

INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS

KAMARBANDHA COLLEGE



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Institutional Distinctiveness

1. Extension activities in neighbouring communities.

Kamarbandha college promotes extension activities in the neighbouring communities for the holistic development of the students. The faculties and students are engaged in various awareness and developmental programmes of the community through which they can become socially responsible. Various departments of the college, the NSS volunteers, the NCC cadets and RRC members have been engaged from time to time in different activities related to environmental and health issues, in field studies and surveys.

On World Environment Days students not only clean the college premise but also the nearby areas and are engaged in planting trees in their neighbourhoods. The NCC female cadets observed the Environment Day by conducting processions, displaying environmental placards, to raise awareness among the people on plastic pollution and environmental protection. NSS volunteers celebrated Iconic Week by cleaning religious places and statues in their villages and also planting trees in those areas. The department of Political Science also organized an awareness programme with a self-help group of village women, on the uses of plastic bags. The Philosophy department conducted a workshop on Iron and Arsenic free water preparation at Borjan Tea Estate. The Economics department conducted an awareness programme on 21 June, 2022 at Dakhinhengera Higher Secondary School on 'Biodiversity and its Conservation'. Students are engaged in cleanliness drives of the surrounding areas at regular intervals, especially the market complex, in front of the college.

The institute gives priority to the health and psychological well-being not only of the students but the community as a whole. We organized a free health camp for the students as well as people from the nearby villages with the help of Kamarbandha ALI P.H.C. Faculties and NSS volunteers conducted awareness programmes on Covid-19, distributed food items, masks and soaps among the needy people in the villages during the pandemic. They observed the World Health Day by meeting villagers, especially housewives, explaining the health and sanitation practices like hand washing for healthy living and measures to be taken for prevention of epidemics and distributed soaps among them. The Economics department conducted an economic survey at the adopted village, Athabari to analyse the socio-economic conditions of the rural people, about the facilities and provisions they have received from the government. The philosophy department and IQAC in collaboration with K.B. Ali P.H.C., organized health awareness camp at Dogasola L.P. school of our adopted village, Athabari. The NSS unit conducted an awareness programme for children, mothers and pregnant women at the school about food and nutrition, celebrating Rashtriya Poshan Maah, 2022. RRC, NSS unit and IQAC of Kamarbandha college organised a blood donation camp with Blood Camp, Golaghat SKK Civil Hospital where 37 people -students, staff members and persons from the community donated blood.

It is noteworthy that the Women Cell, Kamarbandha college, involves community participation every year on its celebration of the International Women's Day. In 2019, Women Cell celebrated the Day with the Self-Help Groups, who organized an exhibition at

the college also. In 2021, Members of the Women Cell were involved in a community programme held at Ekol Vidyalaya, to mark the celebration of Women's Day.

2. Introduction of Skill development Courses

Kamarbandha College is a rural college situated in the eastern part of Golaghat District. So, it has a clear vision of becoming an ideal institute not only academically, but also as an institute promoting skills development. That is why from its establishment it has been offering different skill development courses from time to time under the guidelines of Dibrugarh University. In the previous academic curriculum, the institute offered skill-based courses like Travel and Tourism Management, Teaching in Elementary Level and Computer skill course. The students are offered opportunities for skill development through some good practices like Yoga and training in Physical exercise. Departments conduct training workshops on beautician course and craft works like cutting, knitting, embroidery and flower making and cooking also. In those programmes sometimes local community and SHGs are also engaged. Classes for enhancement of students' verbal communication skills are also conducted. The Institute has a tea garden of its own. So, the students are provided some practical knowledge of tea plantation also. Students are engaged in planting of Agarwood trees and in creation of herbal medicinal gardens on campus so that they can gain knowledge of such plantations as earning source. From the academic session 2022-23, as per the guidelines of Dibrugarh University, the college has undertaken teaching of 9 Add-On courses to equip the students with knowledge and skills.

List of the Add-on courses introduced are:

1. Spoken English
2. Food Processing
3. Cutting & Embroidery
4. Vermicompost
5. Entrepreneurship Development
6. Mushroom Cultivation
7. Tourism Management
8. Beautician.
9. DCA

All these courses are introduced with a view to enhancing skills in students for their future lives. It is also to give additional support to students for earning livelihood with an additional source of income to meet their personal needs.

3. Observation and Celebration of Important Days

Kamarbandha college believes that festivals are integral part of the learning. The college celebrates days of significant importance at the national and international level to create awareness among the students about the significance of freedom, democracy and peace and to build in students a strong cultural belief, social cohesion and knowledge about the surrounding.

Days	Date	No of Participants
World Environment Day	2018	26
	2019	45
	2021	44 Students Planted in their locality; Celebration on Google Meet by Education department
	2022 (6th and 7th June)	59(Seminar on theme: Understanding of CO2, Greenhouse gases and climate change) Environment Quiz: 32 Participants
Teachers' Day	2019 to 2022	Students' Union & Departments
International Yoga Day	2018	33
	2019	31
	2021	50 (in GOOGLE MEET)
	2022	32
Republic Day	2018	25
	2019	52
	2020	21
	2021	26 NCC Cadets Participated in district Parade & 25 at College
	2022	42
Independence Day	2017	52
	2018	34(in Flag hoisting) & 30 in Open Quiz
	2019	47 in flag hoisting; Community Programme -87
	2022	49
National Library Day	2019	25
	2021	18
	2022	22

Voters' Day	5 Dec,2020	62
International Human Rights day	10 Dec. 2021	86
Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi	1/10/19	101
International Women's Day,	2018	8 women Cell members visited aged writer and social worker, Srimati Mohini Chaliha's home to honour her.
	2019	76 (The college celebrated with SHG women at college)
	2021	15NCC cadets participated at the college; Women Cell members joined the celebration at Ekol Vidyalaya, Golaghat
	2022	37 participated in the honouring function of social worker, writer and teacher Srimati Brajabala Saikia. 8NCC girls visited entrepreneur Srimati Anima Kachari's home at Titabor to honour her for her efforts to make 300 women self -independent through weaving.
World Health Day	2021	50 (Meeting organised by the Education deptt.at Kamarbandha Junior College)
	2022	21 (NSS volunteers)
Rabha Diwas	2019	46
	2021	10
	2022	31
Green Consumer Day	2019	42
National Sports Day	2022	38 (NSS volunteers and youths from Athabari village)
International Youth Day	2022	45 participated in Cycle rally (NSS and RRC)
Rashtriya Ekta Diwas	2022	50 (NCC, NSS)
Bhupen Hazarika Death Anniversary	2021	55
	2022	26

Fit India	2019	25
	2022	20

Photos related to institutional distinctiveness

1. Extension activities in neighboring communities:

Women's day with SHG



Socio economic survey



Corona awareness in adopted village



Women's day celebration



Independence day celebration



Women's day celebration



Community awareness programme



Socio economic survey



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Women's day celebration



Community exchange programme



Health awareness programme



2.Introduction of skill development course

Mushroom cultivation



Beautician course



Cutting & embroidery



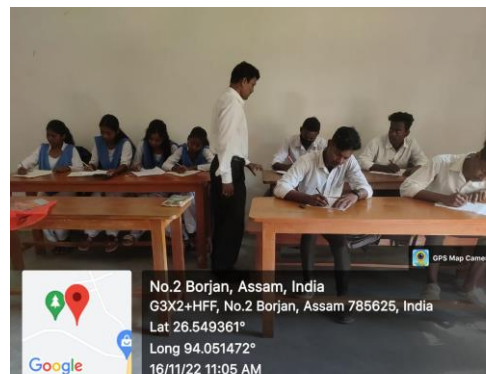
Food processing & preservation



Vermi composting



Travel and tourism



Entrepreneurship development



Spoken English



Inauguration of incubation centre



3. Observation and celebration of important days:

International human rights day



International Women's day celebration



World health Day



Lachit Barphukan Day



Environmental day



International human rights day



World health day



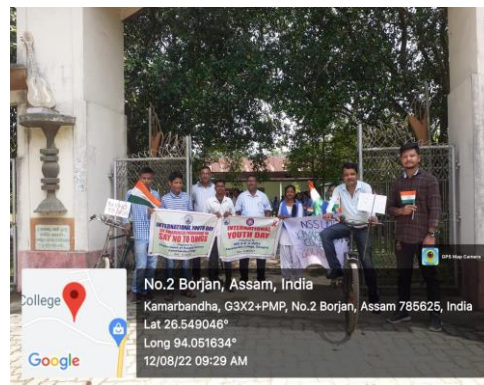
Independence Day



Gandhi jayanti



International youth day



Bishnu rabha divas



International library day



International Yoga Day



World menstrual hygiene Day



Rastriya poshan maah



NSS day



Teachers' Day



National sports day



Republic day



Silpi divas

