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SIVANATH SASTRI COLLEGE

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Annual Report for 2020-2021

Sivanath Sastri College, a well-organized premier institution of Higher Education for Women in India has been striving hard to keep pace with the changing realities of life imparting Quality Education even during harsh years of Pandemic. The Institution put into practice its best efforts to be an academic institution of excellence. The College believes in sincere commitment to professionalism together with promotion of Human Values to create New Age Young Generations promoting excellence and advancement in life. The enriched faculties of the College have always been emphasizing the application of innovative pedagogical approach, encouraging the young learners to think & analyze critically. The faculties deal with the students with great care, stimulating them to become efficient leaders of the nation tomorrow. The peaceful ambience of the College with students coming from diverse socio- economic backgrounds is the USP of the College. In the age of information explosion and changing landscape of socio-economic scene necessitate that higher education parameters are to be redefined and new parameters of research orientation, social commitment should be given due recognition. Together with this vision the college strives to promote women empowerment and academic excellence.

A brief summary of the activities of the college in the past one year will show various facets of the college activities such as enrichment of faculties, completion of syllabus, operations of feedback mechanisms etc. in the form of a comprehensive report. The concerned year 2020-2021 witness the continuation of pandemic related restrictions and hence normal academic activities were mostly conducted through online mode. Many of the normal offline activities such as holding of practical classes, field work couldn't be held for this reason.

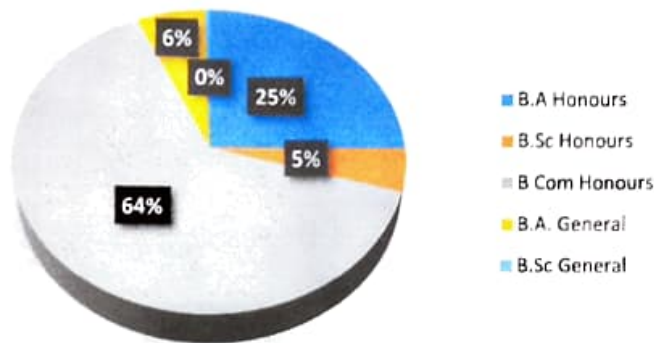
Academic Performance of Final Semester Students

In 2020-21, the odd Semester Examination was conducted in March, 2021 and even semesters in August, 2021. Due to prevailing Pandemic situation, both the examinations were conducted in online mode.



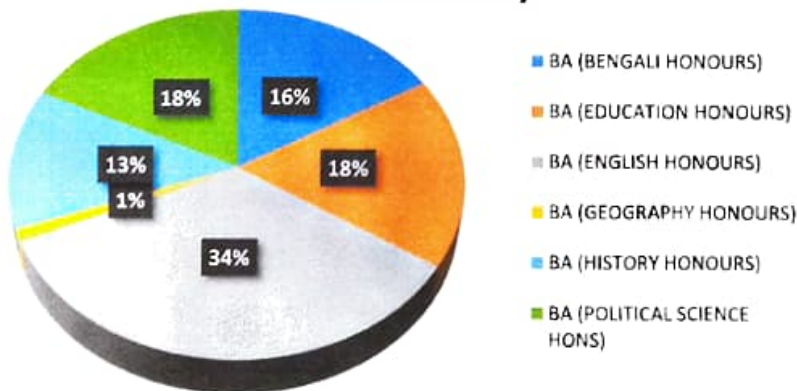

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Students Appeared in Final Semester Examination, 2021



- In 2021, 678 students appeared in Final Semester (Semester -VI) Examination, out of which 633 students were eligible for Honours Examination and rest of 45 for General stream.
- The majority of Honours students (432) appeared from Commerce stream, followed by B.A. Honours having 170 students and 31 from B.Sc Honours Programme.
- As far as General Course is concerned, a limited number of candidates (42 students) appeared from B.A General Stream with an insignificant number (only 3) came from B.Sc. General Course.

Subject-wise classification of B.A Honours candidates (appeared in Final Semester Examination, 2021)



- A significant number of students (58) belonged to English Honours, whereas candidates from other B.A. Honours were lying between 22 to 30. Out of 170 B.A. Honours candidates, only 2 were from B.A. Geography Honours.
- It is important to mention that Geography Honours candidates are awarded B.A. and B.Sc degree depending on their Generic Subject combination. The figure for B.Sc.

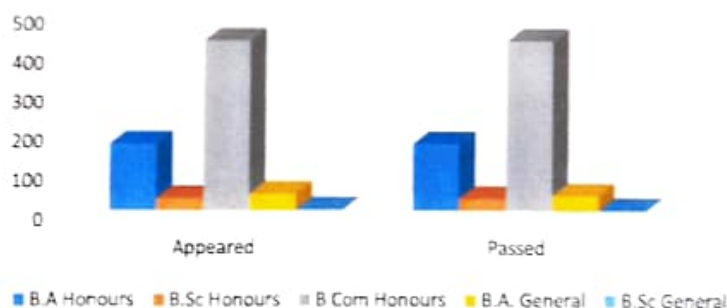


Honours is depicted in the following chart, with 20 students coming from Geography Honours and the rest 11 from Economics Honours.

Subject-wise classification of B.Sc. Honours candidates (appeared in Final Semester Examination, 2021)



Comparison between Number of Students Appeared and Passed in Final Semester Examination, 2021



The Final Year students have recorded a spectacular performance, with approximately 100% pass percentage in almost all subjects. Only a slight exception is observed in B.A General stream, where 92% students cleared the UG Programme. Summary of results are as follows



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Summary of Results

2021

| Programme | Number of students appeared in the final year examination | Number of students passed in Final Semester (Semester-6) Examination | Number of students cleared ALL SEMESTER | Number of students having score B+ and above (CGPA 6.00 and above) |
|------------------------------------|---|--|---|--|
| BA (BENGALI HONOURS) | 28 | 28 | 28 | 26 (93%) |
| BA (EDUCATION HONOURS) | 30 | 30 | 30 | 28 (93%) |
| BA (ENGLISH HONOURS) | 58 | 58 | 57 | 52 (91%) |
| BA (HISTORY HONOURS) | 22 | 22 | 20 | 20 (91%) |
| BA (POLITICAL SCIENCE HONOURS) | 30 | 30 | 28 | 28 (93%) |
| B.Sc (ECONOMICS HONOURS) | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 (91%) |
| B.A. AND B.Sc. (GEOGRAPHY HONOURS) | 22 | 22 | 22 | 22 (100%) |
| B.COM (HONOURS) | 432 | 432 | 428 | 428 (99%) |
| B.A. GENERAL | 42 | 39 | | |
| B.Sc. GENERAL | 3 | 3 | | |
| TOTAL | 678 | 675 | | |

• Arrangement of Special Lecture Series

Special Online Lecture Series have been arranged by Department of Education with technical support of the college library during 22nd to 25th June, 2021 and the students have also made their own presentation on 24th June, 2021.

- Day-1 (22.06.2022) Topic was, "Reading Gender Reading the Self. Special lecture given by Speaker Dr. Indrani Nath, Sarsuna College.
- Day-2 (23.06.21) Topic was -"Copying strategies for personal and Environmental" Stress" Speaker - Dr. Minati Saha, Asst. Prof. of Muralidhar College.
- Day – 3 (24.06.21) Paper Presentation by students on "Role of Mass Media in building inclusiveness", Special lecture was given by Indrani Nath, Sarsuna College
- Day-4 (25.6.21) Topic was "Women Health Awareness and Education



Speaker - Dr Indrani Ghosh, Diamond Harbour Women University

❖ Publications:-

The faculty of the institution has shown excellence in the publication of articles in journals and reputed books.

In 2021, total Number of Publications in Journals enlisted under UGC CARE Group I and Group II is 6, out of which 2 articles were published under Group -I and 4 articles under Group -II. It includes 5 National Publications and 1 international publication. The teacher has published 1 book and 5 chapters (including conference proceedings) in Books.

❖ Interdisciplinary Research Project:-

Interdisciplinary Research Project "Revolutionary Journey of Medicinal Plant Ancient Days and Modern Civilization" funded by College was completed in 2020 and the compilation of the articles in the form of edited book was undertaken in 2021.

❖ Memorandum of Understandings:-

There are three functional MOU in the Institution:-

1. Two MoUs were signed on 5th April, 2021, between Sivanath Sastri College and Murulidhar Girls' College for faculty Exchange programme in the Department of Political science and Bengali. Several interactive classes based on the Syllabus had been conducted.
2. MOU with CCCBA (City College of Commerce and Business Administration), signed on 2nd September, 2016, has been renewed subsequently and faculty Exchange programme was successfully conducted.

❖ Workshop:-

Three in-house Workshops were organized by the Institution for the Staff:-

- A workshop was conducted in association with Infotech Pvt. Ltd. On 18.7.2021 **on Asset Register Management**. The goal of the workshop was to explain to members of the teaching and nonteaching staff the importance of proper management of asset registers for departments with physical assets (lab equipment, etc). Siddhartha Dutta of Infotech Pvt. Ltd was the resource person for the workshop. A total of 10 staff members from – Department of Geography, Department of Botany, Library, Computer Lab and Office of the College participated and were deeply enriched by the workshop
- A **two-day workshop** was conducted in collaboration with IQAC, Sivanath Sastri College on 6-7 August 2021, on **the operation and management of the HRMS system** through which financial work is conducted for the College. A total of 6 teaching and 7 non-teaching faculty members were present at the workshop. The speaker at the workshop was Shri. Mukul Roy. The participants were greatly benefitted by this workshop.



- **A workshop on the use of MIS software** for both the Teaching and non-Teaching staff was held on 8.2.2021 in the Conference (Rector's) Room of the College. The duration of the meeting was from 11 AM to 2:30 PM. A total of 25 teaching and non-teaching staff attended the workshop. The speaker at the workshop was Mr. Siddhartha Dutta, of Infotech Pvt Ltd., who explained at length the best use of the MIS software and how the College staff could be benefitted from it. The workshop was highly praised for being informative and highly useful.

❖ NSS Report -:

Sivanath Sastri college in association with NSS unit, Extension Committee and Alumni Association organized Relief for 'yaas' Cyclone and Re-habitation at Sundarban Sramagibi Swasthya Prakaalpa (24 parganas). It was held on the 26th of June, 2021. A cheque of Rs. 1,20,000/- (Rupees one lakh twenty thousand only) was donated and sanitizer, masks along with some essentials were also provided as Relief.

❖ The Cultural Activities Organized-:

The cultural Sub Committee of Sivanath Sastri, College virtually celebrated the 160th birth Anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore on the 9th of May 2021. The teachers and the students of the college participated in the programme. It was really praiseworthy.

The cultural Sub Committee also virtually paid tribute to the social reformer Sivanath Sastri, the legacy of whom the college commemorates, by arranging a Cultural programme on His death anniversary on 30th September, 2021.

❖ Infrastructure Development-:

The newly purchased land (Shali land), measuring 168 decimals, at Sonarpur, South 24 Parganas for building Second campus of Sivanath Sastri College was registered on 14th September, 2020. In 2021, this 'Shali' land was converted to ' Bastu' land vide Memo No. 3411/60 C /72/P/21 dated 4th October, 2021. Tender was floated for providing Architectural consultancy Services for providing services for Proposed 2nd Campus of Sivanath Sastri College.

❖ Fees Concession-:

Due to the pandemic, economic crisis was faced by the entire world. Our students faced difficulty in paying their regular fees considering them joint appeal the College **Governing Body had decided a concession of 15% Reduction of fees for all categories of students. Apart from this many have received 50% to 100% fees reductions. They were also allowed to pay their fees through easy installments.**



❖ Scholarships of the College 2020- 2021-:

In 2021, Renu Dutta Scholarship has been introduced for providing scholarship to the economically backward meritorious students of all departments. Fourteen students have received the scholarship.

| Name of the Scholarship | No. of students received | Total Amount received (Rs.) |
|---|---|-----------------------------|
| KANYASHREE PRAKALPA | 59 | 11,39,000/- |
| SWAMI VIVEKANANDA MERIT-CUM-MEANS SCHOLARSHIP | 309 | 39,06,000/- |
| NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP | 92 | 8,61,000/- |
| AIKASHREE | 183 | 12,07,800/- |
| Renu Dutta Scholarship | 16 | 1,31,936/- |
| Student Aid fund | 2 students received the full amount and 11 students received a part out of Student Aid Fund | 23,675/- |
| Total | 672 | 72,69,411/- |

❖ Students Progression-:

Campus Requirement:

During 2021, 93 Candidates Shared their profile out of which 43 candidates appeared in National Quantitative test. All applicants from B.Sc. cleared and 16 from B. Com cleared the examination. Only 5 have joined the Organization.

11 students appeared for State and National examination, only 2 students cleared.

❖ Progression to Higher Education-:

In the academic year 2020-21, across all departments 91 Candidates have joined for Higher Education.

The institution has carried out several activities along with the academic part and has targeted to achieve its goals. Still a few goals remained unachieved. The institution will try its best to adapt several advanced measures so that all stakeholders would be satisfied and in a broader sense, an environmentally-sound society would be formed, awareness of society would be enhanced and sustainable development would touch its peak.

