



Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya
(Government Aided, NAAC Accredited B⁺ College, affiliated to
Vidyasagar University)

College Annual Report of the year 2023-2024

“Commit your work to the Lord and your plans will be established...”

About the College:

Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya, affiliated with Vidyasagar University, began its journey on December 16, 1985. Over the past 39 years, the college has made significant strides in curricular, co-curricular, and extra-curricular activities, establishing a reputation for excellence. It is a UGC-approved institution and gained recognition under the UGC Act of 1956 (Sections 2(f) & 12B) in 1994. The college was established thanks to the contributions of several benefactors: Lt. Shri. Satya Gopal Mukhopadhyay on behalf of Kalyanshree Trust, Lt. Shri. Ramdas Ramanujan on behalf of Chandrakona Municipality, Lt. Shri. Anukul Chandra Rai, and Shri Madhusudhan Chakravorty donated land. Additionally, a generous financial contribution from Smt. Kali Bala Dasi and support from the residents of Chandrakona I and II Block, along with some donations from Keshpur and Garhbeta Block, facilitated the construction of the college building. With the support of the Honourable M.P. and M.L.A. and local cold storage owners, the long-standing demand for a college in Chandrakona Town was finally fulfilled. The college was inaugurated by Late Prabhash Fodikar, the then Minister of Information and Culture, Government of West Bengal, in 1985. Initially, the college offered six general degree courses: Bengali, English, History, Economics, Political Science, and Philosophy, operating with a modest staff of six lecturers and twelve non-teaching staff under the guidance of Principal Lt. Shri. Biman Mahato. Since its inception, the college has secured a prominent position in the academic landscape of the district. Currently, the college offers thirteen Honours and fifteen General undergraduate courses in Arts and Science streams, with plans to introduce more undergraduate courses and establish postgraduate departments in the future.



College Campus



ANNUAL REPORT of the year 2023-24:

- Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya has crossed 39 glorious years in the pursuit of excellence and has made remarkable strides, in curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities.
- The College offers 15-Undergraduate, and 11 Value-Added Courses.
 - 2360 students are the beneficiaries of these programmes among which 747 seats are earmarked for reserved category.
- The college has a Study Centre of Netaji Subhas Open University in its premises which is recognized by the UGC Distance Education Bureau and offers both UG and PG courses and promotes distance learning.
 - 300 students are the beneficiaries of these programmes
- **Seventy-five (75)** Teaching, Administrative and Support staff are involved in the smooth functioning of the College.

It is my proud privilege, to initiate the presentation of our College Annual Report of the year 2023-24, highlighting some of the key milestones achieved over the past year:

HIGHLIGHTS of the year 2023-2024:

- Secured **B⁺** grade with CGPA of 2.56 in the First Cycle of NAAC Accreditation.
- College was listed in the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF-2023) conducted by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India.
- Our college is primarily selected as a Computer- Based Test Centre (CBT) under the NTA (National Testing Agency)
- Our college has established a skill development centre called the IRABOTI SKILL DEVELOPMENT CENTRE. which, we are offering three courses in collaboration with the Government of West Bengal: Garment Manufacturing, a Beautician Course, DTP Training, and a Certificate Course in Spoken English and Spoken Sanskrit.
- Established an E-learning centre
- Enabled IT Infrastructure in the Library
- Implemented Solar Panel at the college campus and started Rainwater harvesting
- Started Student Health Scheme
- Constructed an Open-Air Theatre (Sanskritik Mandap) and a Seminar Hall
- An Audio-visual lecture recording studio on the college premises was built to encourage faculty participation in the creation of MOOCs and engagement with SWAYAM.
- Introduced food festival for the first time on college campus to boost local art and craft



- All registered students at our college have an ABC id. Creation of Digi locker identity available for the students to ensure the benefit of the Academic Bank of Credits (ABC).
- The Cultural Evolution Society Transformation Fund grant of 3800 Euros was sanctioned to Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya in 2023.
- Enhanced the number of MOUs to provide better education to our students.
- Upgraded the function of Career Counselling cum Placement Cell
- This year, we have a total of 18 students who were placed, and 93 students were progressed.
- One teaching staff was retired from service this year.

LAURELS:

FACULTY:

The following faculty members were awarded Ph.D. in this academic year:

- Dr. Debdas Gayen, Assistant Professor, Department of Bengali
- Dr. Ujjal Roy, Assistant Professor, Department of History

Other exemplary achievements:

- Dr. Samana Madhuri, Assistant Professor of English, was selected for the 6-day Face-to-Face Master' Training Programme in IKS.

Following faculty members attended the Faculty Development Programme:

- Dr. Indadul Khan, Assistant Professor of Computer Science attended a one-week faculty development programme on "Research Support Services: Tools and Techniques" University of Kalyani (virtual mode).
- Anindya Mondal, Assistant Professor of Computer Science attended one-week faculty development programme on "Research Support Services: Tools and Techniques" University of Kalyani (virtual mode).
- Dr. Samana Madhuri, Assistant Professor of English attended a Short-Term Faculty Training Program on Indian Knowledge System (IKS), BHU, Varanasi.
- Dr. Debaditya Chakraborty, Assistant Professor of English attended the "UGC-Sponsored Refresher Course" at North Eastern Hill University, Shillong.
- Kalyan Mondal, Assistant Professor of Philosophy attended the Faculty Development Programme on Artificial Intelligence and Digital Empowerment.
- Dr. Indadul Khan, Assistant Professor of Computer Science attended the Faculty Development Programme on Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning and Deep Learning.
- Dr. Samana Madhuri, Assistant Professor of English attended Master Trainers' Faculty Training Program on Indian Knowledge System (IKS), New Delhi.
- Dr. Tirtha Mondal, Assistant Professor of Physical Education attended NEP 2020 Orientation and Sensitization Programme, MMTTC, NEHU, Shillong.



Publications:

- A total 12 journals were published by our faculty members in this academic session.
- A total 07 book chapters/seminar proceedings were published by our faculty members in this academic session.

STUDENTS:

- One national sports star of the College, Anupan Mahata, secured a Gold medal, in the 36th Intercollege Athletic Meet 2023, held at Vidyasagar University, West Bengal.
- Subham Karak, our final semester student participated in “**Yuva Sangam Phase IV**” - *An initiative by the Government of India.*

Highest Scorer of our college (Final Semester Students):

Year	Program Code	Name of the Student	V.U.Roll	V.U.No.	SGP A	CGP A
2024	BNGH	SUDIPA PAN	1116105	210085	8.75	8.65
2024	EDCH	ANKITA MANNA	1116105	210098	9.5	8.7
2024	ENGH	PALASH CHAKRABORTY	1116105	210140	8.5	8.28
2024	HISH	PAMPA MONDAL	1116105	210178	8.5	8.42
2024	PHIH	PRIYANKA CHAKRABORTY	1116105	210213	8.5	8.37
2024	SANH	RAHIMA SARKAR	1116105	210237	8.5	8.75
2024	SNTH	CHANDMONI MURMU	1116105	210255	9	8.79
2024	GEOH	BARNALI SAMANTA	1126105	210021	8.75	9.07
2024	PHSH	KUSHAL CHAKRABORTY	1126105	210061	7.25	7.89
2024	CEMH	SUBHAM KARAK	1126105	210006	9.25	8.7
2024	COSH	SUDESHNA GOSWAMI	1126105	210014	9	8.82
2024	B.Sc Gen	ARPITA SANTRA	1226105	211001	5.4	6.84
2024	B.Sc Gen	SANJIT BAWALI	1226105	211018	6	6.75
2024	B.A. Gen.	PRIYA ROY	1216105	211339	7.9	7.98

IQAC:

- Conducting routine audits of the academic, administrative, and environmental aspects of the college
- Empowered faculty members through training and faculty enrichment programs
- Participated in NIRF ranking
- Strengthen the mentoring system
- Intensely conducted extension activities
- Introduced student-centric teaching-learning methodologies
- Gathered online feedback, conducting seminars, webinars, and training programs.



- A workshop will be conducted very shortly on Four Year Undergraduate Curriculum Design (NEP 2020).
- A seminar will be hosted very shortly under the “Faculty Development Programme”
- A special camp was organized to create an Academic Bank of Credits (ABC) id for all the students

A few significant SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS conducted are as follows:

- The Department of Philosophy conducted ICPR Sponsored Periodic Lecture Series 2023 and One-Day National Level Seminar on Critical Thinking and Philosophizing
 - Department of Sanskrit, IQAC in collaboration with Suradhuni organised two- day seminar on Vrttimimamsa.

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES:

Extension activities are essential initiatives that connect students with the community and engage them in addressing real-world issues. Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya actively undertakes such programs, fostering holistic development and a sense of responsibility among students while contributing positively to society.

- A workshop conducted by the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) equipped students with disaster preparedness skills, ensuring they are ready to assist during emergencies.
- Participated in **Yuva Sangam Phase IV** at Haryana Central University offered students a platform for cultural exchange and discussions on social issues, promoting national integration.
- Hosted a theatre workshop, encouraging creative expression and raising awareness about social concerns through art.
- The Department of Chemistry has spearheaded an innovative pilot project to address the environmental hazards of crop residue burning, with plans for large-scale implementation.
- The college also organizes health camps, sanitation drives, blood donation camps, and environmental clean-up campaigns, fostering leadership, teamwork, and empathy among students.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:

The Alumni Association was involved in various developmental and constructive activities. A few of them are mentioned below:

- Book Donation
- Placement & Career Guidance Assistance
- Annual Sports Meet
- Organization of Freshers’ Welcome Ceremony
- Basanta Panchami Celebration (Saraswati Puja)
- Basanta Utsab (Dolyatra & Holi)



- Annual Cultural Meet & Annual Function.
- Renovation of Heritage Temple on the campus

CAREER COUNSELLING- CUM PLACEMENT CELL:

The CCPT organised a series of comprehensive initiatives, including mock tests, workshops, seminars and skill development sessions in collaboration with another institute. This year, we have a total of 18 students who were placed

Name of student placed	Program graduated from	Post in which employed
PRADIP SANTRA	B.A HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	COLLEGE PEON
SANTU SAMANTA	B.A. HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	SR. EXECUTIVE
TARHIT ROY	B.A. GENERAL	CONSTABLE
SOURAV SAMANTA	B.SC. HONS. IN MATHEMATICS	CONSTABLE
SUMAN PAL	B.A. HONS. IN SANSKRIT	CONSTABLE
MANTU PARAMANIK	B.A. HONS. IN SANSKRIT	CONSTABLE
RAHUL DEV MAITY	B.A. HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	CONSTABLE
NETAI HANSDA	B.A. HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	RAILWAY TRACKMAINTAINER
BHASKAR CHAKRABORTY	B.A. HONS. IN ENGLISH	LOWER DIVISION CLERK, DANTAN GOVT. COLLEGE
SOUMEN BERA	B.A. HONS. IN BENGALI	EXECUTIVE
SOUMEN KOTAL	B.A. HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	STATE ARMED POLICE 7th BATTALION
SUBHRASIS GHORUI	B.A. HONS. IN GEOGRAPHY	PGT (GEOGRAPHY) IN KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA
CHANDAN MALLICK	B.A. GENERAL	EXECUTIVE
TITHI PRAMANIK	B.A HONS. IN ENGLISH	JUNIOR REPORTER IN REPUBLIC BANGLA
UMA SASMAL	B.A HONS. IN ENGLISH	HOTEL OPERATIONAL MANAGEMENT TRAINEE
SAGNIK PARIA	B.A HONS. IN ENGLISH	EXECUTIVE-TECHNICAL SERVICE (SUGUNA FOODS PRIVATE LIMITED
INDRAJIT SEN	B.A HONS. IN ENGLISH	SUBJECT-MATTER EXPERT
SAIKAT HAZRA	B.A HONS. IN BENGALI	TRAINEE SKILLED ARTISAN GR. III



NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS):

Activities under NSS bridge academics and real-world challenges, promoting holistic growth and active citizenship. During this session total of 20 activities were performed by our college NSS unit which included-

- Observation of World Environment Day, International Yoga Day, Kargil Diwas, World AIDS Day etc.
- Conducted free Eye Checkup Camp, Swachhata Abhijaan, Dengue Awareness and Fitness Activity, Disaster Management Training by NDRF, Safe Drive Save Life awareness training, seminar on Nasha Mukta Bharat etc.

WOMEN CELL:

Different activities were performed by the women's cell of Chandrakona Vidyasagar Mahavidyalaya.

- Debating Gender In The Shadow Of NEP 2020, 2023
- Women's Cell organized a seminar in collaboration with UGC Saksham (ON INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2024)
- Experimental Learning Gurudwara Trip in Collaboration with English Department And Women's Cell (On guru Purnima 2023)
- Department Of English and Women's Cell Alumni Talk (2024)

ELECTORAL LITERACY CLUB:

- Organized a seminar on "Road Safety" in collaboration with the Block Development Officer (BDO) of Chandrakona-II.
- Performed drama on "Chandrakonar Votar Koto"
- Organized a seminar on "Voter Awareness" in collaboration with the Block Development Officer (BDO) of Chandrakona-II.
- Celebrated National Voters' Day.
- Hosted an awareness programme on "Mera Pehla Vote, Desh Ke Liye" in collaboration with the Block Development Officer (BDO) of Chandrakona-II.
- Hosted an awareness programme focused on Electronic Voting Machine (EVM) usage.

IPR CELL:

Organized a seminar on "IPR" in association with the Intellectual Property Office, Kolkata, West Bengal



FUND GENERATION:

Funds / Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, philanthropes during the year

Name of the non-government funding agencies/ individuals	Purpose of the Grant	Funds/ Grants received (INR in lakhs)
Prof. Sumita Mallik	Sanskritik Mandap Construction	460000
Netaji Subhas Open University	Building renovation	100000
Sourav Maji	Departmental library	6250
Jatiyo Jubo Computer centre	Building renovation	3000
Ghatal R. S. Mahavidyalaya	Building renovation	16740
Santinath Patra	Building renovation	900
Prof. Kalyan Mondal	Departmental library	7900
Total		594790

MEMORIES OF THIS YEAR:





INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN:

The following events have been scheduled for the upcoming academic year 2024-25:

- To sign more MoUs with educational institutions to enable better knowledge-sharing
- To sign MoUs with the industry for job placements
- Introduction of the new postgraduate program in English.
- To construct a separate Library building, increase books, journals and introduce OER, Audio Visual Material
- To expand infrastructure i.e., build more Classrooms, well-equipped Laboratories, introduce more ICT-enabled classrooms and green spaces
- To increase facilities that may play a crucial role in creating equal opportunities for students with disability
- Building a second campus for Skill Development Courses
- Promoting the practice of high-standard research publication and project submission among faculty members.
- To organise FDP with the help of the Vidyasagar University.
- Initiative for receiving Grants & raising funds from various sources including Govt. & Non-govt. bodies, Alumni Association, philanthropists, individuals etc.
- Preparatory courses for the NET/SLET and other competitive exams.
- Initiative for Introducing Courses through MOOCs & SWAYAM.
- To establish a competitive exam. coaching centre in collaboration with Roy Institute of Competitive Examination (RICE).

Finally, on behalf of our college, we extend our thanks and gratitude to the West Bengal State Council of Higher Education. West Bengal College Service Commission, Ghatal Treasury, UCO-Chandrakona Town Branch and other Branches of the locality, Post Office, Paschim Medinipur Zilla Parishad, BDO, Chandrakona Municipality, Vidyasagar University for their support. We enthusiastically look forward to further glory and to equip ourselves for the journey ahead, especially in light of the NEP reformations and other imminent policies in the field of education.

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