

Wission Vidyamanovida Mission Vidyamanovida

A Residential Autonomous College affiliated to University of Calcutta

Re-accredited by NAAC with 'Grade A'
College with Potential for Excellence

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Second Convocation

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Principal's Report

(1 July 2013 – 30 June 2014)

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★ Inception of the College and Its Brief History:

- Swami Vivekananda, after establishing the Ramakrishna Mission in 1897, wanted to revive the past glories of our motherland through an education which would combine in it the best elements of the oriental and the occidental cultures, the sacred and the secular, the material and the spiritual.
- With a view to giving shape to Swamiji's comprehensive scheme of education, the authorities of the Mission started this college, Vidyamandira in 1941 under the auspices of the Saradapitha, a branch of the Ramakrishna Mission, as an Intermediate Arts College. The college was affiliated to Calcutta University.
- The college was upgraded to a three-year degree college with effect from July 1960. Post-graduate teaching was introduced from the academic session 2006-2007.
- In 2010, the college was adjudged by the UGC as a 'College with Potential for Excellence'.
- ❖ In 2010 again, the college was conferred upon the status 'Autonomous' by the UGC and the State Government.
- In 2013, the college was re-accredited by NAAC with Grade A.
- ❖ To commemorate the 150th birth anniversary the college established 'Swami Vivekananda Research Centre' in 2013-14 session to run PhD programmes and other research activities. This centre has received the affiliation from Calcutta University.
- ❖ In 2014, the college has been adjudged by the UGC as a 'College with Potential for Excellence' for the second time.

★ Awards and Recognition:

★ The college has been **re-accredited by NAAC with Grade A w.e.f. 26 October 2013.**



NAAC Peer Team Report Handing Over Ceremony

★ The College has been awarded by the UGC as the College with Potential for Excellence for second time.

- ★ Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira has been given 'Certificate of Participation' in the 17th National Exhibition organized by Central Calcutta Science and Cultural Organisation for Youth.
- ★ Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira has become Joint Champion in the State Level Inter College Swami Tejasananda Quiz competition on the Life and Teachings of Swami Vivekananda held on 28 September 2013.
- ★ Microbiology Department of the College has been awarded BOOST-I by the Department of Biotechnology, Government of West Bengal.

★ College Profile:

Academic Programmes:

Undergraduate Programme

- Honours Course: 13
 - BSc Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Computer Science,
 Microbiology, Industrial Chemistry, Economics
 - BA Bengali, English, Sanskrit, History, Philosophy, Political Science

General Course: 12

- BSc Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Computer Science, Electronics, Statistics
- BA Bengali, Sanskrit, Philosophy, Political Science, History, Economics

Post Graduate Programme :

- MA Sanskrit, Bengali, Philosophy (introduced from 2013-2014 session)
- MSc Mathematics, Applied Chemistry

Research Programme :

 PhD – Bengali Language and Literature Studies (introduced from 2013-2014 session) and Sanskrit Language and Literature Studies (introduced from 2013-2014 session)

Certificate Course :

- Photography (introduced from 2013-2014 session) : 2 courses in the session
- Blood Donor's Motivation and Social Work : (introduced from 2013-2014 session) : 2 courses in the session

Add-on Courses :

- Spoken Sanskrit
- Communicative English
- First Aid Training
- New Courses introduced during the current session : 5



Student Profile:

Name of the Programme	Total no of students enrolled	Total No of SC	Total No of ST	Total No of OBC	Total No of PH
Undergraduate	516	93	10	40	8
Post Graduate	118	24	1	10	2
Certificate	140	20	0	3	0
PhD	28	8	0	4	0

* Admission details in 2013-14 session:

Name of the Programme	Total No of students Applied	Total No of students admitted
Undergraduate	3373	153
Post Graduate	362	53
PhD	49	28

* Faculty Profile:

Designation	Total No of teachers	No of Teachers having MPhil as highest qualification	No of teachers having PhD as highest qualification
Assistant Professor	25	2	10
Associate Professor	16	3	11
Government Part Time Teacher	4	0	0
Professor	1	0	1
Visiting Professor	90	3	58

Profile of other Staff members :

No of Administrative Staff	22
No of Technical Staff	11

Changes in Administration and in Monastic team :

- Br Prashanth has gone to Probationers' Training Centre at Belur Math for 2 years' training programme.
- O Br Tyagatmachaitanya (Br Sanjoy Maharaj) and Br Alokesh Maharaj were posted at Vidyamandira from this academic session. Br Tyagatmachaitanya has been appointed as Dy Controller of Examinations from this academic session. He is also taking classes for Philosophy students both at undergraduate and post graduate levels. Br Alokesh has been appointed the Hostel Superintendent of Vidya Bhavan.

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* Retirement and New Appointment:

o Retirement:

- Prof Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Head of the Department of Economics has retired w.e.f. 1 January 2014 after serving this college as 'Tutor' and 'Full Time' teacher for more than 36 years. Under his leadership, the academic performance of the department has immensely improved. Apart from the academics, he was involved in different cultural and literary activities of the college. Vidyamandira family conveys its sincere gratitude to Prof Tapan Kumar Ghosh and prays for his active and peaceful retired days.
- Prof Rajkumar Das, Associate Professor in the Department of Physics, has retired from 31st March 2014. He served this college nearly 22 years. An ex-student of this college Prof Das was instrumental in streamlining different administrative activities of the department.

O New Appointment :

- Manas Ranjan Bhowmik and Tamoghna Mondal joined in the Department of Economics on 6 May 2014. Sarbajit Manna joined in the Department of Computer Science on the same date.
- Arun Malick, Jahar Roy, Rabiranjan Roy, Prasenjit Nandy and Gopal Das joined as the administrative and technical staff of the college from the Month of June 2014.

★ Academic Activities of the College

Academic performance of the students :

o 2nd batch of the students under the 'Autonomous' college has passed out in June 2014. Our Controller of Examinations department has been able to publish the results within 3 weeks after the completion of the examination. Pass percentage both in undergraduate and post graduate level is 100. The following table shows the synopsis of the results of the 2nd batch of students (2011-2014) under the autonomous system.

Undergraduate Honours Course :

SI No	Subject	No. of Students	More than 60%	Highest Marks (Percentage)	Name of the Student
1	Bengali	12	9	69.13	Debodip Das
2	Chemistry	29	28	85.88	Bhaskar Rana
3	Computer Science	12	11	84.00	Bineet Kumar Ghosh
4	Economics	8	2	67.78	Agni Bose
5	English	9	2	69.25	Dipanjan Muhuri
6	History History	9	8.14	65.63	Rose Hossain
7	Industrial Chemistry	18	18	89.88	Sumanta Bera
8	Mathematics	15_	8	85.13	Saikatul Haque
9	Microbiology	12	12	86.00	Somnath Shee

10	Philosophy	11	3	69.38	Soumen Adhikary
11	Physics	17	16	84.38	Saheb Ghosh
12	Political Science	9	2	62.63	Swarnak Das
13	Sanskrit	9	8	83.89	Anup Mondal
	Total	170	127		

O Post Graduate Course :

SI	Subject	No. of	More	Highest Marks	Name of the Student
No		Students	than	(Percentage)	
			60%		
1	Applied Chemsitry	19	19	81.91	Suman Basak
2	Bengali	10	10	77.30	Surajit Chakraborty
3	Mathematics	12	12	78.20	Prasanta Khatua
4	Sanskrit	12	12	81.25	Sambhu Manna
	Total	53	53		

This 2nd batch of students has performed brilliantly in the external examinations like IIT-JAM, GATE, NET etc. The following table shows a brief description of this performance:

	B.A./B.Sc. Students' admission into Higher Rese	arch Institutions in 2014
	Bengali	Total No. of Students = 12
SI. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JU: 8, 9	2
2	BHU: 1, 3	2
	Chemistry	Total No. of Students = 29
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 3, 8, 13, 25, 30, 31, 32, 38, 53, 82, 91, 94, 97	29
2	Hyderabad Univ. (Gen: 3, 7, 19, 22); (SC: 1); (OBC: 7, 9)	7
3	TIFR, Mumbai	2
4	IACS	1
5	Pondicherry Univ	2
	Comp Science	Total No. of Students = 12
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JEST	2
2	Chennai Mathematical Institute	1

3	Pondicherry Univ:1, 2, 13, 15,	7
	Economics	Total No. of Students = 8
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	IIT-JAM (Statistics) : 285	1
2	Hyderabad Univerisity: 55	1
3	Kent University	1
4	CDS, Thiruvanantapuram	1
5	GIPE, Pune	1
6	Symbiosis School of Economics, Pune	2
7	IGIDR (For Interview)	1
	English	Total No. of Students = 09
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JU (Film Studies)	1
	History	Total No. of Students = 09
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JU: 16,17	2
2	Pondicherry Univ: 20	1
	Mathematics	Total No. of Students = 15
SI. No.	Mathematics Institution & Ranks secured	Total No. of Students = 15 No. of students selected
Sl. No.		
Mark Section Control of Control	Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 14, 16, 26, 33,	No. of students selected
1	Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 14, 16, 26, 33, 49, 55, 86	No. of students selected 15
2	Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 14, 16, 26, 33, 49, 55, 86 Vivekananda University	No. of students selected 15 5
2 3	Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 14, 16, 26, 33, 49, 55, 86 Vivekananda University TIFR, Bangalore Hyderabad University (Gen: 4, 5, 8, 11,13, 15);	No. of students selected 15 5
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1 2 3 4 5 Sl. No. 1 2	Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 14, 16, 26, 33, 49, 55, 86 Vivekananda University TIFR, Bangalore Hyderabad University (Gen: 4, 5, 8, 11,13, 15); (SC: 1) ISI,Kolkata Microbiology Institution & Ranks secured IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): Biotechnology: 8, 49, 68; Biological Science (IISc): 25, 67 Hyderabad University: Microbiology: 2, 3, 5, 6; Biochemistry: 2, 9	No. of students selected 15 5 2 7 1 Total No. of Students = 12 No. of students selected 5

5	JNU	6 (Bio Tech)
6	VU	3
7	NCBS	1
	Physics	Total No. of Students = 17
Sl. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	IIT-JAM (ranks within top 100): 13, 24, 25, 38, 41	15
2	JEST : 5, 10, 69, 72, 89	9
3	VU	7
4	ECOLE	1
5	ISM, Dhanbad	4
6	NGPE	2
SI. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JU	2
	Political Science	Total No. of Students = 9
SI. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	O.P. Jukdal Global Univerisity - Jindal School of International Affairs: Ranked - 4	1
2	JU	1
	Sanskrit	Total No. of Students = 09
SI. No.	Institution & Ranks secured	No. of students selected
1	JU: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9	5

Students qualified in NET/SET/GATE

SI	Subject	No of students qualified
1	Sanskrit	NET:8
2	Mathematics	NET : 2 ; GATE : 2
3	Applied Chemistry	NET : 2 ; GATE : 10
4	Microbiology (while completing their	3
	undergraduate course)	
5	Chemistry (while completing their	5 (approximate)
	undergraduate course)	



Academic Activities like seminar, extension lectures etc

O UGC-sponsored Seminars :

SI No	Organising Department	Speaker	Type of the Seminar	Topic	Date
1	Indian Cultural and Spiritual Heritage Department	Swami Bhajananandaji Maharaj, G Beckerlegge, R Balakrishnan, Sugata Marjit, Swami Tattwamayananda, Jayashree Mukherjee, Arun Ghose,	International	Swami Vivekananda's Ideas and Our Times: A Retrospect on His 150 th Birth Anniversary	21-22 Feb 2014
		U N Singh			

Memorial Lectures

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SI N o	Name of the Memorial Lecture	Speaker	Institute	Topic	Date
1	Foundation Day Lecture	Swami Suhitanandaji Maharaj	General Secretary, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission	Swamijir Shikshacinta & Vidyamandira	05.07.13
2	Swami Tejasananda Memorial Lecture	Ramkumar Mukhopadhyay	Adhyaksha, Granthan Bibhag, Visva-Bharati	Bharotiya Sahityer Oltihya	03.08.13
3	Rani Rasmoni Memorial Lecture	Swami Suviranandaji Maharaj	Asst secretary, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission	Bhigini Nivedita	15.08.13
4	Ambica Sarkar and Jadunath Majumder Memorial Lecture	Prof Basab Chaudhury; Sri Sanjib Chattopadhyay	Registrar, University of Calcutta; Renowned Writer		12.04.14
5	Indian Cultural and Spiritual Heritage Seminar	Swami Suparnanandaji Maharaj, Swami Sukhanandaji Maharaj	RKM Institute of Culture, RKM Ashrama, Assansol	-	10.05.14

O Departmental Seminar:

SI	Name of the	Speaker	Institute	Type of the	Topic	Date
No	Organising Department			Seminar		
1	Photography	Nemai Ghosh	Renowned Photographer	Regional	Photography	08.07.13
2	Bengali			Institutional Workshop	100 Years of Bengali Cinema : A Series of Film Shows	12 - 30.07.13
3	Bengali	Pracheta Gupta	Modern Writer of Bengali Literature	Regional	Sahityiker Mukhomukhi	06.08.13
4	Bengali	Soumitra Basu & Goutam Mukhopadh yay	Professors, Drama Department, Rabindra Bharati University	Institutional Workshop	Drama & Acting	2- 3.08.13
5	Bengali	Baridbaran Ghosh	Former Professor, Burdwan University	Extension Lecture	Samoyikpotr er Sampadonar Golpo	13.08.13
6	Bengali	Soumitra Sekhar	Professor, Dhaka University, Bangladesh	International Seminar	Sampratik Bangladesher Bangla Sahityer Gatiprakriti	07.01.14
7	Bengali	Babul Das,	President, Jagannath Mandir, Bangladesh	International Seminar	International Mother Tongue Day	21.02.14
8	Bengali	Dipika Mukherjee	Professor, Department of Anthropology, North Western University, Chikago, USA	Interntaional Seminar	Anthropologi cal Tools in Literature and Language Criticism	07.03.14
9	Bengali	Biswajit Roy, Ujjal Kumar Majumder,	Visva Bharati Calcutta University Burdwan University	State level Seminar	Swami Vivekanander Sahitya Bhavana	25.03.14

		Barid Baran Ghosh				
10	Physics	Rudra Sekhar Manna	Research Scholar, Max Plank Institute, Germany	International	Recent Trends of study in Low Temper ature in Condensed Matter	16.08.13
11	Mathematics	Kajal Das	Research Scholar, Ecole Polytechnique, France	International	Discrete Groups from Measure Theoretic View Point	24.08.13
12	Mathematics	Probal Chowdhury	Professor, ISI, Kolkata	Regional	History of Mathematics	7.9.13
13	Mathematics	Rudra Sarkar	Professor, ISI, Kolkata	Regional	Wierstrass' Approximatio n Theory	02.09.13
14	Mathematics	A B Raha	ISI, Kolkata	Extension Lecture	Cantor Bernstein Theorem	03.05.14
15	Chemistry	S Bagchi	Emeritus Professor, Presidency College	Regional	Thermodyna mics Revisited	26.08.13
16	Chemistry	Jagannath Mandal	Columbia University, USA	International Seminar	Simulating at Multiple Scale	09.01.14
17	Chemistry	Somnath Bakshi	University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA	International Seminar	Study of Spatial Biology	16.01.14
18	Chemistry	Prof Sabyasachi Sarkar	Emeritus Professor, IIEST, Kolkata	Extension Lecture	Valency and Bonding	19- 20.02.14
19	Chemistry	Supriyo Pratihar	Max Plank Institute, 20Germany	Extension Lecture	H NMR of Proteins	24.02.14
20	Chemistry	Prof Sanjay Bhar	Jadavpur University	Extension Lecture	Green Chemistry	07.04.14
21	Chemistry	Prof K P Dhara	Calcutta University	Extension Lecture	Mass Spectroscopy	10.04.14

22	English	Dr V J John	Professor of biblical Studies, Bishops' College, Kolkata		Discussion on Bible	31.08.13
23	English	Anjana Basu	Creative Writer	Extension Lecture	Creative Writing	07.09.13
24	English	Dipika Mukherjee	Professor, Department of Anthropology, North Western University, Chicago, USA	International Workshop	Migration, Travel and Modern Short Story	04- 12.03.14
25	Philosophy	Sanjukta Bhattacharya	Asst Professor, Uttarpara College	Extension Lecture	Freudian Methodology of Psycho- analysis and Its Development in 21 st Century	27.09.13
26	Political Science	Kuntal Mukhopadh yay		Extension Lecture	John stewart Mill : revision of Liberalism	27.09.13
27	Political Science	Prof Shibasis Cahtterjee	Dept of International Relations and Political Science, Jadavpur University	Extension Lecture	Realism and Neo-Realism in International Relations	01.03.14
28	Economics	Laltu Pore	Asst Director, Dept of Economics and Policy Analysis, SEBI	Extension Lecture	Educating Investors	07- 08.02.14
29	Microbiology	Dr Chinmoy Kr Panda	Asst Director, Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute	Extension Lecture	Molecular Genetics of Cancer	14.03.14
30	Microbiology	Dr Aloke Kr Sil	Calcutta University	Extension Lecture	Bioremediati on of Plastics	11.04.14
31	Sanskrit	Annada Sankar	Dantan Bhattar College,	State Level seminar	Swami Vivekanander	31.03.14

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32 NCC S P Singh		Extension	Role of NCC	05.01.14
		Lecture		

		Pahari, Subrata Sen	Former P Bethune	College	sanskrita Bhavana	
32	NCC	S P Singh	Colonel	Extension Lecture	Role of NCC	05.01.14
SI No	Weekly SemiName of theSpeaker	nar Institut	e	Topic	Type of the Seminar	Date
	Swami Sarvapriyananda Maharaj	_	oners' g Centre,	Modern Air Warfare : A Multimedia presentation	Regional	27.07.13
	Pushan Bag	3 rd yr st Microb the coll	iology of	Molecular Cloning of Gene : A General Approach	Students' Colloquium	18.08.13
	Swarnak Das	3 rd yr st Politica of the c	l Science	Kargil War : 1998	Students' Colloquium	18.08.13
	Br Prashant & B Diptanarayan	Monast Membe particip Uttarak relief	ers who pated in	Flood relief Operations in Uttarakhand run by Ramakrishna Mission	Regional	14.0913
	Amrita Chatterj SAFE		ınication,	Trash to Cash: Micro-enterprise development for urban poor	Regional	28.12.13
	Members of Swapnangan	Studen Vidyam		Swapnangan : Our Dream, Their Joy	Institutional	04.01.14
	Central Calcutta Science & Cultu Organisation fo Youth	ire		Science Exhibition	National	21- 25.09.13
	Prof Gautam Mukhopadhyay			Sirpur : The Sacred City	Institutional	11.01.14
	Dr Debiprasad Duary	Directo Birla Plantpo		'Mangal' Mission of India	Regional	18.01.14

o Colloquium :

SI No	Speaker	Institute	Topic	Date
1	Debasis Bhattacharya	A Psychiatrist and Painter	Use of Visual Language in Communication	07.09.13

Project Work or Industrial Training in different Institute and Industries :

Name of the Department	No of the students undergone projects/Training	Institutes/Industries
Microbiology	11	CSIR-IICB, Bose Institute, University of Calcutta- Rajabazar Science College Campus & Ballygaunge Science College Campus, ICMR- Virus Unit
Chemistry	29	IIT Kanpur, IIT Kharagpur, IIT Guahati, IISER Kolkata, Bose Institute, IIEST-Shibpur, University of Calcutta-Rajabazar Science College Campus & Ballygaunge Science College Campus
Industrial Chemistry	18	TRL Krosaki Refractories Ltd. Odisha, Calderys India Refractories Ltd. Katni, Madhyapradesh, ACC Cement Ltd Katni, MP, H & R Jhonson Mumbai, Maharashtra, Adiyta Birla Insulators, Gujrat, Hindustan National Glass Industries Ltd. Rishra, WB, ACC Cement Works, Chaibasa, Jharkhand
Applied Chemistry	20	Berger Paints India Ltd in Rishra, Kolkata, TCGL Science (Chembiotek), Kolkata, NCL PUNE, IISER-Kolkata, Himadri Chemicals & Industry LTD, IIEST(BESU), IIT Kharagpur, Central Glass & Ceramic Research Institute, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata

Four Endowment Lectures in four Departments :

Following Endowment Lectures have been instituted in the different departments of the college.

Prof Sabyasachi Sarkar Endowment Lecture in the Department of Chemistry;
 J L Dutta Memorial lecture in the Dept of Mathematics instituted by Sri Sisir
 Dutta, an alumnus;

- Prof Beetashok Bhattacharya Memorial Lecture in the Dept of Bengali instituted by Sri Souvik Kundu, an alumnus of the college;
- Prof Dilip Kumar Mukherjee Memorial Lecture in the Dept of Industrial Chemistry instituted by the ex-students of Ind Chem Dept.

Academic and Industrial Visit/Tour:

- Second year Industrial Chemistry Honours Students visited VECC on 30 August 2013.
- o Third year Industrial Chemistry Honours students visited VECC on 19 March 2014.
- o Industrial Chemistry students visited Haldia Refinery.
- First year and Second year Computer Science Honours students visited SIMCO Telecom on 16 September 2013.
- Second year M.Sc. Applied Chemistry students visited CGCRI on 15 November 2013.
- 42 students, 2 teachers and 1 monastic member of Mathematics Department went to Lucknow-Varanasi (24 August-29 August 2013) and participated in a Seminar on Mathematics at Dept of Mathematics at BHU.
- 23 students and 4 teachers of Sanskrit Department went to Varanasi (28.08-01.09.13) and took part in a seminar at Sampurnananda Sanskrit University, Varanasi.
- 22 students and 2 teachers of History Department went to Puri (31.08.2013 02.09.2013) and had an academic interaction session with the archeologists of ASI, Konark Circle, Odisha.

Placement:

Campus Recruitment Drive

- Second year M.Sc. Applied Chemistry students appeared in the preliminary level on-Campus interview by Vesuvius India Limited
- Twelve Second year M.Sc. Applied Chemistry students appeared in the on-campus interview by Sukhjit Starch and Chemicals Limited on 23 May 2014 at Vidyamandira. Four students were selected.
- Three Second year M.Sc. Applied Chemistry students appeared in the interview arranged by Calderys India Refractories Limited at Nagpur. One student was selected.
- Mitra S K Pvt. Ltd. recruited one student through off-campus interview.
- B.Sc third year and M.Sc students appeared in the interview by TCS on 27
 March 2014 at Salt Lake

Career Counseling:

 Captain G. K. Sehgal from Institute of Competition and Success, Kolkata delivered a talk on scope and opportunities in NDA, CDS, TES, SSB and other defense services on 9 April 2014.

Research Work:

Faculty Members:

Minor Research Projects funded by UGC – Completed: 2
 (Prof Bhabesh Roy in Physics and Prof Santanu Moitra in Microbiology)
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- Minor Research Projects funded by UGC Initiated: 3
 (Swami Shastrajnananda in Bengali, Swami Kirshnanathananda in Philosophy and Prof Subrata Roychowdhury in Photography)
- Prof Santanu De availed Leave under Faculty Development Programme of UGC for PhD completion.
- Prof Syed Sahid Riaz went to University Catholique De Louvain of Belgium for his Post-Doctoral Research.

Publication:

O Institutional Publication:

- The college has been assigned an ISSN for its journal 'Vidyamandira Patrika A Multi Disciplinary Journal'
- The college has also been assigned 10 ISBN for publishing books and monographs.
- The first issue of the Journal, 'Vidyamandira Patrika A Multi Disciplinary Journal', was published in the month of October 2013.
- Vidyamandira Patrika, the college magazine has also been published in 2013 under the editorship of Prof Tapan Kumar Ghosh.
- Department of History published a seminar proceedings in October 2013.

Faculty Publication :

- Article Published in Journal/Books : 35 (International 2; National 29;
 State 4)
- Published Books (as Single Author or Co-author) and/or Editor: 8 (National 8)
- Article Published in Seminar Proceedings: 26 (National 23; State 3)

Students' Publication :

- Article Published in Journal/Books : 2 (International)
 - Two groups of student of Industrial Chemistry 3rd yr have published two research papers in the journal of Royal Society of Chemistry, England and Advanced Science and Engineering and Medicine, USA.
- Article Published in Seminar & Conference Proceedings: 9
 (International: 2, National 3, State 4)

Award and Participation in Seminars etc:

o Faculty:

- Prof Subrata Roy Chowdhury has obtained 'Performance Award' in 'The Humanity Photo Awards, 2013' by 'The China Folklore Photographic Association (CFPA)', UNESCO.
- No of seminars where Faculty members were invited as Resource Persons 26
- Principal was resource person in 2 Orientation Programmes and 2
 Refresher Courses.

o Student:

- Best paper award in State Science Congress by Ashis Ghosh and their group; 3rd year Industrial Chemistry students at Burdwan University; 21.02.2014.
- No of seminars where students presented papers : 5
- ❖ First Convocation: First convocation of the autonomous college was held on 7 January 2014. Prof Dhrubajyoti Chattopadhyay, Hon'ble Pro-Vice Chancellor (Academic), University of Calcutta, delivered the Convocation Address. Sri Bratya Basu, Hon'ble Minister of Education, Government of West Bengal, was the Chief Guest and Revered Srimat Swami Suhitanandaji Maharaj, General Secretary, Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission, presided over the occasion.



Service Activities (Extension and Outreach Programs):

- Activities of NSS Wing of the College :
 - Brahmananda Book Bank:

Many students are there in the schools that come from very poor families and cannot afford to purchase books for studying in school. To help those students, NSS wing formed a book bank named Brahmananda Book Bank. Through this book bank, books, pens and exercise copies were distributed to the students of Belur Girls' School on 27th July, 2013.

Number of student beneficiaries: 15 girls of class XI

Number of exercise copies distributed: 75

Number of pens distributed: 15 Number of books distributed: 87

• Eco Club:

To keep the pollution under control and make the environment greener, NSS wing created an Eco Club on 19th August, 2013. Eco Club takes care of plants in the college campus and also spreads awareness among the youth of the society about the importance of planting trees.

Number of members: 34

Working days: two days in a week

• First Aid camp:

NSS wing of Vidyamandira conducts a First Aid camp every year. The aim of this camp is to provide students with basic skills to be able to respond to any first aid emergency until a medical professional arrives.

Dates of the camp: Three days, 26, 27, 28 of August, 2013

Number of participants: 115 Hours: three hours everyday

General health checkup camp:

Ill health is the cause of many diseases among the youth. So, to make students aware of the condition of their health, NSS wing organized a one day general health checkup camp on 8th September 2013.

Name of doctors: Dr. Samir Naskar, Dr. Chaitali Mukherjee, Dr. Rahul

Chatterjee, Dr. Ajanta Banerjee, Dr. Minakshi Choudhury



General Health Checkup Camp

Number of students who received health checkup: 450

NSS special camp:

NSS wing also organized special camps. A university level certificate course on Social Service—Blood Donors' Motivation was offered to students in collaboration with West Bengal Blood Donors Association in this camp. The four-day course aims to build up an army of trained honorary blood donor motivators in the community who in turn will be capable of motivating, recruiting and retaining voluntary blood donors and imparting scientific education on blood and blood donation to common people as well as to school students – the donors of tomorrow. It was conducted twice this year.

1st phase held on: 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 of September 2013

Number of students: 30, Hours: 16

2nd phase held on:10, 11, 12, 13, 14, of February 2014

Number of students: 30

Hours: 16

Pre-Saradotsay Cloth distribution:

Saradotsav is known to all as a celebration of joy and happiness. But unfortunately some children cannot fulfill their dreams of having a new dress like others in our so called modern society. To fulfill the dreams, NSS wing formed a survey team which went to nearby schools and distributed coupons to the needy students. The children came to receive the clothes with their guardian on 01.10.2013. The smile in the faces of those children after receiving the dresses was worth remembering.

Total number of children beneficiaries: 120

Blood donation camp:

Blood is life. Many people in our country die due to lack of blood when required. Some people are there who are scared of donating blood. Therefore to increase the blood donation awareness and to remove fear in the people, NSS wing organized three blood donation camps.

Blood collected by NRS hospital on 22.09.2013: 100 donors
Blood collected by Hemophilia Society on 22.09.2013: 100 donors
Blood collected by Ramakrishna Mission Seva Pratishthan on 15.02.2014: 100 donors.

National foundation for communal harmony:

Every year the NSS volunteers go out to raise funds for National Foundation for Communal Harmony. This year on 16.01.2014 the students set out for this task in the morning and returned in the evening. The collected money was sent to National Foundation for Communal Harmony, New Delhi (An autonomous organization under the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India)

Groups: 22

Number of volunteers: 115

Area: Kolkata, Howrah and surrounding areas

Total collection: Rupees 32700

Free Coaching:

We hear of coaching centre, tuition centre everywhere. But money is an important factor in those coaching centres. Students with poor financial background cannot think of going to those centres. So volunteers of NSS wing started coaching the needy students from this locality in collaboration with Janashikshamandira.

Number of teachers: 4 Number of students: 8

❖ Activities of the NCC Wing of the college: A separate unit of the senior N.C.C. (Army) has been in existence in the Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira since August 1959. One of our teachers, Sri Arup Kumar Dhabal, has completed his Pre-Commissioned Training on 18th February 2006 and has taken charge as the ANO of the Vidyamandira NCC Unit. Swami Pratibodhananda is presently the monk-in-

charge of the NCC wing. The NCC wing of the college is fully funded by Govt. of India and State government of West Bengal.



• Enrollment: 2013-14

Training	Fear No. of Cade Enrolled (A)	from the prev (B)		otal Strength =(A+B)
2013-14	52	55		107
	• Examination :	2013-14		
Training	No. of cadets	No. of cadets cleared	No. of cadets	No. of cadets
Year	Appeared for "B"	"B" certificate	Appeared for "C"	cleared "C"
	Certificate	examination	Certificate	certificate
	examination		examination	examination
2013-14	20	20	04	04
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Camps Conducted: 2013-14

Training Year	Name of the camps	Date	Duration of the camps (days)	Conducting unit	No. Of cadets attended	No. of ANO attended
2013-14	CATC-I	28-05-13 to 06- 07-13	10	ATI Dasnagar	30	01

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CATC- VII	13-09-13 to 22- 09-13	10	Lt. Kanchrapar a Regt.	05	
For SSB	28-05-14 to 06- 06-14	10	Nagpur (OTA Kamptee)	O2 Aniruddha Ghosh (JUO) & Soumitra De (SUO)	

• Flag Day Collection:

Every year the cadets of the wing collect a huge amount of money from the local areas for "Armed Forces Flag Day".

Training Year	Amount (in Rs.)
2013-14	21475.00

Scholarship and Award :

Sl. No.	Name	Department	Training Year	Particulars of Scholarship / Award	Amount
3	Debasis Patra	Sanskrit	2013	Sahara	12000.00
4	Ganesh Kanra	Philosophy	2013	Sahara	12000.00
5	Jeet Bhattacharya	Sanskrit (RKMVU)	2013	Sahara	12000.00
6	Ranjan Nayak	Bengali	2013	Sahara	12000.00
7	Sanjoy De	Bengali	2013	Sahara	12000.00
8	Suresh Das	Bengali	2013	Sahara	12000.00
9	Saibal Acharya	Sanskrit (RKMVU)	2013	Sahara	12000.00

Other Activities :

- World Forestry Day was observed by the wing on 21.03.2013
- 13 cadets of the wing provided Guard of Honour to the Peer Team of the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) on 03.10.2013.
- 10 cadets of the wing provided Guard of Honour to Smt. Smriti Irani, Honourable Minister of Human Resource and Development, Govt. of India on the occasion of the Convocation Ceremony of Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University on 04.07.2014.

Youth Conventions:

- A Residential State level Youth Convention was organized in collaboration with Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda University on 18-20 June 2013.
 (approx. 650 delegates)
- Another half-day Local Youth Convention was organized by the college in collaboration with Ramakrishna Mission Vidyamandira Alumni Association on 15 September 2013. (approx. 500 delegates)

 Swami Tejasananda Quiz Competition on the life and teachings of Swami Vivekananda was held on 28 September 2013 where 35 college teams took part.

Students' Initiative :

Swapnangan: A group of students on their own initiative formed an organization named 'Swapnangan' which raised more than Rs 40,000.00 for helping the needy students of rural areas of West Bengal.



• Swamiji Work Circle: Another group of students has formed a same type of organization and has distributed books, school bags, writing materials etc to the financially poor children of a school of a neighbouring area.

Other Extension Activities of the College:

- The college has collaborated with **JBNSTS** to conduct its talent search examination on 29.09.13.
- The college has offered its infrastructure to the West Bengal College service Commission to conduct its SET Examination 2013.

★ Cultural Activities and Excursions:

Intra-College Competitions:

- Total No of Competitions organized: 10
- Names of the Competitions: Extempore Speech, Rabindra Sangeet (Vocal),
 Devotional Song (Vocal),
 Tabla Lahara, Drama, Drawing, Debate, Sanskrit
 Recitation, English Recitation, Quiz, Inter-Bhavan (Hostels) Wall Magazine
- Total No of Participants: 190 (approximate)

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Inter-College Competitions:

- Inter-College Recitation Competition: The Cultural Sub-committee of the college organized an inter-college Bengali recitation competition to commemorate the 150th birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda. This competition was held on 22nd March, 2014 and 39 candidates from 18 colleges/ universities participated there. Sayak Misra of our college was awarded the second prize.
- Quiz Competition on Swami Vivekananda: Swami Tejasananda memorial Inter-College Quiz Competition was held on 28th September, 2014. Students of 35 different colleges/universities took part in it. The team from our college stood joint first.

Participation in Off-campus Cultural Competitions :

The students of Vidyamandira also took part in various cultural competitions outside the college. Following students distinguished themselves in various inter-college competitions held in 2013-14:

SI No.	Competition	Name of student with rank	Organized by
1.	Dhaturupa Kanthapatha	Asim Ruidas (1 st)	Rashtriya Sanskrita Sansthan
2.	Aksharasloki	Soumen Chakraborty (2 nd)	Rashtriya Sanskrita Sansthan
3.	Samasyapurti	Jeet Bhattacharya (3 rd)	Rashtriya Sanskrita Sansthan
4.	Essay Competition	Mahadev Barman (1 st)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
5.	Essay Competition	Madhusudan Manna (3 rd)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
6.	Essay Competition	Shubham Dutta (4 th)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
7.	Sanskrit Recitation	Anup Mondal (1 st)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
8.	Sanskrit Recitation	Saktisankar Panda (2 nd)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
9.	Sanskrit Recitation	Ashesh Baidya (4 th)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
10.	Elocution	Ranit Paul (3 rd)	Ramakrishna Math, Baghbazar
11.	Cartooning	Arnab Ghosh (1 st)	Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Kolkata.
12.	Debate	Ranit Paul (1 st)	Bally Municipality
13.	Debate	Ranit Paul (1 st)	Ashutosh Granthagar, Bally
14.	Debate	Ranit Paul (1 st)	Belur Granthagar, Belur
15.	Extempore Speech	Ranit Paul (1 st)	Youth Festival, ISKCON, Kolkata
16.	Quiz	Ranit Paul (2 nd)	Youth Festival, ISKCON, Kolkata
17.	Quiz	Sarbajit Ghosh (2 nd)	Youth Festival, ISKCON, Kolkata
18.	World Cup Foodball Quiz	Ranit Paul (3 rd)	DYFI, Kolkata
19.	Extempore Speech	Mahadev Barman (2 nd)	RKM Institute of Culture Kolkata.
20.	Elocution	Mahadev Barman (3 rd)	RKM Institute of Culture Kolkata:
21.	Extempore Speech	Subrata Banerjee (9 th)	RKM Institute of Culture

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			Kolkata.
22.	Elocution	Subrata Banerjee (9 th)	RKM Institute of Culture
			Kolkata.
23.	Language Quiz	Sarbajit Ghosh (1 st)	Jadavpur University,
		Ranit Pal (1 st)	Kolkata.
		Sourabh Manna (1 st)	
24.	Language Quiz	Sarbajit Ghosh (1 st)	St. Xavier's College,
	(Sabdabaji)	Ranit Pal (1 st)	Kolkata

Cultural Festivals:

- The Cultural Sub-committee organizes various cultural programmes throughout the year. Last year the committee organized the following programmes:
 - Bhratrivaran: It was held on 8th August 2013. Beside the Vidyarthivrata Homa a cultural programme was organized in the evening where mainly students of newly admitted first year of both PG and UG performed. After this the members of Yogesh Mime Academy, Kolkata performed there.
 - Saradotsav: It was held on 3rd October on the eve of Sri Sri Durgapuja. The students, teachers and as well as the non-teaching staffs of the institution performed various art forms like music, recitation, drama, etc. Coincidentally, it was during the visit of the NAAC peer team and the members of the NAAC team were present there.
 - National Youth Day: On 12th January, 2014, students of Vidyamandira took part in the National Youth Day celebrations. They joined in a procession from our college to Belurmath singing devotional songs. A group of students comprising Sarbajit Ghosh, Riju Basu, Sumitro Bhattacharya, Sayan Bhattacharya and Shourjya Ghosh performed the drama 'Arani'.



 Saraswati Puja: A cultural programme was organized on the evening of 4th February, 2014 as a part of the celebrations on Sri Sri Saraswati Puja.

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- Sri Nilanjan Das played flute on the occasion and he was ably supported by Sri Krishnendu Das in Tabla.
- Birthday (Tithipuja) of Bhagavan Sri Ramakrishna: On the holy occasion of 179th birth anniversary of Bhagavan Sri Ramakrishna, a procession was organized by our college in which students of Vidyamandira went to Belur Math singing devotional songs.
- Rabindrajayanti and Barshavaran: The committee also organized Rabindrajayanti and Barshavaran on April 19, 2014. Besides the performances by the students, teaching and non-teaching staffs, there was a special (musical) tribute to Dwijendralal Roy (on his 150th birth anniversary) by Prof. Tapan Kumar Ghosh.

Cultural Performance outside the Campus :

- 'Triratna Nivedita', a group of students comprising Tuhit Chakraborty, Sarbajit Ghosh, Tridip Chakraborty, Bakreswar Panda, Tushar Kanti Das, Swarup Dey, Nityananda Naskar, Ritam Chatterjee and Kallol Banerjee staged a musical narration at Sinthi Ramakrishna Sangha on 2nd March, 2014.
- Sayan Bhattacharya, a student of UG 2nd year, performed the opening song on 29th January, 2014 in one of the sessions of All India Youth Convention, 2014 (commemorating 150th birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda) organized by Ramakrishna Math and Ramakrishna Mission. He also supported Swami Kripakarananda in a vocal performance at Cossipore Udyanbati on 3rd January, 2014.
- Debabrata Ganguly, currently a student of M.Sc. (1st year), assisted Swami Kripakarananda in a vocal performance at Karunamoyi Kalibari, Tolleygunj on 15th April, 2014 and at Andul Kalikirtan Samity on 13th April, 2014.
- On 11th November, 2013, the day of Sri Sri Jagaddhatri Puja, students of Vidyamandira presented some devotional songs at Ramakrishna Mission Saradapitha, Belurmath.
- 6 students participated in the State Level Youth Convention at Advaita Ashrama, Kolkata on 18 august 2013.
- 51 students participated in State Level Youth Convention held on 11
 September 2013 at Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture, Golpark.
- 6 students participated in a National level Youth Convention at Ramakrishna Mission Vidyapith, Deoghar on 20-21 September 2013. 1 student presented a paper in the convention and another student performed vocal music.

• Excursions :

Computer Science Dept :

- o Duration 9 August to 13 august 2013,
- o 22 students 3 teachers, 1 NT staff;
- Went to North Bengal (Dooars area)

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Mathematics Dept :

- Duration 24 August to 29 august 2013;
- 42 students, 2 teachers, 1 monastic member;
- Went to Lucknow-Varanasi;

Chemistry dept :

- o Duration: 27 august 31 August 2013
- o 53 students, 3 teachers, 1 monastic member
- Went to Vizag

Sanskrit Dept

- Duration: 28.08-01.09. 13
- 23 students, 4 teachers
- Went to Varanasi

History Dept

- Duration: 31.08.2013 02.09.2013
- 22 students 2 teachers
- Went to Puri

• Physics Dept:

- Duration: 24.08-29.08.2013
- Went to Cherrapunji-Shillong
- 32 students, 2 teachers, one monastic member

Microbiology Dept :

- o Duration: 25.08-29.08.2013
- Went to Deoghar
- o 39 students, 6 teachers, one non-teaching staff

Bengali Dept :

- o Duration: 04-04-07.04.2014
- Went to Puri
- o 60 students, 9 teachers, 2 Monastic Members

Economics Dept

- o Duration: Mid Feb, 2014
- Went to Ranchi
- o 19 Students 2 teachers.

Industrial Chemistry Dept

- o Duration: 14-17 February, 2014
- Went to Digha
- o 45 Students 1 teachers.

Scholarship & Stipend:

- No of students who received DST-INSPIRE Scholarship: 36
- No of Students as JBNSTS Scholarship: 3
- No of students who received Swami Vivekananda Merit-cum-Means scholarship from Government of West Bengal: 25

- No of students who received scholarship from College: 235
- Total Scholarship the college has disbursed: Rs 16,99,900.00

★ Sports and Games:



- The Sports Committee of the college conducts different indoor and outdoor games round the year. In 2013-2014, too, students participated enthusiastically in table-tennis, volleyball, football, cricket and athletics events. Sri Satyajit Chatterjee, renowned Ex-footballer of West Bengal, was the Chief Guest of the prize distribution of the Annual Athletics Meet held on 18 February 2014.
- The District Football Championship and Athletics Meet among the colleges of Howrah District were organized by our college this year. During 18-24 March and on 1 March 2014 respectively. A total 10 colleges from the district participated in the Football Competition in which Narasingha Dutta College became the Winners (Champion). At the Athletics Meet, 177 students (boys and girls) from 12 colleges enrolled themselves for the meet.

★ Governance, Infrastructure and Funding:

- ❖ Governance: Following list will give an outline of the governance of the college which conducts regular meetings of the different administrative bodies as shown below to deliberate upon academic, administrative, financial issues and other related matters.
 - No of Meetings of the Governing Body of the College: 3
 - No of Meetings of the Academic Council of the College: 2
 - No of Meetings of the IQAC: 4
 - No of Meetings of the Boards of Studies of different departments: Almost all the departments met at least once in the last year.

No of Meetings of the Finance Committee: 2

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- No of Meeting of the Grievance Redressal Cell: 1
- No of Meetings of the Teachers' Council: 4
- No of Meetings of the Vidyarthi Samsad: 3
- No of Meeting of the Equal Opportunity Cell: 1
- No of Meeting of the Placement Cell: 2
- Other Committees like Cultural Sub-Committee, Sports Sub-Committee, Magazine Sub-Committee, Seminar Sub-Committee etc of the Teachers' Council and Vidyarthi Samsad met at least twice in last year.



Infrastructure:

- No of Academic and Administrative Building: 5
- o Total No of Laboratories :
 - Physics: 6
 - Chemistry: 5
 - Microbiology: 4
 - Industrial Chemistry: 8
 - Computer Science : 3
 - Electronics: 1
 - Statistics: 1
 - Computer Lab for Bengali and Sanskrit: 1
- An Office for Swami Vivekananda Research Centre with Computer, Internet and Xerox facility
- No of Hostels for UG and PG students: 5 (Total capacity 640)
 Library:
 - No of Books ; 53341
 - No of Print Journals: 1670

No of E-books: 57666
No of E-journals: 3545
No of Manuscripts: 82

No of terminals for computerized catalogue search : 6

No of terminals for cataloguing : 5

Reading Room : capacity - 30

Long Term Section : total books – 5000

NET Library : total books - 1200

• Departmental Libraries: Each department has a library for the use of the faculty members and students.

One Common Internet surfing Centre: Total no of terminals - 45

No of Hostel for Research Scholar: 1 (capacity: 30)

No of Guest Rooms: 4

○ No of auditorium: 1 (capacity – 840)

o No of Seminar Halls: 2 (one with 160 and another with 190)

One kitchen-cum-dining hall: capacity – 700

One carpentry maintenance-cum-workshop

One Plumbing store

One Electrical goods store

One Book store

One 9 station Multi-Gym

Volleyball Grounds: 3

o Football-cum-cricket ground: 1

Table Tennis Boards: 6

One Multi-purpose Shop for students

One Xerox Centre

One Telephone Booth

One canteen



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Infrastructural Facilities (Newly built up or Added)

- A new Office for Swami Vivekananda Research Centre with Computer, Internet and Xerox Centre has been set up.
- Renovation and upgradation of Internet Kiosk with 35 computers and lease line broad band connection.
- 10 New classrooms are now ready for use.
- Guest rooms have been fully renovated.
- A concrete road has been constructed in the hostel campus.
- An air-ventilation system has been built up in the kitchen.
- A new Store Room for Books and Sound System Materials has been built.
- A new Manuscript Library and Journal Section of Bengali Dept have been set up.
- New Toilet facilities have been built up in Physics & Chemistry Depts.
- The college Medical Facilities have been improved with 4 physicians visiting the campus during day time and evening hours.
- The number of IT card phones in each hostel has been increased to three and a telephone booth with 10 mobile phones has been set up in the campus.
- ❖ Funding etc: The College is mainly funded by the Higher Education Department, Govt of West Bengal and University Grants Commission. Following table will show the details of the grant received during the year under discussion.

Grant Received during the year 2013-14				
Name of the Grant	Amount in	Amount in	Amount in Rs	
	Rs	Rs		
UGC Grant				
UGC Promotion to Basic Scientific Research		4200000.00		
UGC Autonomy Grant		2000000.00		
UGC Additional Assistance Grant		999330.00		
UGC MRP				
Bhabesh Roy (rest portion after completion of	8819.00			
the project)				
Santanu Moitra (rest portion after completion	33535.00			
of the project)				
Swami Shastrajnanananda (New)	118250.00			
Swami Krishnanathananda (New)	96500.00			
Subrata Roy Chowdhury (New)	97500.00			
		354604.00		
UGC Seminar				
Swami Vivekananda Seminar (New)	112500.00		10 F.I.	
Computer Science Seminar (New)	112500.00			
Microbiology Seminar (New)	112500.00	137	A TOTAL	
		337500.00		

UGC XII PLAN		
UGC XII Books	175000.00	NESCIZES IN CONTROL OF THE CONTROL O
UGC XII Equipment	175000.00	
UGC XII Remedial Coaching (Non-Recurring)	125000.00	
UGC XII NET/SET Coaching (Non-Recurring)	87500.00	
UGC XII Entry in Service (Non-Recurring)	125000.00	
		687500.00
UGC XI PLAN (Final Installment)		
UGC XI Dev Assistance Grant	726525.00	
UGC XI MS 1 (Improvement Facilities Premises	200000.00	
UGC XI MS 5(SC/ST/OBC & Min Stipend)	60000.00	
UGC XI MS 6 (Spl Grant for capacity building)	618909.00	
UGC XI MS 9 (College in Backward Area)	42630.00	
UGC XI MS 10(Equal Oppurtunity Centre)	74282.00	
UGC XI Remedial Coaching	401135.00	
UGC XI Entry in service	39475.00	
UGC Xi MS 14(i) Aurment for dis - abled persons	500000.00	
UGC XI MS 15(Career & Counselling Cell)	398260.00	
UGC XI Professional Course Major	160000.00	
UGC Jubilee Grant	250000.00	
UGC Kitchen Construction	240000.00	
		3711216.00
Total UGC Grant Received during the year 2013-1	4	12290150.00
WB State Govt Grant		
Pay Packet		
For Teachers & Other staff	49272533.00	
For Hostel Staff	4297230.00	
For Part Time Salary	889018.00	
		54458781.00
Other Grant		
Other Grant District Level Sports	100000.00	
	100000.00 150000.00	
District Level Sports		
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan	150000.00	
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan for Furniture	150000.00 949690.00	
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan for Furniture for New Building Construction	150000.00 949690.00 14300000.00	
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan for Furniture for New Building Construction for Need Based Scheme	150000.00 949690.00 14300000.00 990000.00	
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan for Furniture for New Building Construction for Need Based Scheme for Computer	150000.00 949690.00 14300000.00 990000.00 973245.00	80760935.00
District Level Sports for Vivekananda Sammelan for Furniture for New Building Construction for Need Based Scheme for Computer	150000.00 949690.00 14300000.00 990000.00 973245.00 63298000.00	80760935.00

Calcutta University Grant		
NSS Grant	22400.00	
NSS Special Camp	15000.00	
Total CU Grant received during the year 2013-14		37400.00
Total Grant Received during the year 2013-14		147547266.00

★ Our Future Plan:

- We are trying to increase the number of classrooms and laboratories. Old laboratories will also be modernized with latest facilities.
- We are contemplating to sign up MoUs with some premier research institutes of the state and the country
- Publication of refereed and peer-reviewed journals, students' research monographs, translation works will be the principal activities of 'Swami Vivekananda Research Centre'.
- Creation of a high quality research ambience in this college is our vision. We will
 fervently try to translate the ideal 'Lab to Land' into a reality.
- Reaching the marginalized section of the society and offering them the scope to cope with the fast changing world of knowledge will be our future 'Sadhana'.

★ Our Gratitude:

- We are grateful to Higher Education Dept of Govt of West Bengal for their generous financial support which is helping us in building up new infrastructure. We are also thankful to UGC for their financial assistance to sustain different schemes that are being undertaken during XIIth plan period. Our sincere thanks to all our donors, ex-students, well-wishers, Alumni Association of the college, Head Quarters Belur Math, RMIC, Golpark, Jindal Trust, SREI Foundation, Jaswanti Sud Trust and others for their support which has enabled us to take up different developmental schemes.
- Our thanks to the authority of University of Calcutta for their academic and administrative support in running this autonomous college.
- We convey our heartfelt gratitude to Sri Uttam Kumar Ghorai and his friends who are taking the huge number of theoretical and practical classes of Industrial and Applied Chemistry without taking any honorarium. Our sincere thanks to the students of Industrial and Applied Chemistry who are looking after their laboratories, which have no designated laboratory staff. Our sincere thanks to other honorary teachers and non-teaching staff members who are rendering their service with all devotion and sincerity.
- O I personally convey my gratitude to the monastic team of Vidymandira Revered Secretary Maharaj, Swami Divyanandaji, Vice Principal, Jt and Dy Controllers of Examinations, Superintendents and other Departmental In-Charges, Teaching Staff Prof Tanweer Alam Mazhari, IQAC Co-ordinator, Prof Satyabrata Roy, Secretary, Teachers, Council, Prof Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Editor of Vidyamandira Patrika and others, Sri Ranjan Biswas and other Non-teaching staff members and

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Hostel staff members for their constant support in maintaining the quality of this institute of higher learning and upholding the educational philosophy of Swami Vivekananda. I thank Swami Pratibodhananda, Sri Ranjan Biswas, Sri Tapas Saha, and others including student volunteers who have worked hard to make this Convocation a success.

Finally my thanks and gratitude to Prof Ananda Mohan Chakraborty, an illustrious alumnus of this college and Prof Sonali Chakravarti Banerjee, Hon'ble Pro-Vice Chancellor (B.A.&F.), University of Calcutta, who have inspired young learners of this college through their presence and addresses. My sincere thanks and respect to guests and guardians and my love and best wishes to the passed out and present students of Vidyamandira.

Let us pray to Sri Ramakrishna, Sri Ma Sarada Devi and Swami Vivekananda so that we may work as their true instruments in translating their epoch-making vision into a reality and thus become the worthy worshippers in this 'Temple of Learning' – the 'Vidyamandira'.



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