# Ramakrishna Sarada Mission Vivekananda Vidyabhavan

State-aided Girls' College
Affiliated to the West Bengal State University



College Prospectus

# HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE

Ramakrishna Sarada Mission Vivekananda Vidyabhavan is a partly residential degree college for women and the first educational institution established by the Ramakrishna Sarada Mission. The inaugural meeting to establish the college was held under the esteemed patronage of Revered Swami Madhavananda Maharaj, General Secretary of the Ramakrishna Math and Mission, and Revered Pravrajika Vedaprana Mataji. The college was officially founded in 1961 and was initially affiliated with the University of Calcutta. However, as part of a state initiative, its university affiliation was later changed to West Bengal State University.

A thirty bigha plot of land donated by the late Shree Debendranath Bhattacharya provided ample space for the construction of the college. Initially housed in a single-room makeshift structure with just thirty-one students and a small group of dedicated teachers and monastic members, the college has made significant progress over the years under the guidance of Revered Pravrajika Vedaprana Mataji, Revered Pravrajika Amalaprana Mataji, and Revered Pravrajika Bhaswaraprana Mataji. The current principal, Pravrajika Vedarupapranaji, is dynamic and motivated, consistently focused on innovating and modernising the college while remaining true to the educational principles of Swami Vivekananda.



The inaugural meeting to set up the college on the donated landof thirty bighas by D.N Bhattacharya at 33, Nayapatty Road,SouthDumDumtookplaceonthe10t



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# **AIMS AND OBJECTIVES**

The education offered at the college goes beyond the academic syllabus, incorporating a harmonious blend of academics, extracurricular activities, co-curricular training, and spiritual insights drawn from the teachings of Swami Vivekananda. Nestled in a tranquil and picturesque environment, the college aims to fulfil the true essence of education, focusing on the holistic development of students. The ultimate goal is to prepare them to become confident, compassionate, and responsible citizens. As Swami Vivekananda stated, "The uplift of women must come first; only then can any real good come about for the country, for India."



# **LOCATION**

The College is located at 33, Sri Maa Sarada Sarani (earlier Nayapatty Road), Dum Dum, Kolkata- 700045. It is 15 minutes' drive from the nearest metro stations, Belgachhia and Dum Dum, and is connected to both by regular bus and auto services. The bus routes include 3C, 3C/1, 3C/2, 30, 30D, 79B, 79C, 93, 221, 223, 219, 227, DN8 and DN18 (Bus Stop: Jessore road - Dum Dum Park and Shyamnagar). <a href="https://maps.app.goo.gl/r89UaXQpL4p1zhCVA">https://maps.app.goo.gl/r89UaXQpL4p1zhCVA</a>

# **WORKING HOURS**

(Monday to Saturday)

College Assembly and Prayers: 10:05 am

Classes: 10:15 am—04:45 pm

# **COLLEGE PREMISES**

Situated in the heart of the modern urban South Dum Dum locality of Kolkata, Ramakrishna Sarada Mission Vivekananda Vidyabhavan is spread over thirteen acres of lush greenery. The expansive college campus, a rarity among city colleges, nurtures a miniature self-sustained ecosystem within the busy, bustling metropolis.

From its inception back in 1961, the college has focused on creating and maintaining a green and eco-friendly campus, to provide a serene academic environment for both students and faculty. Thus, our unique campus provides an ideal ashram-like setting for the college, where the buildings are spread out across the sprawling campus and the spacious classrooms enjoy gorgeous views of the outdoor greenery.



### Followingarethebuildings insidethecampus:

- Main College Building –Principal's Chamber, Office, Classrooms, staffroom, photo-copy centre, AV room and smart classroom
- Nivedita Bhavan—Classrooms for UG
- Brahmananda Bhavan—Hostel
- Bharati Bhavan—Hostel
- Dayaprana Bhavan—Hostel Extension
- Muktiprana Sabhagriha—Auditorium
- Library
- Swamiji Bhavan—Examination Hall
- Vidyaprana Bhavan—Tutorial Block for Hostel Students
- Sarada Bhavan—Monastic Quarters
- Mokshaprana Bhavan—Guest House
- Prayer Hall

# **COLLEGE PREMISES**













# DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY

# **DEPARTMENT OF BENGALI**

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	17	17	SUDIPA KOLEY(2ND)
2019	19	19	
2020	12	12	
2021	21	21	SUSMITA GHOSH(1ST)
2022	12	12	
2023	24	21	SWARNALI DAS(1ST) SIMIKA SEN(6TH)

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	13	1	SWAPNA SARKAR 5 <sup>Tth</sup> NAMITA ADHIKARI 6 <sup>Tth</sup> INDRANI MONDAL 7th
2019	10	09	PALLABI MONDAL1 <sup>ST</sup> SHREOSHRI KARMAKAR 3 <sup>RD</sup> RITU POLLEY 5TH MITHU DAS 7TH BINA BALI 9TH
2020	09	09	MOUSUMI GHOSH1 <sup>ST</sup> SUPRIYA MONDAL 8 <sup>TH</sup>
2021	12	12	SARADA BERA 1 <sup>ST</sup> RIYA MONDAL 2 <sup>ND</sup> RARITRI PAUL 3 <sup>RD</sup> HRITU MUKHERJEE 8 <sup>TH</sup>
2022	14	14	TANUSREE MONDAL 1 <sup>ST</sup> SWAGATA SAHA 3 <sup>rd</sup> MOUMITA BISWAS 6 <sup>th</sup> PRITI ROY 8th
2023	13	11	ARPITA DALUI 1 <sup>ST</sup> USHA HAZARI 4 <sup>TH</sup> PRIYANKA GUIN 5 <sup>TH</sup> SMRITI MONDAL 8TH

# DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

YEAR	APPEARE D	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	10	10	AMRITA ROY 5 <sup>TH</sup>
			DEBJANI GUPTA 6 <sup>TH</sup>
			RIYA BANERJEE 7 <sup>TH</sup>
2019	5	4	DISHARI SAHA 4 <sup>TH</sup>
			SOUJITA PRAMANIK 6 <sup>TH</sup>
			ANURADHA PAUL 9 <sup>TH</sup>
2020	7	6	MANASI KOLEY 8 <sup>TH</sup>
2021	6	6	ANNESHA CHATTERJEE 1 <sup>ST</sup>
			ANKITA ROY CHOWDHURY 2 <sup>ND</sup>
			PRANTIKA DAS GHOSH 6 <sup>TH</sup>
			SANJUKTA DEY 9 <sup>TH</sup>
2022	7	7	PRITI MONDAL 2 <sup>ND</sup>
			ADRIJA ROY 3 <sup>RD</sup>
2023	2	2	PAUSHALI SARKAR 4 <sup>TH</sup>
			UMME HABIBA NASRIN 6 <sup>TH</sup>

### DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	8	8	TINNI GIRI 1 <sup>st</sup>
2019	15	15	ANWESHA SAHA 1st
2020	12	12	-
2021	11	11	AKANKSHA KRISHNATRE 1st SHREYOSY MAITI 3 <sup>rd</sup> SRIJANI PAL 4 <sup>th</sup> ABHISIKTA GHOSH 9 <sup>th</sup>
2022	08	08	-
2023	16	15	AHELI SEN 2 <sup>nd</sup> MADHURIMA BAIRAGI 4th

### DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

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2018	04	04	01	XXX
2019	03	03	XXX	XXX
2020	06	06	06	7 <sup>TH</sup> SOMA MONDAL, 10 <sup>TH</sup> SHILA ROUTH
2021	02	02	02	XXX
2022	05	05	05	2 <sup>ND</sup> PARBATI SOREN, 8 <sup>™</sup> SHILA SING
2023	09	09	09	2 <sup>ND</sup> JITA GHOSH CHOWDHURY, 6 <sup>TH</sup> BANDINI CHRABORTY, 10 <sup>TH</sup> BANABITHI BISWAS

### DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

	YEAF	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
	2018	15	15	NANDITA DAS 4 <sup>th</sup> ARPITA SARKAR 10 <sup>th</sup>
	2019	13	13	MADHUMITA GHOSH4 <sup>th</sup> ANURADHA BAIDYA8 <sup>th</sup>
ı	2020	11	11	XX
	2021	12	12	ANANYA BHATTACHARJEE9 <sup>th</sup>
	2022	12	12	SUPARNA DEY 1 <sup>st</sup> IPSWITA JAMAN 2 <sup>nd</sup> ARPITA ADHIKARY 6 <sup>th</sup>
	2023	7	6	KATHA KARMAKAR2 <sup>nd</sup> PRIYANKA MONDAL 7 <sup>th</sup>

# **DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	1	1	ENAKSHI CHAKRABARTY,7TH.
2019	1	1	X
2020	3	3	X
2021	1	1	TITI DUTTA,4 <sup>TH</sup> .
2022	1	1	X
2023	2	2	SUPRITI CHAKRABORTY,7 <sup>TH</sup> .

# DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	11	10	1. LISA DAS(6 <sup>TH</sup> )
2019	21	21	1. RINITA GHOSH(1 <sup>ST</sup> )
2020	21	21	1. SOMA DAS(1 <sup>ST</sup> )
2021	13	13	1. MANISHA JANA(6 <sup>TH</sup> )
2022	13	13	1. APARUPA MAITY(1 <sup>ST</sup> )
2023	18	18	<ol> <li>SUMANA PADMA(1<sup>ST</sup>)</li> <li>AYANTIKA PAL(2<sup>ND</sup>)</li> <li>SUSMITA POREY (10<sup>TH</sup>)</li> </ol>

### DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM & MASS

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2021	8	8	<ol> <li>ADITI BISWAS 1ST</li> <li>DEBATI SOREN 4TH</li> <li>JOYEETA CHOWDHURY 7TH</li> <li>SHILPA GHOSH 8TH</li> </ol>
2022	19	19	<ol> <li>SASWATI BISWAS 5TH</li> <li>SAYANTIKA BERA 7TH</li> <li>TITAS CHAKRABORTY 7TH</li> </ol>
2023	5	5	<ol> <li>BIDISHA ROY 1ST</li> <li>PROSOMI TADEY 10TH</li> </ol>

### **DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY**

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2018	08	08	JAYASHREE MONDAL 2 <sup>nd</sup>
2019	10	09	ANAMIKA MONDAL 2 <sup>ND</sup>
2020	09	09	NIL
2021	11	11	NIL
2022	16	16	NIL
2023	07	07	NIL

### **DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY**

YEAR	APPEARED	PASSED	UNIVERSITY RANK HOLDERS' NAMES WITH RANK
2021	11	11	SUSMITA JANA 1 <sup>ST</sup>
2022	18	18	
2023	20	17	SAYANTI SADHUKHAN 1 <sup>ST</sup>

# **ADMINISTRATION**

#### 1. The Managing Committee

The Managing Committee (MC) (GB) consists of monastic members from various centres of Ramakrishna Sarada Math and Mission, the Principal of the College, the Secretary, representative members from the teaching faculty (IQAC Coordinator and Teachers' Council Secretary), and the office (Office–in-charge). The MC is the highest authority of the College in so far as policy designing is concerned.

- Members:
- Pravrajika Jnanadaprana (President)
- Pravrajika Dhritiprana (VicePresident)
- Pravrajika Pradiptaprana (Secretary)
- Pravrajika Vedarupaprana (Principal)
- Pravrajika Dhyanaprana
- Pravrajika Somaprana
- Pravrajika Tapanadaprana
- Pravrajika Amritarupaprana (Office-in-charge)
- Pravrajika Amaleshprana (Treasurer)
- Dr. Chaiti Mitra (IQAC Coordinator)
- Dr. Saheli Roy Chowdhury (Teachers' Council Secretary)

#### 2 IQAC

- President: Pravrajika Vedarupaprana, Principal
- Coordinator: Dr. Chaiti Mitra, Associate Professor, Dept. of English
- Members:
- Pravarjika Amritarupaprana, Office-in-charge
- Dr. Gargi Gangopadhyay, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English
- Dr. Bidisha Chatterjee, Associate Professor, Dept. of Philosophy
- Smt. Tanju Datta, Associate Professor, Dept. of Education
- Dr. Anasua Chatterjee, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Sociology
- Smt. Parama Sarkhel, Librarian
- Dr. Sudakshina Gupta, Professor, Dept. of Economics, Calcutta University
- Sri. Kalyan Kumar Nandi, Ex Senior Accounts Officer, Govt. of India
- Sri Debashish Saha, Industrialist
- Smt. Arunima Kumar, (Alumni Representative)
- Smt. Sumedha Chowdhury, (Student Representative)

# **COURSES OFFERED (CBCS and NEP)**

### **B.A.** Major (Honours):

- 1. Bengali
- 2. Education
- 3. English
- 4. History
- 5. Journalism & Mass Communication
- 6. Philosophy
- 7. PoliticalScience
- 8. Sanskrit
- 9. Sociology

### **B.Sc. Major (Honours):**

- 1. Economics
- 2. Geography

### **Minor Subjects:**

- 1. Bengali
- 2. Education
- 3. English
- 4. History
- 5. Journalism & Mass Communication
- 6. Philosophy
- 7. PoliticalScience
- 8. Sanskrit
- 9. Sociology
- 10. Economics
- 11. Geography
- 12. Mathematics
- 13. Psychology
- 14. Human Rights

# **SUBJECT COMBINATIONS**

RAMAKRISHNA SARADA M	ISSION VIVEKANANDA	VIDYABHAVAN
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Subject Combination 2024

B. A. MAJOR (HONOLIRS)

	B.A. MAJOR (HONOURS)		
Name of the Honours	MINOR 1 (Any One)	MINOR 2 (Any One)	
Course			
Bengali	English, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology, Economics	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, History, Psychology, Mathematics, Education, Human Rights	
Education	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Mathematics, History	
English	Bengali, Economics, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Mathematics, Human Rights, Education, History	
History	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Human Rights, Education	
Journalism and Mass Communication	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology	Education, Human Rights, Mathematics, History	
Philosophy	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science, Sanskrit, Sociology	Education, Human Rights, Mathematics, History	
Political Science	Bengali, Economics, English, Sanskrit, Sociology	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Education, Human Rights, Mathematics, History	
Sanskrit	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Education, Human Rights, Mathematics, History	
Sociology	Bengali, Economics, English, Political Science	Geography, Journalism and Mass Communication, Philosophy, Psychology, Education, Human Rights, Mathematics, History	
	B.Sc. MAJOR (HONOURS)		
Name of the Honours	MINOR 1 (Any One)	MINOR 2 (Any One)	
Course			
Economics	English, Political Science, Sociology	Mathematics	
Geography	Economics, Political Science, Sociology	History, Mathematics, Education, Human Rights	
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#### **BENGALI**

Sm. Debrupa Das, M.A. Associate Professor

Sm. Anurima Saha, M.A. Assistant Professor

Sm. Dolon Bhattacharya, M.A., SACT1

Dr. Debarati Chakraborty, M.A, PhD, SACT1

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Pravrajika Ishtatmaprana, M.A., Monastic Faculty

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Associate Professor

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Associate Professor

### **VISITING FACULTY(PG)**

Prof. Ranjana Mukharjee, (Retd.) Rabindra Bharati University

Prof. Ratna Dutta Sharma, Retd. Prof, Jadavpur

University

Dr. Shibani Saha, M.A., M.Phil., PhD, Associate Professor,

Shyampur Siddheswari Mahavidyalaya

Sm. Sangita Dey Sarkar, M.A., M.Phil, Associate

Professor, Sammilani Mahavidyalaya

Dr. Malabika Chakrobarti, M.A., M.Phil, PhD, Assistant

Professor, Ananda Mohan College

# **ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF**

# **OFFICE STAFF**

	1	Pravrajika Amritarupaprana, M.A. <b>Office-in-charge</b>
		Sm. Susmita Das, B.Sc. <b>Typist</b>
	3	Sm. Moumita Mallick, M.Sc. Clerk
4		Sm. Sakina Khatun, M.Com.  Office Assistant (Part Time)
		Sm. Bidisha Chakraborty, M.Sc.  Principal's Assistant (Part Time)

# **FACILITIES PROVIDED**

### **HOSTEL FACILITIES**

The college features two hostels, Brahmananda Bhavan and Bharati Bhavan, which can accommodate 100 and 80 students, respectively. Both hostels are spacious and equipped with dining halls, reading rooms with libraries, a computer room with internet access, clean restrooms, and a 24-hour supply of safe drinking water. There is also a television with Tata Sky connectivity and a common room for recreational activities. Students have the option to participate in yoga classes led by a certified instructor. Additionally, a sick room with a doctor available on call is located on the hostel premises. Hostel fees are affordable, leading to high demand for accommodation among students.

# **GLIMPSES OF STUDENTS' HOSTELS**



**BHARATI BHAVAN** 



**BRAHMANANDA BHAVAN** 

#### **CLASS ROOMS**

The College has a sufficient number of class rooms and laboratories that are equipped with black/green boards, and power sources for the use of electronic devices. Twenty-four classrooms have smart televisions while one is equipped with a smart-board.

#### **AUDITORIUM**

- Muktiprana Sabhagriha, an air-conditioned auditorium, serves as the venue for all seminars, conferences, cultural programmes and other activities.
- Swamiji Bhavan is the lecture-cum-examination hall, where all major college and university examinations are held. It is also used for organizing other college activities
- An air-conditioned Audio-Visual room, fitted with a digital projector, a computer and a modern audio system, is available for seminar presentations, film screenings and other related activities.

#### **EXAMINATION CUM SEMINAR HALL**

Swamiji Bhavan is the lecture-cum-examination hall, with seating capacity of 300, where all major college and university examinations are held. This separate examination venue enables conducting of regular classes in the main college building during examinations. It often doubles as a venue for college events, seminars and workshops.

### **AUDIO-VISUAL ROOM**

The air-conditioned Audio-Visual room, fitted with a digital projector, a computer and a modern audio system, is used for seminar presentations and digitally aided classes and film screenings.

### **COMPUTER LAB / CYBER ROOM**

The computer laboratory, with uninterrupted wi-fi facilities, is used to train students in computer use, and hold classes for a certified computer course by WEBEL.

### INTERNET & REPROGRAPHY

The College has a free Wi-Fi enabled campus. The Reprographic Centre is open on all working days from 11:00 am to 04:00pm and offers services at reasonable rates.

### **COMMON ROOM**

A spacious Common Room is situated on the ground floor of the library. Students often spend their free time here, where they can browse magazines and newspapers, play games like carom and chess, engage in debates and discussions, showcase their creative ideas on the activity board, or simply relax.

### **CANTEEN**

The college canteen has a refreshed appearance following its recent renovation, funded by RUSA 2.0. It offers beverages, snacks, and meals at subsidised prices, adhering to UGC regulations by not serving junk food. The canteen is operated by a voluntary self-help group called the Saroj Nalini Self-Help Group, and both staff and students can enjoy its facilities.

# **COLLEGE INFRASTRUCTURE**











# **STORE AND BAKERY**

Nivedita Niketan is a store on the premises, which sells Ramakrishna Vivekananda literature, handicrafts, stationery and snacks at subsidised rates to the students.

There is a bakery in the college hostel premises for catering to the needs of the hostel students.





# PLACEMENT CELL

The College has an active placement cell that coordinates placement related activities and ensures a smooth placement process for the students. The functions of the placement cell include:

- identifying potential internship and employment providing companies
- hosting of job fairs
- getting in touch with trainers
- circulation of placement related information among students
- submission of student details to future employers
- organising pre-placement training for programmes for students which include honing soft skills such as computer literacy, proficiency in spoken English, interview skills and the like.

These initiatives facilitate future economic independence which is the central vision of the College, and are particularly helpful for many students who are first-generation learners.



#### **Members of the Placement Cell**

- 1. Pravrajika Vedarupaprana, Principal
- 2. Dr. Chaiti Mitra, IQAC Coordinator
- 3. Dr. Sanchali Bhattacharya, Convenor
- 4. Dr. Rakhi Ghosh, Member
- 6. Dr. Sanghamitra Mukherjee, Member
- 7. Ms. Moumita De, Member
- 8. Ms. Maitrayee Sarkar, Member
  The Placement Cell of the Ramakrishna Sarada Mission
  Vivekananda Vidyabhavan can be
  reached at placement@rksmvv.ac.in

#### **Placement Connects**

Our college has tied up with a number of institutions for providing employment options for the students. The scope and activities of some of them are listed below:

**Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) -** Tata Consultancy Services Ltd. (TCS) is engaged with our college as part of its CSR initiative of Youth Employment Program (YEP), Non-Engineering.

In previous two years, 21 students have been already placed in TCS through this training programme. Recently in April 2023, 25 final semester students of our college have been selected for placement in TCS through campus interview and after achieving their final graduation degree, they shall be placed in TCS.

Magic Bus India Foundation - Our college has signed a MOU and collaborated with Magic Bus India Foundation in 2022 to initiatea course named "Skill Impact Bond(SIB)"—a Placement Oriented Training Programme . SIB is a collaborative effort of National Skill Development Corporation and esteemed global organisations .It is a 45 day Certificate Programme in Employability and Soft Skill. On successful completion of the course, Magic Bus India Foundation will assure the students of our college with a placement support.

Magic Bus India Foundation is also implementing Connect With Work (CWW) programme supported by BOMBARDIER (Global leaderin Aviation) aiming to provide training and placement support for freshly graduated, job seeking students. It also aims to arrange aseminar/webinarwiththejobseekingstudents(passoutorfinalyearstudent) of our college.

**Ujjivan Small Finance Bank** 

LimitedDigitalConcepts

Educhange

**Development** 

**Connects Folk** 

MagicMomentsMotionPicturesPvt.Ltd.

### After completion of their training (both under SIB and CWW) students are placed in reputed companies including

- Wipro
- Tech Mahindra
- Century Media 360
- Globiva
- HDB Financial Services
- Marble Box
- mPokket
- Urban Money
- Start Tech
- Digitech
- Concentrix
- Floating Numbers
- Netscribes
- Fusion BPO
- S &IB Services
- Starbucks
- Tea Junction
- Tatwa Technology
- Pace Setters Business Solutions
- Tata Croma
- Westside
- Shoppers Stop



# **CERTIFICATE AND DIPLOMA COURSES**

RKSMVV has recently tied up with reputed organizations like the Sister Nivedita University (Techno India Group), National Skill Development Corporation, Elta Global, Digital Concepts, Educhange and Sri Sarada Math Rasik Bhita for conducting the following courses.

#### **Professional Courses**

- Hospital Management
- GIS Remote Sensing and Application
- Psychological
- CounsellingPythonCourse
- DTP
- UGC Net Coaching
- English for Academic Purpose
- Digital Marketing
- Strategies Of Empowerment and Social Change: A Training Programme for Female Students (Educhange)

#### **Add-on Courses**

Yoga

Self Defence Course Communicative English Mastering Computer Skills Music Recitation Dance

### **Special Coaching**

Competitive Examination Coaching UG CNET Coaching

# **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES & SRIJANI**

Srijani, the annual college fest, is also a conglomeration of cultural clubs like Music, Dance, Recitation, Drama and Fine Arts. Interested students can choose to join any of these clubs and hone their respective talents under the guidance of experienced professionals. These clubs prepare them for participating in college cultural programmes as well as representing the college in competitions and exhibitions organised outside the college premises. In this way, the students have earned several awards and accolades for the college. At present the Music, Dance Recitation, Drama and Art clubs offer Certificate Courses as well. The following list shows the details of clubs and their respective

- Music Club—Smt. Ashmita Kar
- Dance Club—Smt. Ellora Mallick
- Recitation Club—Smt. Bula Bagchi
- Dramatics Club—Smt. Suranjana Dasgupta
- Art Club Smt. Rishika Ghosh







THEATRE WORKSHOP

WOMENS' DAY CELEBRATION



### **MEDICAL FACILITIES**

### **Medical Facilities**

Students receive medical assistance at three levels:

- Health Awareness and Check-up Camps conducted by Ramakrishna Sarada Mission Matri Bhavan, a city hospital for women
- Medical check-up and blood group identification for all first-year students is conducted at the beginning of every academic year
- Annual awareness and detection programmes for breast cancer and Thalassemia

Students are issued health cards on an individual basis for a payment of Rs. 200/- per year, which entitles them to free or highly subsidised medical facilities at Matri Bhavan. The following can be availed through the health card:

- Free OPD treatments (except medicine)
- Free pathological investigations
- Free radiological investigations
- 50% discount on total billing for indoor admission, except medicines

There is a Doctors' Chamber, attended by two doctors, Dr. Saswati Saha M.B.B.S DGO (Cal ) Ex MO R.G. Kar Medical College & Hospital and Dr. Saswati Roy Lall, MBBS (Cal), DIH (Cal) on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 1.30 -3:00 pm for students and staff.

The College also runs a charitable Homoeopathy Dispensary attended by two visiting doctors every week. Free diagnosis and medicines are available to students as well as women and children from the neighbourhood.

The hostel and college have sick rooms and a doctor on call for medical emergencies.

A monastic member of the institution who holds BHMS degree from Calcutta Homoeopathy College under Calcutta University provides medical treatment to the hostel students.

# **RTI AND IC**

### RTI

The RTI act provides for the right to information for students secure access to information under the control of public authorities order to promote transparency and accountability. Our college has this cell and the students are facilitated by it. This cell is formed following the guidelines framed by the UGC for UG colleges.

### IC

The RKSMVV Internal Committee (IC) was reconstituted in April 2024 on the basis of the UGC Regulations, 2015 (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students in Higher Educational Institutions), published in the Gazette of India, New Delhi, Monday, May 2, 2016.





# **OUTREACH PROGRAMMES**

Outreach programmes are an integral part of an institution like RKSMVV. The College is essentially involved in the welfare of the locality where it issituated. Following Swami Vivekananda's ideals of service to society through the uplift of its deprived classes, the institution regularly conducts several outreach programmes. Primarily designed with the objective of educating the masses, these programmes involve the women and children from the neighbourhood. Students of the College also actively participate in these programmes.













**BLOOD DONATION** 

**DONATION DRIVE** 

# SPORTS, YOGA AND SELF-DEFENCE

In keeping with Swami Vivekananda's idea that body and mind must run parallel, the college takes much initiative in the promotion of sports and other physical activity among students. There is a well-maintained field for sports practice. An experienced trainer has been appointed by the college to guide the students in several track and field activities and another specialised trainer to train them in *kho kho*. An annual sports day is organised to encourage the students to showcase their talents. Students participate in several inter college and inter university events and have won medals in many of them. There is also a trainer for Badminton. Students also participate in indoor games like chess, table-tennis and carom.

Yoga is another area where the students have excelled in inter college events. They practice at Muktiprana Sabhagriha, the college auditorium, under the guidance of an experienced yoga trainer hired by the College.

A self-defence training course was inaugurated in the college on May 26th, 2022 in the presence of Jt. Commissioner of Police, BKPC and OC women PS, Barrackpore. Students who opt for the course are supervised by a professional self-defence instructor. Students have, since then, participated in several national and international events and have won numerous awards, mostly in karate.



### INTERNATIONALYOGADAY



INTERNATIONAL KARATE COMPETITION



INTER-COLLEGE CHESS COMPETITION



**The College Annual Sports** 



INTER-COLLEGE YOGA COMPETITION



INTERNATIONAL KARATE COMPETITION

## GENDER RESOURCE CENTRE

The Gender Resource Centre of the college has been functioning since November 2016. It works in co-operation with the Internal Complaints Committee and the IQAC of the college. It is a multidisciplinary nodal platform with both practical and disciplinary approach. Its goal is to work towards creating responsible, confident women who can empower themselves. The Gender Resource Centre organises academic programmes, gender and health awareness programmes, while at the same time enhancing and preserving gender related resources in the College Library. It has collaborated with organisations like *Talash* and *Rahi Foundation*, and has jointly organized workshops on legal rights, menstrual health and hygiene, sexual violence, child sexual abuse so as to sensitise students about their rights and responsibilities as women.



# NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME(NSS)

The National Service Scheme (NSS) was started in the college in August, 2019 with a view to imbibe students with ideals of philanthropy through voluntary community service and hence justify its motto, "Not Me but You", the spirit being similar to other outreach programmes carried out by the college





## SPECIAL EVENTS IN COLLEGE

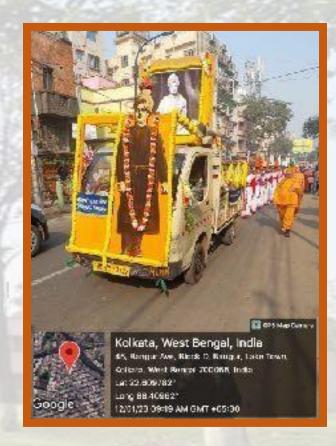




#### **VIDYARTHINI HOMA**



SARADA MELA



YOUTH DAY PROCESSION

## **COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS**

The publication of the annual *College Magazine* began shortly after the establishment of the college in 1961. The initial idea was to promote and showcase the creativity of students. It features a diverse array of literary works and artwork in Bengali, English, and Sanskrit, thereby providing a platform for aspiring writers and artists. Contributions also come from faculty and alumni across various disciplines, hence enriching the magazine's content. Submissions are carefully reviewed by designated faculty editors before publication. This process helps students develop critical and creative writing skills while expanding their knowledge at the same time. Special editions of the magazine are released for significant occasions, such as Swami Vivekananda's birth centenary and silver and golden jubilees of the college

## **COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS**

Campus Quarterly, the bi-annual college newsletter, aims to showcase the vibrant life at the college by highlighting a variety of activities that enhance the campus experience. It features regular academic events, such as inter-departmental lectures, extension lectures, and student seminars, both on and off campus, reflecting the diverse and engaging environment of the institution

**RKSMVV Journal of Human Sciences**, the annual college journal is an RNI ISSN approved, multi-disciplinary, peer reviewed research journal. The owner of the Journal, on behalf of the college, is Dr. Chaiti Mitra, and the Chief Editor is Dr. Payal Bose Biswas.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM GOVERNMENT AND OTHER SOURCES

Schemes, grants and donations are available for deserving students from the following government sectors:

- Govt. of India, Ministry of Labour and Employment
- West Bengal Minorities Development and Finance Corporation
- Government of West Bengal Education Directorate (Scholarship and Stipend Section)
- Kanyashree Scholarship, Government of West Bengal
- Ramakrishna Mission Institute of Culture
- Sarada Scholarship, Sri Sarada Math
- Bengal Culture Society, USA
- Sheela Kanoria Scholarship

In addition, the Institution receives donations from a host of well-wishers (including past and present teachers and alumni) to support and encourage students. The student Welfare Committee, a unit of the college Teachers' Council, also has Students' Welfare Fund specially set up to provide financial support to needy and deserving students.

### **LIBRARY**

The college has an RFID enabled Central Library. It has a spacious reading room (Shaddhaprana Pathakaksha)The library provides open-shelf access and easy borrowing and lending facilities and offers a range of membership benefits to the students and the faculty and monastic members, ex-students. The library has a number of sections ranging from text and reference books, to competitive exam related material and career-oriented resources, popular magazines, English and Bengali periodicals, newspapers, visual and mixed materials, an Internet Resource Centre among others. The library also houses a Research and Resource Centre on the 'Women Missionaries of the Ramakrishna Orders', which provides interested readers with related books, journals, e-resources and archival materials. Independent women researchers or those affiliated to other institutions, can also apply for in-house access to these holdings. There is also a separate Gender Resource Corner to display research publications and other compilations pertaining to gender issues. Materials and findings related to the UGC sponsored Minor-Research Projects undertaken by the college faculty are also catalogued and stored in a designated section of he library. The library provides reprography service to the students and faculty members. It remains open during college hours from Monday to Saturday, and remains closed only on Sundays and holiday service Departments.

#### Librarian:

Smt. Parama Sarkhel, M.A, M.Lib,

#### **Assistant Librarian**

Pravrajika Mokshakamaprana **Library Clerk:** 

Smt. Namita Mondal, B.A.

**Part Time Library Assistant:** 

Smt. Munmun Mukherjee, B.A. Library Peon:

Mr. Avijit Sardar

LibraryTimings	
(a)Mon-Fri	10:15 AM-04:30 PM
(b)Sat	10:15 AM-04:00 PM
(c)Sun & Holidays	Closed
Circulations Timings	
(a)Mon-Fri	10:15 AM - 04:00 PM
(b)Sat	Closed. Only reference.
Membership benefits	
Students	3 books
Teachers	20 books
SACT teachers	10 books
Guest teachers	2 books
Monastic Members	7 books





LIBRARY AT A GLANCE

#### **RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

- Perfect order and silence should be maintained in the library.
- Foods and drinks are not allowed in side the library.
- Users are requested to not that they are allowed to take only loose sheets of paper and pen for making notes. All bags and personal belongings should be kept in the property counter.
- Cell phones should be put on silence/off mode inside the library.
- Library resources should be used with care.
- All books must be checked for damage/mutilation before borrowing. Any damage found should be reported to the librarian immediately.
- In case of lossor damage of documents, this suer to whom the book had been last issued shall be liable for replacement of the lost/damaged book/documents.
- Loss of library cards must be reported immediately. Duplicate library card may be issue don payment of Rs.5.00.
- Library cards are non-transferable.
- Students may borrow books for a maximum of 15 days.
- Circulation is done from 10:15 am to 4:00 pm. from Monday to Friday. Library is closed on Sundays and holidays.
- In case of delay in return of books an overdue fine of Rs.1/-per working day will be charged.
- The library card is returnable after each session for renewal and finally when the student leaves college.
- The process of stock verification is done in every summer. Users should return their books before stock-taking

#### **E-Resources**

- InflibnetNLIST
- WBCOLOR
- QuestionPapers
- UGC NETGuide
- <u>SETQuestionPapers</u>

### LIBRARY FACILITIES

- Open access—Readers can consult their required books from the shelves independently.
- Internet—Users can surf the Internet to access e-resources and download materials from the Internet.
- Career Guidance-Books & journals relating to different competitive examinations are available for reference.
- Current Awareness—The newly added book sand journals are displayed for the convenience of students and faculty members.
- Reprography—The reprographic facilities are available for the students and faculty members for library documents /books only. Photo copy of class note sand personal books is prohibited.
- Book display-The Library displays books related to specific themes.
- Gender Resource Corner-There is a separate space to display books, journals and other research compilations related to gender issues.
- OPAC-Web OPAC searching facility through Koha has already been introduced

### INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEM (IKS)

In keeping with the UGC directives (No.F.14-1/2022[JCRC]) on the importance of understanding and preserving Indian heritage and disseminating Indian Systems of Knowledge in a way that it reaches every level of society and the provisions of the New Education Policy (NEP), the College has taken necessary initiatives toensure that students get an early and holistic exposure to its rich benefits. The College hopes toencourage students and introduce them to the basics of the IKS by providing two courses on:

#### (i) Value Education:

Following the NEP and the teaching so the visionary Swami Vivekananda, Sri Ramakrishna Dev and Sri Sarada Devi, the College strives to provide a comprehensive exposure to value based education to students. The value education course in Ramakrishna Sarada Mission Vivekananda Vidyabhavan has been divided into three basic modules that cover the lives, work and visions of its three guiding beacons and runs the course of the entire three-year under graduate programme.

#### (ii) Traditional Texts: Shrimad Bhagavad Gita:

The College offers a Specially curated certificate course on the Shrimad Bhagavat Gita for its current undergraduate and post-graduate students. The College strongly believes that students, in contemporary times, need to be initiated to the very rich offerings of the traditionalIndian knowledge system which the Shrimad Bhagavat Gita intrinsically represents. This course is offered in collaboration with the Academy of Research for Cultivation of Indian Sciences (ARCIS)under the aegis of the Kavi Kulguru Kalidas Sanskrit University.

### **COURSES OFFERED: CBCS AND NEP**

The Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) was introduced by West Bengal State University (WBSU) in the year 2018. As the University Grants Commission (UGC) moved away from the conventional marks-based percentage system, it aimed to introduce a credit system which could match the international educational pattern to be found in the USA, UK, Japan among others. The UGC argued that the percentage-based evaluation system restricted the students from studying the courses/subjects of their choice and considerably limited their mobility between institutions. In order to bridge that gap, the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) was put forward, which allows a student to study according to his/her interests. Students can choose from inter-disciplinary, intra-disciplinary, and skill-based courses. They also have the provision to optfor additional courses and can score more than the required number of credits. This also makes for easier inter-college/university migration within the country and as well as inter nationally.

RKSMVV has implemented the **National Education Policy** (**NEP**) **2020** in alignment with the directives of the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the West Bengal State University (WBSU), from the academic year 2023-2024. This undergraduate framework is aimed at enhancing the quality and flexibility of higher education, enabling students to tailor their academic journeys according to their interests and aspirations. The NEP undergraduate programme is structured around a four-year curriculum that offers a broader choice of subjects, allowing students to select core courses and electives that resonate with their personal and professional goals. This personalized approach potentially fosters a more engaging and relevant educational experience. Some of the key features of the NEP undergraduate programme include Flexible Curriculum, Skill Development, Multiple Entry and Exit Points and a Semester-Based Examination System. These are aimed at creating a dynamic and student-centric educational environment that promotes lifelong learning and adaptability in an ever-changing world.

### **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

The Alumni Association of RKSMVV was established with the vision to assist the Alma Mater in its various endeavours and promote the general welfare of the institution; along with forging a strong bond between the alumni, current students, faculty and staff and be the support in shaping the institution's future.

RKSMVV Alumni Association was formed in July 2003with the following objectives:

- •To promote fellow feeling and fraternity amongst the alumni of the College, as well as between past and present students and the teachers/ staff members of the college
- •To initiate activities which would be directly or indirectly beneficial to the College and its students-past and present, and also the faculty and staff,
- •To provide relief to the ex-students who are in need of help,
- To hold the Annual Re-union,
- •To extend financial support through scholarships, free-ships, prizes and other assistance to the deserving students for their academic pursuit.

Since its inception, the Association has been striving hard to achieve these objectives by all means and measures. The members have willingly extended their full support in preparing audio books for visually challenged students. Besides extending financial assistance to the College, the Alumni Association also organizes the following:

- The Annual Youth Convention
- The Annual Re-union and Alumni AGM
- The Sarada Mela in collaboration with the College
- Publishing souvenirs at regular intervals

# **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**



INAUGURATION OF AUDIO-BOOK CENTRE



**ALUMNI FETE** 



**RE-UNION** 



## **MEMORIAL PRIZES**

- Arijit Chakravarty Memorial Scholarship
- Manju Kanti Chatterjee Memorial Scholarship
- Soumya Kanti Chatterje Memorial Scholarsp
- Anil Kumar Sen Memorial Scholarship
- Pravrajika Muktiprana Memorial Prize
- Gouri Dharmapal Memorial Prize
- Shreyasree Debnath Memorial Prize
- Amitabha Mukherjee Memorial Prize
- Hemlata Dhurat Memorial Scholarship
- Subhabrata Sanyal Book Award
- Bhabesh Nandi Medal for All Rounder
- Prof. Gouri Biswas Memorial Prize
- Kusum Ghosh Chowdhury Memorial Prize
- Pratima Majumdar Memorial Prize
- Taraknath Dutta Memorial Prize
- Sarala Sarkar Memorial Prize

- Dr. Debendra Nath De Memorial Prize
- Shanti Sarkar Memorial Prize
- Gouri Sen Memorial Prize
- Mahendralal Sircar Memorial Prize
- Sarojini Ganguly Memorial Prize
- Birendranath Sanyal Memorial Prize
- Jagaddhatri Banerjee Memorial Prize
- Arun Kumar Banerjee Memorial Prize
- Pratibhamoyee Dasgupta Memorial Prize
- Pramoda sundari Lodh Memorial Prize
- Siddhartha Majumdar Memorial Prize
- Nirmal Kumar Ray Memorial Prize
- Jagadish Chandra Memorial Prize