

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT

EVENT REPORT

YEAR	NAME OF THE EVENT	BRIEF REPORT
2024	Seminar on <i>Sanskrit Literature</i> .	This year on 14 th of November we have arranged a Seminar on Sanskrit literature. Dr. Kaliprasad Mishra, Associate Professor, Polba Mahavidyalaya has delivered a valuable speech on modern trends of Sanskrit Literature before the students and teacher of our college.
2024	Publication of " <i>Lokavedayor-sahitya-samayanukramani</i> ".	This is a project on the chronological history of Sanskrit Literature from Vedic Period to the present time where the patronisers of the authors are also mentioned along with their birth place and time of occurrence of their works.
2024	Publication of " <i>The Mosque and Dargah of Zafar Khan Gazi.....revisited</i> ".	On 14.11.24. we have published the work. Our venture was to rediscover the historicity of the place and the reality of the myth about Zafar Khan by deciphering the scripts inscribed in the outer walls of the Mosque and Mazar.
2024	Wall Magazine " <i>Sammananam</i> "	Every year we publish our wall-magazine " <i>Sammananam</i> ". This year our wall magazine highlights on " <i>Women Empowerment</i> " in Sanskrit literature. The colourful pictures are portrayed by two of our faculty members and the magazine is written by our students.
2024	Publication of " <i>Arani</i> " Vol. XI	This year we have published the 11 th issue of our departmental academic journal <i>Arani</i> . Research-based essays on Sanskrit literature and linguistics by the students and the teachers of the department have been published in this volume.
2024	Study tour to Ambika Kalna, East Burdwan	We the teachers and students of the department of Sanskrit have visited the temple city of East Burdwan Ambika Kalna to study the inscriptions of Hindu temples which are inscribed in old Bengali Script and of course in Sanskrit language. We shall definitely publish a project report on the basis of this tour in near future.
2024	Introduction of <i>Centre for Sanskrit Learning</i>	<i>Centre for Sanskrit Learning</i> sponsored by Central Sanskrit University has been introduced in September 2024. At the very beginning 33 students got admitted in the Certificate Course of Sanskrit Learning. Smt. Aparupa Maity has been appointed as a faculty member by the sponsoring university.
2023	Study tour to the Mosque and Dargah of Zafar Khan Gazhi, Tribeni.	In the year 2019 we the teachers of the department of Sanskrit have visited the Mosque and Dargah of Zafar Khan Gazhi for the first time. At its first view, the texts scribed in the lower portion of the walls of one of the compartments of the Mazar situated at the entry point of the Mosque attracted me very much. The language of the texts was no doubt Sanskrit, but the script in which it was written, was neither Devanagari nor Bengali. All the texts were also not legible

		at all. So, we thought to make a formal visit along with the students to study the structure and sculpture attached to the mosque and of course the Sanskrit texts inside the Mazar on 14 th May 2023. Our venture was to rediscovered the historicity of the place and the reality of the myth about Zafar Khan.
2023	Workshop on Manuscriptology	A One-Day Workshop on Manuscriptology was organized by the Dept. of Sanskrit on 27.06.2023 under the aegis of IQAC. In this workshop, Sri Somenath Chattopadhyay, Coordinator MCC-MRC, delivered a valuable speech on the conservation of palm-leaf and handmade paper manuscripts.
2023	Study Tour to Shantiniketan, Bolpur	Organized jointly by Department of Sanskrit and Political Science. About 150 students have participated in this tour. During this tour students have gathered knowledge about the rich heritage and tradition of one of the prestigious Universities of our country. Visva Bharati is one of the premier Institutes of not only our country, but of the world. They got inspired by Tagore's works and instruments as displayed in the museum. Besides that, the visit to <i>Srijani Shilpa Gram</i> gave them the opportunity to experience indigenous culture of the local Adivasi community.
2023	Annual Cultural Program	The Dept. of Sanskrit organizes Annual Cultural Programme on the occasion of Teachers' Day every year. Nabin Baran of newly admitted students and farewell of pass-out students are integral part of this programme. Various events like Chanting of Veda Mantras, Recitation of Sanskrit Verses, Singing, Dancing, Performance of Drama etc. are exercised by the students of the department and teachers as well.
2023	Wall Magazine "Sammananam"	It has been a tradition of the Dept. of Sanskrit to wall-up magazine on academic issues every year. This year our wall magazine entitled " <i>Sanskrita vanmaye vijnana sadhana</i> " highlights on the scientific studies conducted in Sanskrit languages for centuries in ancient India in different fields of science.
2023	Publication of "Arani" Vol. X	This year we have published the 10 th issue of our departmental academic journal Arani. Different essays on Sanskrit language, literature and literary criticism by the students and the teachers of the department have been published in this volume. On the occasion of Annual cultural programme this journal issue was inaugurated by our Hon'ble Principal Dr. Arghya Bandyopadhyay.
2022	Campaign on Performing Art	This year we have started a campaign on <i>Performing Art</i> for the students of honours course under the supervision and expertise of Prof. Prasun Adhikari to educate the students about practical knowledge of acting in plays and theatres. Since Sanskrit is a subject related to ancient literature; Plays, Dramas, Melodramas and Dance-dramas are integral part of syllabus also. Apart from that

		theoretical knowledge, this campaign would help the students to acquire practical experience in this field.
2022	Annual Cultural Program	Every year the Dept. of Sanskrit organizes Annual Cultural Programme on the occasion of Teachers' Day. Nabin Baran of newly admitted students and farewell of pass-out students are integral part of this programme. Various events like Chanting of Veda Mantras, Recitation of Sanskrit Verses, Singing, Dancing, Performance of Drama etc. are exercised by the students of the department and teachers as well. This year we have organized an Alumni Meet "Chatra Shikshak Punarmilan Utsab" on this occasion where pass-out students of previous years have assembled in numbers and performed in various events.
2022	Photo Gallery : "Chitra-bithi"	This year Department of Sanskrit introduced a Photo Gallery "Chitra-bithi" comprising photographs of various events and tours of last five year.
2022	Wall Magazine "Sammananan"	Continuing the tradition of the Department of Sanskrit to wall-up magazine on academic issues every year, this year we have wall-up the magazine entitled "Smarane manane adhyapika Rita Chattopadhyay" in the memory of our beloved Professor Dr. Rita Chattopadhyay who has passed away this year.
2022	Publication of "Arani" Vol. VII, VIII, IX	Since the Lock-Down due to COVID-19 has effected the regular activities of the institution, the publication of our Annual Academic Journal Arani was discontinued for last two years. This year we have published three issues i.e. two back issues and the current issue of Arani. Different essays on Sanskrit language, literature and literary criticism by the students and the teachers of the department have been published in these volumes. On the occasion of Annual cultural programme this journal issues were inaugurated by the Teacher-in-Charge Prof. Arun Kumar Koley.
2019	Study Tour to Shantiniketan, Bolpur	The Department of Sanskrit along with the department of Political Science conducts study tour at a regular interval. This year our tour to Shantiniketan was aimed at inculcating the values regarding our rich heritage and respect to the diverse culture of Bengal.
2019	Annual Cultural Program	The Dept. of Sanskrit organizes Annual Cultural Programme on the occasion of Teachers' Day every year. Nabin Baran of newly admitted students and farewell of pass-out students are integral part of this programme. Various events like Chanting of Veda Mantras, Recitation of Sanskrit Verses, Singing, Dancing, Performance of Drama etc. are exercised by the students of the department and teachers as well.
2019	Wall Magazine "Sammananam"	This year the wall-magazine of our department "Sammananam" was published on the occasion of Teachers' Day. The topic of the wall-magazine was "Sanskrita sahitye Ishwarchandra Vidyasagarer avadan".

		The students and teachers of the department took part in the preparation of the wall-magazine.
2019	Publication of " <i>Arani</i> " Vol. VI	This year we have published the 6 th issue of our departmental academic journal Arani. Different essays on Sanskrit language, literature and literary criticism by the students and the teachers of the department have been published in this volume. On the occasion of Annual Cultural programme this journal issue was inaugurated.
2018	Annual Cultural Program	Every year the Dept. of Sanskrit organizes Annual Cultural Programme on the occasion of Teachers' Day. Nabin Baran of newly admitted students and farewell of pass-out students are integral part of this programme. Various events like Chanting of Veda Mantras, Recitation of Sanskrit Verses, Singing, Dancing, Performance of Drama etc. are exercised by the students of the department and teachers as well.
2018	Wall Magazine " <i>Sammananam</i> "	It has been a tradition of the Department of Sanskrit to wall-up magazine on academic issues every year. This year our wall magazine entitled " <i>Brahmi lipir vivartaner dhara</i> " emphasized on the evolution process of Brahmi Script.
2018	Publication of " <i>Arani</i> " Vol. V	This year we have published the 5 th issue of our departmental academic journal Arani. Different essays on literature and literary criticism have been published in this volume. On the occasion of Annual cultural programme, our Hon'ble Principal Dr. Napankar Hazra inaugurated the journal issue.