

Kidderpore College, Kolkata

Academic Audit Report

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Observations

The overall observations of the Academic Audit Committee based on input collected from the Departments are:

1. The College was established in 1966 and affiliated to the University of Calcutta.
2. Following the major revision in the syllabus under CBCS system as introduced by the UGC the following subjects were taught in the college .

1.1 Number of courses offered by the Institution across all programs during the year				
Program code	Program Name	Course code	Course Name	Year of introduction
ECOA(CBCS)	B.Sc (Honours)	CC1, CC2, CC3, CC4, CC5, CC6, CC7, CC8, CC9, CC10, CC11, CC12, CC13, CC14	Core Course	2018
		DSE A1, DSE B1 DSE A2, DSE B2	Discipline Specific Electives	
		SEC A1, SEC A2, SEC B1, SEC B2	Skill Enhancement Course	
MTMG, , ECOG, GEOG (CBCS)	B.Sc (General)	GE 1, GE 2, GE 3, GE4	Generic Elective	2018
		DSE A1, DSE A2 DSE B1 , DSE B2	Discipline Specific Electives	
		SEC A1, SEC A2, SEC B1, SEC B2	Skill Enhancement Course	
ENGA, BNGA, HINA, EDNA, JRNA, URDA, HISA, PLSA, PHIA (CBCS)	B.A. (Honours)	CC1, CC2, CC3, CC4, CC5, CC6, CC7, CC8, CC9, CC10, CC11, CC12, CC13, CC14	Core Course	2018
		DSE A1, DSE B1 DSE A2, DSE B2	Discipline Specific Electives	
		SEC A1, SEC A2, SEC B1, SEC B2	Skill Enhancement Course	
ENGG, BNGG, HING,EDNG,	B.A. (General)	GE 1, GE 2, GE 3, GE4	Generic Elective	2018

PERG, URDG, HISG, PLSG, PEDG, PHIG, ISLG, ECOG, GEOG (CBCS)		DSE A1, DSE A2 DSE B1, DSE B2	Discipline Specific Electives	
		SEC A1, SEC A2, SEC B1, SEC B2	Skill Enhancement Course	
ENGM, BNGM, HINM, URDM (CBCS)	Communication English/MIL	AECC 1	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course	2018
ENVS (CBCS)	Environmental Science	AECC 2	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course	2018
ENGC (CBCS)	English	LCC 1 (1), LCC 1 (2)	LCC 1	2018
BNGL, HINL, URDL, ENGL (CBCS)	Bengali /Hindi /Urdu /Alternative English	LCC 2 (1), LCC 2 (2)	LCC 2	2018
BCOMH(CBCS)	B.Com (Honours)	CC 1.1Chg, CC 1.2Chg, CC 1.1Ch, CC 2.1Chg, CC 2.2Chg, CC 2.1Ch, CC 3.1Ch, CC 3.2Ch, CC 4.1 Chg, CC 4.1Ch, CC 4.2 Ch, CC 5.1Ch, CC 5.2Ch, CC 6.1 Ch	Core Course (CC)	2017-18
		SEC 3.1 Chg, SEC 6.1 Chg	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)	
		GE 1.1 Chg, GE 2.1 Chg, GE 3.1 Chg, GE 4.1 Chg	Generic Elective (GE)	
		DSE 5.1 A, DSE 5.2 A, DSE 6.1 A, DSE 6.2 A	Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)	
		AECC 1.1Chg, AECC 6.1 Chg	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course	

BCOMG(CBCS)	B.Com(General)	CC 1.1Chg, CC 1.2Chg, CC 1.1Cg, CC 2.1Chg, CC 2.2Chg, CC 2.1Cg, CC 3.1Cg, CC 4.1 Chg, CC 4.1Cg, CC 4.2 Cg, CC 5.1Cg	Core Course (CC)	2017-18
		SEC 3.1 Chg, SEC 6.1 Chg	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)	
		GE 1.1 Chg, GE 2.1 Chg, GE 3.1 Chg, GE 4.1 Chg	Generic Elective (GE)	
		DSE 5.1 A, DSE 5.2 A, DSE 6.1 A, DSE 6.2 A	Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)	
		AECC 1.1Chg, AECC 6.1 Chg	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course	

3. Throughout the pandemic session steps were taken to continue teaching, learning and evaluation through online mode. Moreover offline classes were resumed since November 2021 as per the Government Order.
4. It has a Distance Learning Centre both in the UG and PG level under the Netaji Subhash Open University (NSOU) and is running successfully since many students who cannot attend regular classes due to their jobs can avail of the facility of distance learning under NSOU.
5. The College requires more faculty members for the smooth conduct of the teaching-learning process.
6. The progress of students to Higher education was found quite encouraging.
7. It was felt that there should be a UGC sponsored Women Study Centre keeping in view the large number of female students and teachers in the College.
8. Regular Green Audit has been done.
9. Opportunities for collaborative research work and consultancy should be explored whenever possible.
10. The MOUs have been entered into with different Colleges affiliated to the University of Calcutta as well as Anudip Foundation for faculty exchange programmes and the conduct of certificate courses for the benefit of the students.

Number of functional MoUs with national and international institutions, universities, industries, corporate houses etc. during the year

Organisation with which MoU is signed	Year of signing MoU	Duration	List the actual activities under each MOU year wise	
Kishore Bharati Bhagini Nivedita College (Co-Ed)	2020	3yrs	Faculty Exchange Programme	
Bhangar Mahavidyalaya & Kidderpore College	2020	5 yrs	Faculty Exchange Programme	
Bhangar Mahavidyalaya & Kidderpore College	2020	5ys	Go Green (NCC cadets)	

Mahestala College	2021	2 yrs	Faculty Exchange Programme
Anudip Foundation	2021	2 yrs	Certificate courses for employable skill development of the students.

11. Total number of students: 2196

12. Number of faculties against substantive post :36, 1 Principal, 2 Librarians, and 23 State Aided College Teachers.

Number of Non-teaching staff: 11

13. Remedial classes are usually conducted along with the usual classes.

14. A language Lab has been established by the College .

15. An online add on course on Yoga was conducted for seven days.

16. Examination results are more or less satisfactory. The College authority has been trying to assist the student community to improve their performance in the University examination system by adopting certain initiatives though it is observed that the students of the College mostly are first generation learners belonging to the Minority community background.

17. The English Department of the College has published an online journal Intersections: A Journal of Literary and Cultural Studies with ISSN 2583-1542.

18. Some audio visual class rooms have been set up for teaching learning communication of the students.

19. The Internal Complaints Committee has been established under the UGC regulations for the prevention, prohibition and redressal of sexual harassment of women employees and the female students.

20. Parents- Teachers meetings are held regularly in the College.

21. The College is a member of the Students Health Home Kolkata Regional Centre.

22. Awareness programme was held to promote e-waste management and make the College a plastic free zone

23. Number of extension and outreach programmes conducted by the Institution.

Number of extension and outreach programs conducted by the institution through NSS/NCC/Government and Government recognized bodies (including the programmes such as Swachh Bharat, AIDS awareness, Gender issues etc.) during the year				
Number of students participating in extension activities at 3.3.3. above during the year				
Name of the activity	Organising unit/ agency/ collaborating agency	Name of the scheme	Year of the activity	Number of students participated in such activities
Azadi K Amrit Maghotsav	NSS & NCC	Commemoration of 75 years of Independence	2022 August	74
Women Empowerment in the Light of 21st century Globalisation	Serampore Govt Aided College	Equal Opportunity Scheme	11th March 2022	294

24. Seminars, workshops, Debates and Quiz Competitions are held regularly in the College for the students under the initiative of the College NSS Unit and the IQAC.

Links of the Seminars/workshops/conference conducted by the Institution during 21-22

Name of the workshop/ seminar	Date	Link to the Activity report on the website
Recent advancement in Black Hole Physics	27.02.22	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Mathematics-Webinar.pdf
Mir Taqi Mir: Hayat Aur Fun	06.03.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Urdu-Webinar.pdf
Women Empowerment in the light of 21st Century	06.03.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Womens-Forum.pdf
Globalization	11.03.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Journalism-Webinar.pdf
ICC in colleges and Sexual harassment in workplace	11.03.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Womens-Forum.pdf

Culture and the Pandemic: Impact on the creative sector	14.03.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/History-Webinar.pdf
Philosophical Quandries of Care Ethics for Transnational Feminism	02.04.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Philosophy-Webinar.pdf
Bangla Gaan: Ganasangeetthekejibandarshan	10.04.2022	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Bengali-Webinar.pdf
Library Orientation Programme Mental Health of theStake holder in education during pandemic and thereafter	24.03.22	http://kidderporecollege.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/02/Library-Orientation.pdf

Recommendations

1. Though the teaching learning process in the College is done through ICT in normal classes but more ICT enabled class rooms are needed.
2. New teaching posts should be created.
3. More reference books from different areas apart from the normal text books of different subjects should be procured for the benefit of the students in the Library.
4. The Library of the College should undergo renovation and automation.
5. More skill development programmes and job oriented workshops should be organised by the College in collaboration with different institutions.
6. Psychological Counselling of the students should be started in collaboration with different Universities and institutes.

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