National Level Seminar  
 On  
 "Wetlands and Environmental Sustainability: A Future  
 Projection"  
 (22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2024)  
 Organized by  
 Dept. of Geography, Dept. of Chemistry and IQAC,  
 Sonamukhi College in association with South Asian Institute  
 for Advanced Research & Development (SAIARD), Kolkata,  
 West Bengal

*'Bishnupada De Block' and  
 'Saktipada De Block' reminds always  
 their unconditional land donation of 5  
 Acres in 1965 to dig for first phase of  
 academic pillars.*



## FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL ---

Convergence of thoughts was incubated in the decade of sixty. Requirement of opportunity for cultivation of education was sounded among the then people. Platform for higher Education in this reserved constituency (Sonamukhi AC 258) was created. A number of steps had been adopted by The University of Burdwan, Department of Higher Education, Government of West Bengal and UGC in course of time.

Catering of aspiring students of Sonamukhi Block and associated areas of the Bankura District has been going on as per the instruction from DPI and affiliating Bankura University at present. The students of this area are continuing to compete with the rest of the academic spaces of our country in spite of various limitations. A number of modifications in academic procedures have been implemented satisfactorily for propelling of higher education more attractively. The College is a co-educational institute having 18 departments from Arts, Science and Commerce streams.

The Motto of the College is to promote higher education to the students of this area and its surroundings. Needless to say regarding the indomitable spirit and spontaneous enthusiasm of the faculty members and support staff of the college for the overall development of the students. Consequently, taking special initiatives for the development of the underprivileged students have become possible without any doubt.

The college has achieved its name as an altar of higher learning in the tune of time. The year-wise increase in students' strength implies its own meaning. Eventually, the students make us elated with their remarkable progress in education and success in extra-Curriculum windows like NCC, NSS, Magazine, Youth Parliament, Cultural and Sports. The college feels proud to mention some of these: 1<sup>st</sup> position in West Bengal on National Voters' Day Debate Competition-2023 (Arpita Gayen – History), 2<sup>nd</sup> Position in ECI Essay Writing Competition-2023 - Bankura District Level (Moubani Banerjee, BSW), National Integration Camp-2023, Sri Jagannath Veda Karmakanda Mahavidyalaya, Puri (Sangeeta Das, Phy. Edu. & NSS) and The University of Burdwan level camp by Taniya Khatun (Phy. Edu. & NSS), noticeable Success in Adventure Camp-2022, Manali by Govinda Roy (BSW and NSS). The students have created identities in District & Bankura University level Sports and games in 2023-24 Academic Session. Particularly, the girls have made the college proud with their signatures in State level.

The college ensures a suitable environment for the newcomers in 2024-25 academic session for achieving their goals in different vistas and they will add, no doubt, new feathers to the crown of the college as well as to the society.

**Dr. Bappaditya Mandal**  
**Principal,**  
**Sonamukhi College**



NAAC PEER TEAM 2022 (2nd Cycle)



CPR Sponsored two-Day periodical Lectures & International Seminar on "Philosophical Contribution of Contemporary Thinkers", Dept. of Philosophy, Sonamukhi College.



## REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION



## NCC Activities during 2023-24

## LOCATION -----

Sonamukhi College is on the state highway connecting Bishnupur & Durgapur. Approximately 1 km black top links Sonamukhi Municipality, the heart of the town. The college is well-connected with rest of the Bankura district. Pair of rails and highways save the time unexpectedly in stepping into the state capital and other part of the country. Sonamukhi Forest Range is within a stone's throw of our college. Various Government and non-Government organizations are the surrounding petals.

## -----HISTORY

Some noble souls assembled in 1965-66 to give a shape of Sonamukhi College under the leadership of Prof. Anantalal Patra. Late Bishnupada Dey and Late Shaktipada Dey unconditionally donated 5 acres land for the college. A large number of people blessed supports including financial for its establishment irrespective of caste, creed, financial condition. The collective effort of the people is the result of a holy place of higher education i.e. Sonamukhi College.

Sonamukhi Block and its adjacent areas were densely populated. Poverty, ignorance, illiteracy, superstition and orthodoxy were their permanent companions. The initiative of imparting education to the learners of these areas in the three rooms of Sonamukhi Bindubasini Jubilee High School. The incessant and unflinching efforts achieved perfection on 17<sup>th</sup> August 1966 as the much-expected approval letter from “The University of Burdwan” had been reached our college. Prof. Anantalal Patra, the founder principal, is no more with us but in all the stones, bricks, woods, plants and in everything within the college, his presence is felt, his contribution is realized. The degree of completeness in recognition was achieved in the later stage i.e. both 2(f) and 12B from UGC.

## AN OVERVIEW OF THE COLLEGE

Handful number of students started their higher education in the light of Arts and Commerce. The College has established its uniqueness by 18 branches of Science, Arts and Commerce with first NAAC accreditation of B Grade in 2016 followed by upgradation to B+ in 2022.

Sonamukhi College is one of the reputed institutions of higher learning in Bankura University in Sonamukhi Block and the area of its close proximity. The college has also earned good reputation in other districts for pleasing, eco-friendly academic ambiance, cultural acumen and sports-spirit. Exchange of views view between teacher and student occurs without any hesitation. Electronic platforms play also significant role. Inspiration and motivation in cultural activities, sports, debates etc. develops spontaneously. The college is feathered more in 2019-20 by a study centre of Netaji Subhas Open University (NSOU). It is dedicated for those who have lost the opportunity of higher education in their student life due to various socio-economic reasons. The list of UG & PG courses available through this Centre can be viewed through website.

Additional avenues, with a very small amount of fee, for enrichment of students with their main curriculum are: Bankura University affiliated certificate courses on “**Spoken Sanskrit**”, “**Communicative English**” and “**Yoga**”. Apart from these, the college also runs a number of Add-on courses in an aim to improve the skill of our students in various fields.

## VISION-----

Learning is a pleasure. Education in a joyful way is the Vision. Creation of sustainable conducive environment is the technical but essential part of vision. The College has concentrated into this vision in the purview of NEP-2020. Besides, creating of career oriented comprehensive education and ambience of e-facilities to a larger extent are needs indeed for understanding the mysteries of existence, discovery of scientific truths and realization of the philosophy of this wonderful universe. Cultivation of education among those who are deprived from regular study is the social responsibility. Extension of activities for those, in collaboration with Corporate etc., is also a vision.

## -----MISSION

- To make a true human being in every angle of life with wider outlook.
- To provide higher education as well as skill-oriented facilities to all the students.
- To uplift the students, who are deprived, underprivileged and economically weaker.
- All-round development of body, mind and soul of the students for sailing the vessel of life with courage, confidence, determination and patience.
- To inculcate reverence, passion, consciousness and tenacity among the students.
- Last but not least, to make strong and determined character to make them a good citizen for the betterment of mankind.



## NSS Activities : 2023-24



## OBJECTIVE

Imparting class room education to the students of various Major courses under the stream of Science, Arts and Commerce is the objective. Subsidiary objectives are improvement in campus atmosphere and canteen facilities. Beside the increase in number of books for new CBCS syllabi, provision for e-resources in teaching-learning-evaluation has been introduced to overcome the odd situations. ICT-enabled classrooms have been formed but to be increased more for improving the teaching-learning mechanism. A new dimension in the amalgamated activity with corporate spectrum is implemented in the last academic session. The soul objective is for doping of knowledge among the students which will be applicable in the practical world and they can serve the nation with pride.



## Extension of infrastructure and domain of student benefit in the last Academic Year

1. The new construction of the 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Science Building (S. N. Bose Science Building) has been completed. The Departments of Botany, Mathematics and computer Science have been moved to 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the Science Building during the Academic Session 2023-24.
2. Two Water filters (donated by Sri Durga Industries, Sonamukhi) have been installed on the ground floor and 1<sup>st</sup> floor of the S. N. Bose Science Building to enhance the facility of purified drinking water. One more water filter (College Fund) is installed beside Boys' Common Room.
3. The computer facility has been improved in all the departments by increasing number of computers.
4. The construction work on the first floor of the office building is almost in the verge of completion.
5. A number of Add-On courses is running to develop choice based skill among our students.



6. The college has signed MOU with Bankura Christian College, Indas Mahavidyalaya, Khatra Adibasi Mahavidyalaya, Panchmura Mahavidyalaya, Patrasayer Mahavidyalaya, Panchokot Mahavidyalaya and Vidyasagar College to stimulate and improve the overall teaching-learning scenario through faculty exchange, student exchange, seminar and conference in collaborative mode, research in collaborative mode, etc. between Sonamukhi college and those colleges.
7. The college also signed a MOU with District Science Center, Purulia that will facilitate outreach program, organization of science exhibition, popularization of science among college students and locality students in the coming years.
8. The college authority has encouraged all the departments to conduct Educational Tour for students and almost all the departments have conducted Educational Tours in the session 2023-24.



### Special achievements by our students in recent times

1. Our NSS Volunteers Gobinda Roy participated in the Adventure Camp, 2022 Organized by the Ministry of Youth affairs and Sports, Govt. of India on 27<sup>th</sup> Oct. to 5<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2022 held at A.B.V. Institute of Mountaineering and Allied Sports, Manali (H.P.) and made the college very proud.
2. Our NSS Volunteers Taniya Khatun participated in the National Integration Camp, 2023 Organized by the Ministry of Youth affairs and Sports, Govt. of India on 18<sup>th</sup> Feb. – 24<sup>th</sup> Feb, 2023 held at The University of Burdwan W.B.).
3. Our NSS Volunteers Sangeeta Das participated in the Pre-RDC selection camp, 2023 Organized by the Ministry of Youth affairs and Sports, Govt. of India on 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 held at Shri Jagannath Veda karmakanda Mahavidyalaya, Puri (Odisha).
4. Our Student Moubani Banerjee, Dept. of Social Work participate in the ECI ESSAY WRITING COMPETITION, District Award 2<sup>nd</sup> Position, on 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 on the occasion of the National Voters' Day.
5. Our student Arpita Gayen from History department secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in National Voters' Day Debate Competition-2023 in West Bengal.



**Pre-RD Selection Camp at Bhuvanewar Organized by –NSS Unit Sonamukhi College (Volunteers of NSS)**

**1<sup>st</sup> Rank of State Level NVD Debate Competition, 2023**





## AFFILIATION OF COURSES

(The University of Burdwan and continued under Bankura University as per University order.)

Year	Name of the Course	Subjects
1966	Three-year B.A. and B.Com (Gen.)	B.A.: - English, Bengali, History, Sanskrit, Economics, Philosophy. B.Com.: -With Adv. Accountancy as elective subject.
1966	U.E.	English, Bengali, Sanskrit, History, Logic, Civics, Com. Geography, Com. Arithmetic, Book Keeping.
1969	B.Com (Honours)	With Adv. Accountancy and Auditing (as elective subjects).
1971	B.A. (Honours)	Bengali.
1973	B.A. (Honours)	Philosophy, Political Science.
1977	H.S. (Sc., Arts, Com.)	All subjects of the course.
1979	B.Sc. (General)	Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Botany, Zoology.
1995	B.Sc. (Honours)	Botany.
1996	B.Sc. (Honours)	Zoology.
1998	B.A. (Honours)	History.
1999	B.A. (Honours)	English.
2001	B.Sc. (Honours)	Mathematics.
2002	B.A. (Honours)	Economics.
2004	B.A. (Honours)	Sanskrit.
2006	B.A. (General)	Geography.
2007	B.Sc. (Honours)	Physics
2008	B.A. (Honours)	Geography.
2011	B.Sc. (Honours)	Chemistry
2011	B.A. (General)	Physical Education
2012	B.A. (General)	Education
2012	B.Sc. (Hons.)	Comp. Sc.
2014	B.A. (Honours)	Education
2019	B.A. (Honours)	Social Work

### EXTRA ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

- (a) **N.C.C. unit for Boys and Girls (one):** Under 56 Bengal Battalion.  
**N.C.C.: Mr. Salil Bhui, ANO & SACT II.**
- (b) **N.S.S. : 3 units** **Unit I Prog. Officer: Mr. Ramprasad Kanrar, Asst. Prof., Phil.**  
**Unit II Prog. Officer: Dr. Subhasree Majumdar, Asst. Prof., Zoo.**  
**Unit III Prog. Officer: Mr. Anupam Mondal, Asst. Prof., Sans.**
- (c) **Eco Club, e-Waste, Vermi-compost,**  
**Mushroom & Green Audit - Convenor: Asim Samajpati, Asst. prof., Commerce.**
- (d) **Sports & Gymnasium (Under Phy. Edu. Dept.):** The college conducts Annual Sports every year. Also, it conducts Inter-College and intra-college sports competition as directed by DPI / University time to time. The events are organized by the Department of Physical Education under the guidance of Padmalochan Hansda, Asst. Prof. in English.
- (e) **Cultural Functions:** The College organizes Annual Cultural Functions & Competitions in Quiz, Debate, cultural etc. :: **Convenor: Dr. Irin Parvin, Asst. Prof. in Bengali.**
- (f) **Magazine & Publication, Add-on & Certificate courses:**  
**Convenor : Mr. Supriya Saha, Asst. prof. in English.**
- (g) **Equal Opportunity Cell: Convenor: Sudhamayee Kumar, Asst. Prof. in Philosophy.**  
(For SC, ST, and OBC & Minority)
- (h) **Anti Ragging & Squad Sub-Comm.: Convenor-Padmalochan Hansda, Asst. Prof., English**
- (i) **Research & Dev. Council (UGC): Convenor- Dr. Parthasarathi De, Asso. Prof., Botany.**

**STUDENTS' UNION** : Provision of effective and organized Students' Union/Council does exist as per G.O. of Higher Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal. The members of the union are elected by the students through election as per Govt. order from time to time. The Students' Union takes active role for enrichment in academic environment, in helping poor students, to inspire all students to join seminars, workshops, N.S.S. and N.C.C. activities, Sports and Games including emergency activities.

**TEACHERS' COUNCIL**: The Teachers' council runs as per statute of Bankura University. Teachers in substantive posts are members of this council. Students get academic energy and inspiration at every second of clock through various supports.

**NON-TEACHING STAFF**: Convergence of support staff always reminds their invaluable relentless activity at every moment. Their extreme coherence is reflected in each and every service to the students. Reverberation of their activities occurs in the development of this college since inception.

**ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**: "*Sonamukhi College Alumni Association*" (No. S0033838 of 2022-2023 & PAN ACCAS2236B) runs with passed out students of this sacred house. They have established themselves in this world and still on "Their fond breast the parting soul relies".

**Joint Activity with Corporate(s)**: In view of the vision of this College, an objective to implement the joint activity for the society is needed. The college has crossed the initial. KJS Cement India Ltd, Maihar, Madhya Pradesh has played as sponsor through email on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2020. The followed by activities are going on by way of sponsorship from various organization.

**Electoral Literacy Club**: An Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) has been formed as per guidelines issued by UGC and ECI for continuous awareness on democratic process of India and her states.



**SVEEP (Systemetic Voter's Education and Electoral Participation)  
An Initiative by Electoral Literacy Club(ELC) in association with  
Eco-Club, NCC, NSS of Sonamukhi College**

**Hostel Facility:** The college has one hostel for boy students of the college (*Indira Chhatrabas, capacity-20*) and one hostel for the girl students of the college (*Haranath Kusumkumari Chhatrinibas, capacity-40*). Both the hostels are equipped with Lodging (2/3/4 sharing) facility, Washroom facility, Filter Water facility, Night Guard facility, Kitchen with Dining facility, etc. Also, Internet connectivity through Wi-Fi and recreation facility (Television and Carom) is available in both the hostels.



**Haranath Kusumkumari Chhatrinibas**

### **Maintenance of safe and secure environment for students in the College premises**

Sonamukhi College is always thoughtful regarding the maintenance of safe and secure environment for students in the College premises. For this, committees like Internal Complaints Committee regarding sexual harassment (Vishakha Cell) for girl students and Anti-ragging and Grievance redressal cell for all the students of the college are taking active part each and every day. Along with these, the measures taken are as follows-

- 1) Psychological counsellor for students is available in the situation where students need guidance and mental support. The students can contact over email and phone the respective person as and when needed.
- 2) A total of 8.11 acre area of the campus is supported by green energy. In playground also there is 2000 W security lights.
- 3) The campus has 94 cameras with CCTV surveillance for the safety of staffs and students in general.
- 4) Girls' hostel facility is ready for girl students in a safe and secure environment.
- 5) To make the campus "Divyangjan" friendly, there is the presence of ramp facility in the Bishnupada De Block, Science Building and ladies' common room. Ladies common room is also equipped with hand rest at proper places.
- 6) There is scope for financial support that may be provided to girl students who will rank 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> in the end semester exam among the students of our college and are intending to take admission for Master's degree in a govt aided university.

### **Psychological counsellor for students**

1. Mr. Prashanta Khan, Dept. of BSW, Ph-8768358692, mail- [counsellor@sonamukhicollege.ac.in](mailto:counsellor@sonamukhicollege.ac.in) ).
2. Internal complaints committee for girl students regarding sexual harassment (mail- [vishakha@sonamukhicollege.ac.in](mailto:vishakha@sonamukhicollege.ac.in)).
3. Anti-ragging committee (mail- [antiragging@sonamukhicollege.ac.in](mailto:antiragging@sonamukhicollege.ac.in))
4. Grievance Redressal Cell (mail- [grievance@sonamukhicollege.ac.in](mailto:grievance@sonamukhicollege.ac.in))

## Various Student Support System in the College

**Scholarship:** According to the eligibility and suitability of the students, they can apply for various governmental scholarship schemes like SVMCM, Aikyashree, Kanyashree, OASIS, Nabanna Scholarship, etc. They can apply also in various non-governmental scholarships like Jindal, and others. The college helps and guides so that one can get their applicable scholarship.

**Student Credit Card Schemes:** The students can apply for the Student Credit Card of WB Govt. as per rules of the scheme. The college organizes awareness camps to motivate students in applying the same.



**West Bengal Govt. Free-Ship Scheme:** The eligible students of Sonamukhi College get a Full-fee waiver and Half-fee waiver on the tuition fees according to the rules and guidelines of the scheme.

**Students' Aid fund:** Also, the poor and needy students get financial assistance from the college fund under the Students' Aid fund scheme.

**Samadhan Aid Fund:** Besides the various scholarships provided by the State Govt. and other organizations, Staff Council has formed 'Samadhan Aid Fund' to support the economically weaker students. Great initiative from all staff of the college supports extreme needy students. It is planned for provision of benefit to approximately 200 students from all departments during academic session. Priority is given to students having AAY card and Samajik Suraksha card. The convener, based on recommendation from each department, will select the students from each department for award of aid. Departmental recommendation will be made on the basis of following criteria-

(a) Attendance in class (b) Annual income of the parents (c) AAY card (d) Samajik women Suraksha Card.



**Plantation awareness organized by Eco-Club in association with NSS & NCC of Sonamukhi College**

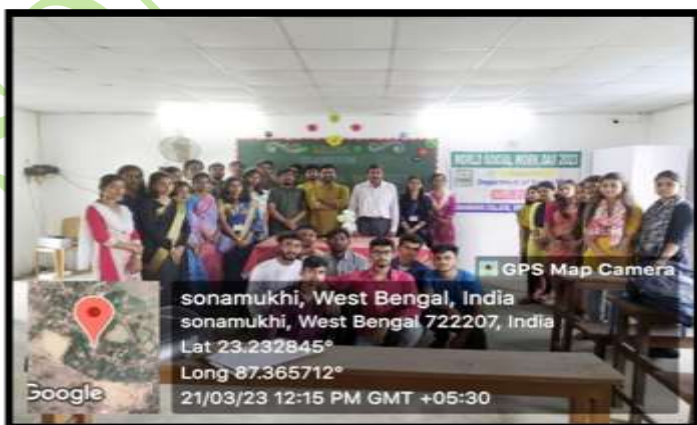
**Contribution from Teachers' Council:** The Teachers' Council of Sonamukhi College contributes yearly to the development of the college as well as to helping needy students in various forms.

**Awards declared for Special achievement by students:** To motivate the students to achieve success in the curricular and various cocurricular activities, the Sonamukhi College authority has declared various awards for the students of the college. These are given in the following.

- 1st, 2nd & 3rd rank holder of Bankura University in each subject of UG Level of the college students (subject to the information of ranks from Bankura University & if the candidate is available) are honoured with Rs.10,000/-, Rs.7,000/- and Rs.5,000/-respectively.
- Honour money of Rs 20,000/-: For each participant in the Republic Day Parade at New Delhi from the cadets of NCC unit or Volunteer(s) of NSS units.
- Honour money of Rs 10,000/: For each participant in the Republic Day Parade at Kolkata from the cadets of NCC unit or Volunteer(s) of NSS units.
- Honour Money of Rs.5,000/-: For the best cadet and best volunteer of each unit of NCC & NSS of the College each year.
- Honour money in cultural, sports, athletics, drawing, etc. events:
  - ❑ National Level (organized by Govt. of India only): Rs. 20,000/- for 1<sup>st</sup> rank, Rs.15,000/-for 2<sup>nd</sup> rank, and Rs10,000/- for 3<sup>rd</sup> rank.
  - ❑ State Level (organized by Govt. of WB only): Rs.10,000/-for 1<sup>st</sup> rank, Rs.7,000/-for 2<sup>nd</sup> rank and Rs 5,000/-for 3<sup>rd</sup> rank.
- Financial support provided to the girl students (Initiative from Vishakha Sub-Committee) who rank 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> in the end semester exam among the students of our college and are intended to take admission for Master's degree in a govt aided university.
- Financial award to a team: The amount of prize for participation in State/National Level will be double to that of previous level. In case of winner in State/National Level the amount will be rank-wise double.

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**NCC RANK DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY**  
**ON 8<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2023**



**Observation of World Social Work Day**  
**on 21.03.2023**

**“PROTEST AGAINST RAGGING IS THE DUTY OF RESPONSIBLE CITIZEN”**

**Educational excursion at Bordi Pahar of the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College on 11 January, 2024**



**EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION, DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, ECONOMICS & SOCIAL WORK (13/12/2023)**

**Celebration of Freshers and Farewell Ceremony at the Department of History, on 17 October 2023**



**Glimpses of Educational Tour to Harbor Surgical Accessories Company, Saragara, Bankura on 09.01.2024 organized by Dept. of Mathematics**



**Photo from Geographical Excursion, Dept. of Geography, 2023.**



## Code of conduct inside College Campus & Hostels

The institution has a prescribed code of conduct for students, teachers, administrators and other staff.  
The College conducts periodic programs in this regard.

### CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

1. Any type of ragging is prohibited within the college campus. Students may drop a written complaint in the complaint-box of the college. If found guilty the Institution suspends the concern students.
2. Duty of every student is to attend their classes punctually and regularly. 75% attendance is a compulsory measure. Cheating or copying during any examination is punishable.
3. Strictly prohibited: unnecessary gossip, loitering, smoking, drinking alcohol, using cell phones is.
4. No capitation fee is allowed in the college.
5. Grievance Redressal mechanism acts against any types of nuisance, social discrimination.
6. Governing Body, Principal, Grievance Redressal Cell and Vishakha Cell strictly counter the serious breach of discipline, miss conduct and sexual harassment.
7. The students are directed to uphold integrity to reach the educational goals.
8. Students are to follow the quotes from inspirational philosophers as a fixed-on college-walls.

### CODE OF CONDUCT OF TEACHERS

1. Participating in any private coaching class is prohibited.
2. Teaching must start with descent and dignified behaviour prior to curriculum.
3. The teacher shall think of educational betterment and refrain from discrimination and disintegration.
4. As a vigilant citizen, the teacher shall render voluntary service for community development.
5. A teacher must impart adequate knowledge and guide the students to become an ideal human being.

### CODE OF CONDUCT OF NON-TEACHING STAFF

1. Regular and punctual attendance for smooth functioning of college administration.
2. Availability during working hours.
3. Maintenance of calm, cool and congenial atmosphere within the campus.
4. Overall vigilance.

### CODE OF CONDUCT OF PRINCIPAL

1. As administrator to import Good Governance.
2. Coordinating different sectors and committees for developmental planning.
3. To ensure equality, justice, unity, integrated and well-being.
4. Observance and implementation of orders from Higher Authority from time to time.
5. Transparency in every sphere.

## DISCIPLINE

Discipline means to follow rules or to do things in regular order.

- a) Students have to attend classes regularly and punctually. At least 75% attendance in classes (both Theoretical and Practical) is a must.
- b) Students have to be alert always for maintaining a healthy teaching-learning atmosphere at the college premises.
- c) Students should be obedient and humble to the teachers and the staff of the college.
- d) Students have to participate in cultural functions, sports and games, N.C.C., N.S.S. activities, social services conducted by the college.
- e) Appearing at Class/Unit-Test/Internal assessments mandatory. **Students must have to appear at Internal Assessment in each paper before Semester Examination otherwise they won't be able to appear in the Semester Examinations conducted by the University.**
- f) Students should carefully observe all notices relating to rules, orders and measures, issued to them from time to time. They are advised to check College website regularly.
- g) All the financial transactions have to be made through online mode.



Photo of Educational Tour by Dept. of Education on 20/12/2023

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Photo of Educational Tour by Dept. by Sanskrit on 15/12/2023



Photo of Educational Tour by Dept. by History on 15/12/2023

SONAMUKHI  
National Voters' Day





## **COURSES OFFERED**

1. **3-Year (6 Semesters) B.A. UG Degree or 4-Year (8 Semesters) B.A. UG Degree (Honours/ Honours with Research) Course in-**

(i) Bengali (ii) English (iii) Sanskrit (iv) Philosophy (v) History (vi) Economics (vii) Political Science (viii) Geography (ix) Education (x) Social Work (xi) Physical Education & Sports.

2. **3-Year (6 Semesters) B.Sc. UG Degree or 4-Year (8 Semesters) B.Sc. UG Degree (Honours/ Honours with Research) Course in-**

(i) Physics (ii) Chemistry (iii) Mathematics (iv) Botany (v) Zoology (vi) Computer Science.

3. **3-Year B.Com. (6 Semesters) UG Degree or 4-Year B.Com. (8 Semesters) UG Degree (Honours/ Honours with Research) Course in-** (i) Commerce (Accounting Group)

### **Note:**

1. Student who opts to exit after completion of the first year will be awarded a **UG certificate** provided he/she has to earn minimum required qualification as per affiliating Bankura University.

2. Student who opts to exit after completion of the first year, will be awarded a **UG Diploma** provided he/she has to earn minimum required qualification as per affiliating Bankura University.

3. Students who wish to undergo a 3-year UG programme will be awarded **UG Degree in the Major discipline** after successful completion of three years and satisfying the minimum credit requirement notified by the affiliating Bankura University.

4. A four-year **UG Honours degree in the major discipline** will be awarded to those who complete a four-year degree programme and satisfy the minimum credit requirement set by the affiliating Bankura University. Students who wish to undertake research work at the 4<sup>th</sup> year will be awarded **UG Degree (Honours with Research) in the concerned major subject** after earning the required minimum credits set by the affiliating Bankura University.

5. A detailed course structure is given at the end of this prospectus. All the courses will run strictly following the curriculum, course structure, syllabus modules, assessment modalities and others rules and regulations prescribed by the Bankura University time to time. Details may be known from the College Office/ Bankura University Website: [www.bankurauniversity.ac.in](http://www.bankurauniversity.ac.in).

Syllabus module can be downloaded from College website/ Bankura University Website: [www.bankurauniversity.ac.in](http://www.bankurauniversity.ac.in).

**N.B. - Every student will have to take admission in 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> semester separately.**

**ADMISSION PROCEDURE:** Admission to various courses in 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (3-Year or 4-Year UG Degree Programmes) in Sonamukhi College will be conducted through the Centralized Online Admission Portal run by The Department of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal. During registration, the students have to opt for the courses available in Sonamukhi College to get admitted to the Sonamukhi College. During registration process, the student will be able to check the eligible courses from Sonamukhi College for own. All the rules and regulations prescribed by the Higher Education Department, West Bengal, Bankura University and Admission Sub-Committee of Sonamukhi College will be strictly followed during the entire admission process.

**Registration for Application:** Online registration is mandatory for entering the admission procedure. Application for more than one courses can be made using one single registration. Students who have passed H.S. or Equivalent Examination in 2022, 2023 and 2024 may apply for admission through the online registration. The link for registration is <https://wbcap.in>. It is also available in the home page of the college website <https://sonamukhicollege.ac.in>

**Permanent and Own mobile number and email id** of applicants are mandatory to fill up online application form for password confirmation as well as for future correspondences with Sonamukhi College and Bankura University (if got admitted).

During application candidates shall have to upload the scanned images of their Admit card and Marksheet of MP or equivalent Exam, Registration of H.S. or equivalent Exam, Marksheet of H.S. or equivalent Exam, Caste Certificate (if applicable) and PWD Certificate (if applicable).

Finally submitted online application will be activated AUTOMATICALLY for merit list generation.

An applicant may **apply for maximum 25 (Twenty five) Major courses** irrespective of faculty (science/Arts/Commerce) from a single registration.

During Registration, students have to arrange their selected courses according to their preference level. This is very important. If a student intends to take admission in Sonamukhi College, he/she has to arrange the courses of Sonamukhi College in the order of preferences as per choice. There will be options in the online portal for this arrangement.

**The Eligibility Criteria for admission to different courses are available on Page-20.**

**For applicants from Vocational Course:** Students who have passed Vocational Engineering and Technology (with pass marks in Mathematics) or Vocational Agriculture at 10+2 level are eligible for admission to Science or Arts. Those who have passed without Mathematics or without securing pass marks in Mathematics or passed Vocational Home Science at 10+2 level are eligible for admission to Arts only. Those who have passed Vocational Business and Commerce at 10+2 level are eligible for admission to Commerce or Arts.

**Choice of Physical Education & Sports will be final after fitness test by the Department.**

### **Common Information to Applicants:**

- i. Reservation including PWD in the Intake capacity for various courses will be maintained strictly as per Govt. rules and will be automatically done by the software itself.
- ii. Merit-lists for the admission to various first semester courses during the Academic Year 2024-25 will be prepared obeying the rules mentioned in the head 'Merit list generation' on page 19. The calculation of merit point score or Ranking Index will be done by the software itself.
- iii. No mark will be deducted for applicants passed (10+2) level in previous years.
- iv. During registration process, students have to put their mobile number and email. Mobile no and email will be used by the college as well as by the University for communication purpose in future.

**Students are directed to maintain permanent mobile no. and email for present & future use.**

**WHATSAPP number is mandatory for Departmental group formation after final admission.**

- v. **Upload the own photograph & Signature, 10<sup>th</sup> Admit & Mark sheet, 12<sup>th</sup> Mark sheet, 10+2 Level Registration certificate, Caste certificate & PWD certificate (if applicable). No change shall be possible in future after final submission for registration.**
- vi. **Payments relating to Admission process are to be done through the Auto Payment gateway of Govt.** It will appear at the time of fees deposit.  
Online Payment Gateway: Auto re-directed & generated.  
Payment may be done as per instruction <https://wbcap.in>.
- vii. The candidature shall be cancelled at any time for false representation of any facts including the entry of marks of different subjects in H.S. or equivalent exam during the online application. All applicants are directed to check everything before final submission & Payment(s).
- viii. Always download soft copy of filled-in application form and payment receipts (if any). These will be auto generated. It is also advised to keep the hard copies of the said documents properly.
- ix. Candidates are advised to log in to their accounts and check their merit positions frequently in their own interest so that they do not miss any chances.
- x. After getting admitted to a particular course, a candidate will get the chances of changing his/her choice to a different course provided that he/she shall have selected for that course as per preference. In that case, the candidate shall have to pay only the extra amount payable for that course (if required). However, an applicant will be allowed to change their courses only for a maximum time as per G.O. DPI.

## Intake Capacities :(including SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B/PWD Seats)

Proposed Major Wise Intake for 2023-24							
Major Subject	UR (45%)	SC (22%)	ST (6%)	OBCA (10%)	OBCB (7%)	EWS (10%)	Total
Commerce	10	5	1	2	2	2	22
Bengali	158	77	21	35	25	35	351
Economics	6	3	1	1	1	1	13
Education	131	64	17	29	20	29	290
English	77	38	10	17	12	17	171
Geography	36	18	5	8	6	8	81
History	149	73	20	33	23	33	331
Philosophy	148	72	20	33	23	33	329
Political Science	45	22	6	10	7	10	100
Sanskrit	45	22	6	10	7	10	100
Social Work	27	13	4	6	4	6	60
Phy. Edu. & Sports	66	32	9	15	10	15	147
Botany	40	20	5	9	6	9	89
Chemistry	27	13	4	6	4	6	60
Computer Science	23	11	3	5	4	5	51
Mathematics	35	17	5	8	5	8	78
Physics	27	13	4	6	4	6	60
Zoology	42	21	6	9	7	9	94

### Minor wise Intakes for various subjects are as follows:

Bengali Minor- 600, English Minor- 54, Sanskrit Minor- 76, Geography Minor-30, History Minor-275, Philosophy Minor-350, Pol. Sc. Minor- 76, Education Minor- 400, Physical Education Minor-100, Economics Minor- 13, Physics Minor- 60, Chemistry Minor- 60, Mathematics Minor- 78, Botany Minor- 94, Zoology Minor- 89, Computer Sc. Minor- 50, Commerce Minor-22.

## Seats of PWD Students – as per Bankura University and WB Govt. rules for each category in all subjects.

Reservation of seats may change depending on the direction from DPI, WB Govt./BKU from time to time.

**Notification shall be available in college website as and when instructed by BKU/DPI.**

**Details of Merit List Generation:** Subject wise and category wise merit list(s) will be published on the online admission website on the stipulated date & time. The merit list will be auto-generated depending on the seat capacity of a particular course and based on the following ranking rule. An SMS and email will be sent to the applicant's mobile and email id. After receiving an SMS, the applicant has to choose one Major subject (if the name of the applicant appears in the merit list of more than one subject) for acceptance in the online admission process within the stipulated date and time. If an applicant selects one subject through an online process his/her name (if appears in the merit list of other subjects) will be automatically removed from other course(s). After getting a chance to a particular course with any preference number, if a candidate does not accept it in the online portal within the stipulated date and time, his/her chance will automatically be gone and he/she will not be considered further in the following merit lists for any course. College authority will not be responsible for non-delivering of messages/emails in electronic mode for any reason. So, candidates are advised to log in to their accounts and check their merit positions frequently in their own interest so that they do not miss any chances.

### Rules for preparing Merit List:

Merit lists will be prepared based on the total marks of best five subjects obtained in Higher Secondary or Equivalent Examination (First language will be counted twice if only four subjects are offered by any recognized Board/Council in H.S. or equivalent examination).

**Tie-Breaking Rule:** If the merit score of two or more number of applicants become same for any particular course during preparing the merit list, the total percentage of marks obtained in the Class X level exam will be considered for ranking. However, if this score also becomes same, the date of births of the candidates will be considered for ranking.

## Eligibility Criteria and Subject Combination for Various Courses:

*Eligibility criteria for admission to different Degree Courses (B.A., B.Sc., and B.Com.) and according to the CBCS course structure of the Bankura University, various options available for the Minor subjects against each Major course are given in the following table.*

Criteria for admission to Major Courses			Available options for Minor subject
Sl.No.	Major Subjects	Eligibility Criteria	(Choose any one from the given list)
1	BENGALI	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Education, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
2	ENGLISH	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Education, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
3	SANSKRIT	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, History, Geography, Education, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
4	HISTORY	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, Geography, Education, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
5	GEOGRAPHY	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Education, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
6	EDUCATION	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Philosophy, Political Science., Economics, Physical Education
7	ECONOMICS	Pass marks in Aggregate and pass marks in Mathematics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Philosophy, Political Science., Education, Physical Education
8	PHILOSOPHY	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Economics, Political Science., Education, Physical Education
9	POLITICAL SCIENCE	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Economics, Philosophy, Education, Physical Education
10	SOCIAL WORK	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Economics, Philosophy, Education, Physical Education, Pol. Sc.
11	PHYSICAL EDUCATION & SPORTS	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Geography, Economics, Philosophy, Education, Pol. Sc.
12	PHYSICS	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Physics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Chemistry, Mathematics, Computer Science
13	CHEMISTRY	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Chemistry in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science
14	MATHEMATICS	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Mathematics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Physics, Chemistry, Computer Science
15	BOTANY	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Physics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Zoology, Chemistry
16	ZOOLOGY	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Physics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Botany, Chemistry
17	COMPUTER SCIENCE	Pass marks in Aggregate and Pass marks in Mathematics in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics
18	COMMERCE	Pass marks in Aggregate in Higher Secondary (10+2) or Equivalent Examination.	Commerce Minor

**Note-1:** Every student have to take one course from Major Discipline, one course from Minor Discipline, one Multi-Disciplinary Course, one Ability Enhancement Course (AEC), one Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) from the concerned Major Discipline and one Value Added Course in the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester. However during Admission Procedure, applicants have to select only the Major Subject and Minor Subject in the online admission portal. The minor wise various combination for a particular Major subject will be visible in the admission portal. Please see the course structure at the end of this prospectus.

**Note-2:** The Intake capacities for minor courses are also limited. If a student cannot select a particular Minor subject in the portal during subject selection, it means the intake capacity for that particular subject has already been fulfilled. So, the student will be required to select an alternative subject as the minor subject.

## **DATES & TIME :: Merit List Publication**

### **PROGRAMME SCHEDULE OF ON-LINE ADMISSION-2024-25**

Phases	Period (including online payment)		
Registration for Admission	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
Provisional merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
Intimation of complain against the merit list (if any) through help-desk	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
Final merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
1st merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
2nd merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
3rd merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
4th merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		
5th merit list	As per G.O. from Higher Education		

1. No request regarding correction in HS (10+2) marks will be entertained.
2. 2nd and onwards merit lists are applicable subjected to the availability of subject wise and category wise vacant seats (if any).
3. Merit lists after 5<sup>th</sup> phase may be published depending on the subject wise and category wise vacancies.
4. The above schedule may change due to any technical problem or any order issued by the Bankura University or DPI, Govt. of West Bengal.

### **Bank charges extra (as applicable by PAYMENT GATEWAY)**

**Admission:** All admissions to this Sonamukhi College through the centralised online admission portal are provisional. All admissions will be final after the completion of documents verification process in the college campus and after the Registration process by The Bankura University. Admission shall be cancelled for any mistake or suppression of facts. The College authority reserves the right to withdraw any notice and issue of fresh notice if any notice issued regarding admission is made inadvertently.

**Admission Help-Desk:** If any candidate faces any difficulty during the total admission process, he can seek for solution through Admission help desk. They can call to the **Toll-free number 18001028014**. Again, they can send mail to [support@wbcap.in](mailto:support@wbcap.in) mentioning their difficulties. From the candidate's individual login ID in the portal, there will be options to raise any issue regarding the admission process. The student also may come to the Admission Help-Desk in the college with their parents if faces any difficulties.

**Special Attention:** Dept. Of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal will run and control the online admission portal. The college authority has limited scope to help in this respect. The Help-desk will be available at college. After getting chance to a particular course, whatever be the preference number, the candidate shall have to take admission for that particular course by completing the payment procedure. 'Upgrade' option to move to a higher preference level will be available depending on eligibility and preference. But if a candidate does not accept the chance first time, he/she will not be considered for any future merit lists. **The students are advised to arrange the opted courses during registration with ultimate care.** The applicants are directed to login to their individual user account to check their chances time to time in their own interest.

### **Documents Verification:**

**Verification of documents and testimonials will be done at college as per DPI / BKU notification.**  
College authority will never be responsible for SMS/email to applicant. The applicants are directed to check college online website for their own interest.

**\*\*STUDENTS HAVE TO SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING**

**FOR PROVISIONAL ADMISSION TO 1st semester DEGREE COURSES AT THE TIME OF PHYSICAL VERIFICATION AS AND WHEN NOTIFIED. \*\***

- (a) **One attested photocopy of School Leaving Certificate (H.S.).**
- (b) **One self attested photocopy of H.S. Mark-sheet.**
- (c) **One self attested photocopy of H.S. Exam. Admit Card.**
- (d) **One self attested photocopy of H.S. Exam., Registration Certificate.**
- (e) **One self attested photocopy of H.S. Certificate.**
- (f) **One self attested photocopy of M.P. Exam. Admit Card / Certificate.**
- (g) **One self attested photocopy of M.P. Mark-sheet.**
- (h) **One self attested photocopy of S.C./S.T./valid PwD. / O.B.C. / valid EWS Certificate (if applicable).**
- (i) **One stamp size colour photograph ( for scan and upload only)**
- (j) **Income certificate of Guardian for S.C./S.T./PwD./O.B.C. A/B (non-creamy layer, if applicable).**
- (k) **One self attested copy of AADHAR card.**

All attested copies to be attached with the print out of online Application Form after the payment of admission fee. Copies of documents relating to bank payments are to be attached.

**N.B.-Originals are to be produced at the time of verification for admission.**

### **Fees structure for different courses: (Except the University fee)** **(BKU fee will be collected as and when instructed by BKU)**

Sl. No	Major Subject	Amount payable at the time of admission
1	Bengali/ English/ History/ Sanskrit/ Pol. Sc./ Economics	4270
2	Philosophy/ Education	4470
3	Social Work/ Phy. Edu. & Sports	4670
4	Physics/ Chemistry/ Mathematics/ Comp. Sc.	4780
5	Botany/ Zoology/Geography	4980
6	Commerce	4330

**Note:** Students who will select Physical Education and Sports as Minor subject, shall have to pay an extra fee of Rupees four hundred during admission process. Similarly, students who will select Geography as the Minor subject, shall have to pay an extra fee of Rupees four hundred during admission process. Again, students with Philosophy or Education as the Minor subject, shall have to pay Rupees two hundred extra during admission.

Eligibility Criteria, Ranking Rule, Tie-Breaking Rule, Seat Matrix and Course fees are given combination-wise in the Brochure. See the Brochure of Sonamukhi College in the website at [www.sonamukhicollege.ac.in](http://www.sonamukhicollege.ac.in)

**NOTE:** The college authority has decided for a partial fee waive for reserved category (SC, ST, OBC-A, OBC-B, EWS and PH) students in all the courses. The reserved category students will get a **relaxation in admission fee** of Rs. Two hundred only. Due to technical limitation in the centralized online admission portal, this amount will be refunded to the eligible students in the college after completion of admission, verification & BKU registration process.

## The Central Library: At a Glance

**About Library:** The Central Library of Sonamukhi College has a rich collection of around 32,930 (as per accession register, entered in the accession register latest by 27.03.2024) printed books, old and rare books, valuable reference books along with manuscript, journals and other e-resources for the use of its members. The Library is member of N-LIST (National Library and Information Services infrastructure for Scholarly Content) consortium of INFLIBNET through which 6300+ e-journals and 1,00,000 e-books can be accessed. A few departments-maintained Seminar Library/Departmental Library. All books in the Library are now fully computerized and bar-coded for smooth circulation.

Financial year	Total No of Books Purchased	Remarks
2018-2019	1405	Entered in the Accession register
2019-2020	374	Entered in the Accession register
2020-2021	828	Entered in the Accession register
2021-2022	916	Entered in the Accession register
2022-2023	978	Entered in the Accession register
2023-2024	869	Entered in the Accession register

### Library Rules & Regulation:

1. **Library Opening hours: 10.00 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. (Monday to Saturday except Holidays)**
2. **Borrowing Capacity: (a). Students: 3 books for 15 days.**  
(b). UGC Teachers & SACT: 3 books for 30 days.
3. **The Library is under CCTV Surveillance.**
4. **Members are allowed to use reading room on submission of their Library cards along with signature on reading room register. (Name/Dept/In time/Out time etc.)**
5. **Dishonour of Library rules, indiscipline and misbehaviour will render students liable to be denied access to the Library.**

### Library Team:

**Librarian:**

**Dr. Manas Kumar Ganguli**

**Mail ID:**

[library@sonamukhicollege.ac.in](mailto:library@sonamukhicollege.ac.in)

**Library Web page:**

[https://sonamukhicollege.ac.in/library\\_home.php](https://sonamukhicollege.ac.in/library_home.php)

**Library OPAC search:**

<https://www.sonamukhicollege.com/Booksearch.aspx>

**Library Staff: 1. Boni Roy (Library Peon) & 2. Samiran Rakshit (Invited Library Assistant).**

**Services offered by the Library:** 1. Automated Circulation 2. Lending books for home reading 3. Reading Room Facility 4. Current-awareness service to the readers through new arrivals display 5. Email alert 6. Career Guidance [Book Support] 7. Reference & Referral Service 8. Journal & News Paper 9. Reprography Service 10. Question bank for previous years.

### Library Extension Activities:

Apart from the traditional library activities, the Central Library is also involved in providing library extension services for the benefit of the user community including User Orientation Programmes, Fieldwork & documentation, Book Exhibition etc. Library organizes User Orientation Programmes for the new comers to the college in every year. This helps users in familiarizing with the Library collection and services, rules and regulations of the Library. Users are given hands-on training in searching Catalogue, user reference collection, e-resources, etc.

### Resources at Reading Room:

**Print journal & Magazine:** Resonance, International Journal of Sanskrit Research, Korak, Anustup, Desh, Yojona, Kurukshetra, Pratiyogita Darpan, Competition Success review Karmakhetra, Employment news weekly, Along with other reference tools.

**Daily Newspaper:** 1. আনন্দবাজার 2. Telegraph

**Renewal of books:** For renewal, user has to bring book to the circulation counter. If a borrowed book has not any demand by other user, it may be renewed for consecutively two times.

**Development of the Library Service:** User Centric Service Pattern is being started. Feed-back system helps us to improve the quality of library service.

**Best practices of our Library:**

1. CCTV Camera helps to watch the reader's activity in the Central Library.
2. A considerable number of periodicals are being subscribed.
3. For book selection, students demand is considered.
4. Clean and peaceful atmosphere inside the Library premises.
5. Book circulation beyond the specified time.

**Library Orientation training regarding different services:**

Library organizes User orientation programmes for the newcomers in different departments in the College. This helps user in familiarizing with the Library collection and services, rules and regulations of the Library. Users are given hands-on training in searching Catalogue, uses Reference collection, e-resources etc.

**Library Services for Students:**

➤ This service includes Library orientation, important updates, New Arrival, Open Learning Resources, access guidance of E resources through NLIST, IITKGP, and Request on demand through mail, Current Awareness Services, Question Papers as per availability **through Institutional Repository.**

➤ E-resources can be accessed through Library page from the Sonamukhi College Website.

**Future Projection:**

1. Developing a Digital Library with Institutional Repository.
2. A considerable number of Journals would be subscribed.
3. Introduction of **"Best Library User"** award to inspire students.
4. The reference books, periodicals and current awareness sections will function from reading room for Readers' convenience.
5. Online Feedback for further improvement of Library services.



**Rare Manuscript Collection**

**Library Orientation for 1<sup>st</sup> semester students during Students' Week 2023-24**



**Manuscript Collection at Central Library (A manuscript is a handwritten composition on paper, bark, cloth, metal, palm leaf or any other material dating back long years ago that has significant scientific, historical or aesthetic value & cultural heritage).**



### Ornamental Fish Industry and Entrepreneurship Perspectives

An add-on course offered by  
Department of Zoology  
Central Library  
(Through Distance Education)  
Sonamukhi College of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, WB

**Course Coordinator:**  
Dr. Subhansu Mishra  
Asst. Prof. in Zoology

**Internal resource persons:**  
Dr. Subhansu Mishra  
Asst. Professor, Zoology  
Sonamukhi College

**Course objectives**

- 1. The course offers various theoretical and practical aspects of Ornamental Fish and their Biological Basis.
- 2. This course offers to equip the students acquainted with the production of ornamental fishes in various densities and to maintain comprehensive and modern of the production.
- 3. The course offers to provide to equip the students of aquaculture and fish farming and the importance of aquaculture in the economy, health and environment.
- 4. The course is designed to encourage the students with the proper working of freshwater fish farming and the importance of fish farming.
- 5. Knowledge of aquaculture, fish farming, health, environment and the reproductive biology.

**Course Design**

- 1. Introduction to Aquaculture
- 2. Breeding of Ornamental Fishes
- 3. Construction of aquaculture
- 4. The ornamental fish breeding and rearing
- 5. Breeding of fish farming, Management aspect

After completion of the examination every student is awarded a certificate in this add-on course from Sonamukhi College.

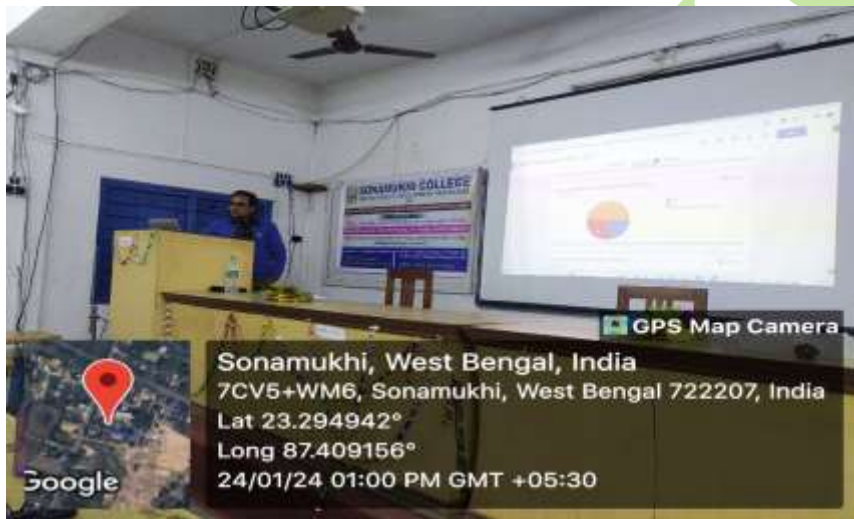
Sonamukhi College  
Department of Zoology  
Sonamukhi College  
Sonamukhi, West Bengal, India



**Image from the classes of Add on Course on Basic Information Literacy organized by Central Library in the Academic Session 2023-2024**



**Bridging the Gap: Hands-on Training Documentation & Workshop  
(April 17th to 19th, 2024)**



**Image from the Faculty Development Programme on Research Data Management: The Basics that the Researchers Need to Know organized by Central Library**

**Roof Top Tree Plantation**



**Book Processing Unit**



**Central Library Reading Room**



**SVEEP (Systematic Voter's Education and Electoral Participation)  
By Election Commission of India  
An Initiative by  
Electoral Literacy Club (ELC)  
Sonamukhi College**



**Photo from Educational tour organized by the Dept. of Computer Science**



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4. Dr. Ashoke Ghosh, M.A., Ph.D., SACT I.
5. Sri Madhab Kundu, M.A. , M.Phil., SACT II.
6. Sri Manojit Ghosh, M.A. , SACT II.
7. Sri Akshay Laha, M.A., SACT II.

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2. Smt. Samapti Rudra, M.A., SACT II.
3. Sri Prosenjit Rana, M.A., SACT II.

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2. Dr. Subir Kumar Chowdhury, M.Com., Ph.D., Associate Professor.
3. Sri Jayanta Dutta, M.Com., Associate Professor.
4. Sri Asim Samajpati, M.Com., Assistant Professor.
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2. Dr. Saikat Basu, M.Sc., Ph.D., Assistant Professor.
3. Sri Bidhan Chowdhury, M.Sc., SACT II.
4. Sri Rakesh Maji, M.Sc, Alumnus Trainee-Teacher.

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2. Dr. Jnanojjal Chanda, M.Sc., Ph.D., Associate Professor.
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2. Dr. Dipak Kumar Hens, M.Sc., Ph.D., Assistant Professor.
3. Smt. Manisha Halder Biswas, M.Sc., Assistant Professor.
4. Smt. Sudeshna Pal, M.Sc., SACT I.
5. Sri Subhadip Ghosh, M.Sc., Alumnus Trainee-Teacher.

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2. Sri Susobhan Mondal, M.Sc., Assistant Professor.
3. Ms. Anuva Barman, M.Sc., Assistant Professor.
4. Sri Biplab Banerjee, M.Sc., G.L.I.
5. Smt. Sumana Kaviraj, M.Sc., SACT II.
6. Sri Jyotirmoy Panja, M.Sc., SACT II.

### **Dept. of Mathematics**

1. Dr. Subhendu Ruidas, M.Sc., Ph.D., Assistant Professor.
2. Sri Biswajit Barat, M.Sc. M.Tech., (Invitee).
3. Mr. Mustak Mandal, M.Sc., Alumnus Trainee-Teacher.
4. Ms. Sanchita Mandal, M.Sc., Alumnus Trainee-Teacher.

### **Dept. of Computer Science**

1. Sri Subhajit Dey, M.C.A., SACT II.
2. Sri AjoyDey, M.Sc., (Invitee).

## **Dept. of Physical Education**

1. Sri Swarup Mukherjee, M.P.Ed., SACT II.
2. Sri Amit Paramanik, M.P.Ed, Alumnus Trainee-Teacher.

## **Dept. of Social Work**

1. Sri Sujan Banerjee, MSW,(Invitee)[Under the supervision of Dr. R. Saha]
2. Sri Prashanta Khan, MSW,(Invitee)[Under the supervision of Dr. R. Saha]

## **Central Library**

1. Dr. Manas Kumar Ganguli, M.A., Ph.D., MLIS., Librarian
2. Sri Samiran Rakshit, Invited Library Assistant

## **Non-Teaching Staff**

### **Class - III Staff**

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|-------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| 1. Sri Asoke Kumar Gain | - | LDC & Head Clerk (In-Charge) |
| 2. Sri Ayananta Lohar   | - | LDC & Cashier (In-Charge)    |

### **Class - IV Staff**

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|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| 1. Sri Debasis Biswas          | - | Bearer                      |
| 2. Smt. Kunti Dom              | - | Sweeper                     |
| 3. Smt. Lilabati Bhattacharyay | - | Lab. Attendant of Chemistry |
| 4. Sri Pradip Nag              | - | Guard                       |
| 5. Sri Lakshmi Kanta Mandi     | - | Lab. Attendant of Zoology   |
| 6. Smt. Bony Roy               | - | Lib. Peon                   |
| 7. Sri Swapan Ankure           | - | Peon                        |

### **College Contractual Staff (Non-teaching)**

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|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Sri Pradip Dey    | 2. Sri Shankar Das | 3. Samar Ali Khan | 4. Sri Asis Pal |
| 5. Sri Biswanath Roy | 6. Amaresh Bagdi   | 7. Sushanta Gorai | 8. Amit Das     |



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## GOVERNING BODY

1. Sri Surajit Mukherjee, -President.
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7. Mr. Arpan Bhattacharya - University Nominee.
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9. Dr. Dipak Kumar Hens - Teachers' Representative.
10. Dr. Manas Kumar Ganguli - Teachers' Representative.
11. G.S. of Students' Council - Students' Representative.

**BURSAR** : Dr. Ratul Saha, Associate Prof. of Economics.

**IQAC Co-ordinator:** Dr. Jnanojjal Chanda, Associate Prof. of Chemistry.



A Seminar on Interaction cum exhibition to Encourage School Students in Higher Education  
By Internal Quality Assurance cell (IQAC), Sonamukhi College In Association with Sonamukhi B.C Boys'  
High School and Sonamukhi Girls' High School.

### **'We and ours' – Beyond the Teaching-Learning-Evaluation:**

A new horizon, beyond the syllabus, for students, is evidenced in the air, in the web, in some social media. Some of the ideas: Quiz, Painting, Drawing, Slogan, food preparation and photography competitions. A tremendous amalgamation of Guests, resource persons, delegates, participants, judges, conveners and virtual platforms throwing out the constraints of language, culture and region.

## List of programmes organized by the College during Academic Year 2023-24

- 1) Doctors' Day Celebration by Plantation on Roof-top of Science Building organized by Sonamukhi College Eco-club on July 01, 2023.
- 2) Fit India Freedom Run 4.0 organized by NSS Unit, Sonamukhi College on July 01, 2023.
- 3) Tree Plantation Programme on the occasion of Aranya Saptaha organized by NCC & NSS Unit, Sonamukhi College on July 28, 2023.
- 4) Dengue Awareness & Activity Programme as per Vide memo No: 698(31) – Edn(U)/2023 dt.31.07.2023 organized by Sonamukhi College Eco-club in collaboration with NSS on August 09, 2023.
- 5) Add on course on “ORNAMENTAL FISH INDUSTRY AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP PERSPECTIVES” at the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College



One Day State Level Seminar on Artificial Intelligence and Related Topic organized by Dept. of Computer Science in Association with IQAC, Sonamukhi College, Sonamukhi, Bankura on June, 8<sup>th</sup> 2023

Celebration of World Animal Day at the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College on 04 October 2023



- 6) Awareness Programme On “Fight Against Mosquito Borne Diseases: Emphasis on Dengue, Malaria and Filaria” organized by Sub-committee for Healthy Practices, Students' Counselling & Health Home, Sonamukhi College, Sonamukhi, Bankura on August 25, 2023.
- 7) Two Day National Level Seminar on Role of Commercial Banks in Microfinance through SHG and Narishakti Exhibition organized by department of Economics, Social Work Sonamukhi college on September 7 & 9, 2023.
- 8) Celebration of World Animal Day at the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College on 04 October 2023.
- 9) Celebration of Freshers and Farewell Ceremony at the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College on 06 October 2023.
- 10) Pre-RD Selection Camp at BKU organized by NSS Unit, Sonamukhi College on October 09, 2023.



- 11) One Day National Seminar On “Chemical and Environmental Sciences, Emerging dimensions and Challenges Ahead” organized by Department of Chemistry & IQAC, Sonamukhi College in association with Indian Photobiology Society, Kolkata on October 18, 2023.
- 12) Swachhata Activity organized by NSS unit of Sonamukhi College on October 25, 2023.
- 13) Physical Verification and Activities of Eco-environment after Durga Puja organized by Sonamukhi College Eco Club on November 06, 2023.
- 14) Faculty Exchange Program at the Department of Zoology, Sonamukhi College on 24 Nov 2023.
- 15) Pre-RD Selection Camp at Bhuvanewar organized by NSS unit of Sonamukhi College on November 25, 2023.
- 16) Rock Climbing Demo and Mou with Mainak organized by NCC unit of Sonamukhi College on November 25, 2023.
- 17) World Aid’s Day organized by NCC & NSS unit of Sonamukhi College on December 01, 2023.
- 18) Election Awareness Programme held on 5th December’ 2023, 11.30 a.m at Sonamukhi College by Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) , Sonamukhi College in association with B. D. O Office, Sonamukhi.



### “International Yoga Day Celebration”

- 19) Blood Donation Camp organized by NSS unit of Sonamukhi College on December 01, 2023.
- 20) Students’ Week Celebration: Campaign on Plantation Awareness organized by Eco-club, NCC Units & NSS of Sonamukhi College on January 04, 2024.
- 21) National Youth Day Celebration organized by Eco-club, NCC Units & NSS of Sonamukhi College on January 12, 2024.
- 22) 127<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose organized by Eco-club, NCC Units & NSS of Sonamukhi College on January 23, 2024.
- 23) One-day FDP on Research Data Management: The Basics for the Researchers: organized by Seminar Committee, Central Library, and RDC in association with IQAC on January 24, 2024.
- 24) India’s 75<sup>th</sup> Republic Day Celebration: Eco-club, NCC Units & NSS on Jan 26, 2024.

**Tree Plantation Program**  
**Organized by:**  
**Sonamukhi College Eco-club, NSS & NCC Units**  
**(08.04.2024 & 09.04.2024)**



**Image from Departmental Study Tour conducted by Bengali Dept.**



- 25) "Awareness Campaign on Man-Animal Conflict, Livelihood and Biodiversity Preservation" organized by department of zoology in association with IQAC, Sonamukhi College on February 6 & 7, 2024.
- 26) Webinar to Celebrate National Science Day on February 28, 2024.
- 27) A seminar on Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) organized by NSS, NCC, ELC Sonamukhi College in association with BDO Sonamukhi Block on March 03, 2024.
- 28) ICPR Sponsored Two-day periodical Lecture & International Seminar on "Philosophical Contribution of Contemporary Thinkers" organized by department of Philosophy, on 20 – 21 Mar, 2024.
- 29) Roof-top & Ground Plantation: Organized by Eco-club, NCC & NSS on April 08, 2024.
- 30) Joint seminar by Sonamukhi College and Panchmura Mahavidyalaya on Mother Tongue and NEP 2020. Organized by department of Bengali and IQAC on April 09, 2024.
- 31) One Day Workshop On "Bridging the gap: Hands-on Guide to Field Work & Documentation" jointly by Sonamukhi college and CFS. Initiative by Department of Bengali, Social Work, Central Library; IQAC, Sonamukhi College on April 19, 2024.
- 32) A Light on Earth Day: One Day National Level Seminar on "Wetlands and Environmental Sustainability: A Future Projection" organized by Dept. of Geography, Dept. of Chemistry and IQAC, Sonamukhi College, Sonamukhi, in association with South Asian Institute for Advanced Research & Development (SAIARD), Kolkata, West Bengal -700047 on April 22, 2024.



**Celebration of National Science-Day at the Department of Physics on 08 January 2024**

**Educational Tour of Philosophy Department to (Prakriti Path) Baranti Lake, Purulia on 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2023**



**Educational Excursion to Digha by the Department of Physical Education, 14/1/2024**

**EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION By DEPT. OF CHEMISTRY, 09/1/2024**



**Draft Programme and Course Structure with Credit Distribution: UG Degree Programmes with Single Major**

**Cell Includes: Number of courses X credit of each course**

Category of Course (credit)	Major (4)		Minor Stream (4)	Multi- disciplinary (3)	Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) (3)	Value Added Courses common for all (4)	Summer Internship (2)	Research Project/ Dissertation* (12)	TOTAL CREDIT/ NUMBER OF COURSES
	DSC	DSE								
SEM I	1X4 4		1X4=4	1X3=3	1X2=2	1X3=3	1X4=4			20-Jun
SEM II	1X4 4		1X4=4	1X3=3	1X2=2	1X3=3	1X4=4			20-Jun
<b>CERTIFICATE (total credit)</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4*</b> (ADDITIONAL)		<b>40</b>
SEM III	2X4= 8		1X4=4	1X3=3	1X2=2	1X3=3				20-Jun
SEM IV	4X4 16		1X4=4		1X2=2					22-Jun
<b>DIPLOMA (total credit)</b>		<b>32</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4*</b> (ADDITIONAL)		<b>82</b>
SEM V	3X4 12	1X4=4	1X4=4					1X2=2		22-Jun
SEM VI	1X4 4	3X4 12	1X4=4							20-May
<b>UG DEGREE (total credit)</b>		<b>64</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>124</b>
SEM VII	1X4 4	3X4 12	1X4=4							20-May
SEM VIII	1X4= 4	3X4 -12**	1X4=4							20-May
<b>UG HONS. (total credit)</b>		<b>96</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>		
<b>UG HONS. WITH RESEARCH (total credit)</b>		<b>84</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12**</b>	<b>164</b>

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