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1. VISION, MISSION AND MOTTO OF THE COLLEGE

: Vision

To have a transformative effect on society and the community in Morigaon district by imparting quality higher education to all sections of society, especially the needy and the down-trodden.

: Mission

1. To transform the community and society by imparting quality education, especially to the needy sections of society, and thus helping our students achieve their goals.
2. To produce competent graduates who can meet the challenges of an emerging, competitive world.

To cultivate students to be environmentally aware, intellectually alert, morally strong, socially committed, and accountable.

: Motto

“**Vidyaya Sadhayet**” (विद्यया साधयेत्) “**Vidyaya Sadhayet**”. That is, the cultivation of life is possible only through knowledge.

The teaching-learning process is interactive and participatory. Students are encouraged to take an active part in all the academic processes comprise of classroom lectures, tutorials, practicals, discussions, seminars, library work, fieldwork, assignments, presentations and career counseling, etc.

2. THE COLLEGE AT A GLANCE

1. Name	:	Ghanakanta Baruah College
2. Date of Establishment	:	1 st September, 1993
3. Affiliation	:	Affiliated to the Gauhati University
4. UGC Regd.	:	2(F) & 12(B)
5. NAAC	:	
6. Founder Principal	:	Late Kamaleswar Deka
7. Former Principals	:	a. Late Cheniram Konwar b. Late Mudrananda Gohain c. Shri Sushil Kumar Saikia (i/c)
8. Present Principal	:	Dr. Bishnu Prasad Upadhaya
9. Programmes Offered	:	Bachelor of Arts,
11. Nos. of Teaching Staff	:	26 (Full-time) & 14 (Contractual)
12. Nos. of Non-teaching Staff	:	12 (Permanent) & 2 (Temporary)
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3. GKB COLLEGE- A PROFILE

: LOCATION

Ghanakanta Baruah College is one of the premier institutes of higher education in the district of Morigaon. It was established in the year 1993. It is located by the Jagiroad-Morigaon highway at Nabheti. The college is located in a unique environment free from the hustle and bustle of city life.

: HISTORY

Alike necessity is the mother of invention, the necessity of the second Degree College at Morigaon town was the reason behind the inception of Ghanakanta Baruah College in the year 1993. Turning up of several delegates of aspirant students and guardians for the Degree course at Karmapran Khirod Baruah's residence had fruition on 1st September 1993, when a new Degree college was established at the premises of old Mondal Barrack on the patronage of Karmapran Khirod Baruah. In this regard, the first public meeting was held at the circuit house, Morigaon on 24th July 1993, which was convened by Karmapran Khirod Baruah and Jibon ch. Pegu (DC, Morigaon) as chief convener and the other nine dignitaries as convener. At that meeting a Governing Body including Jibon ch. Pegu as president and Khirod Baruah as secretary were formed, where Karmapran had accepted for patronizing a degree college in memory of his father GHANAKANTA BARUAH who was a well-known social worker and Freedom fighter. After the establishment of the college Karmapran Khirod Baruah and his beloved mother, Late Taruni Baruah had arranged a plot of land measuring 7.5 Bighas of their own for the college at Nabheti, Morigaon, where the college is running and developing presently. Soon after the college was established, on Saturday 27th November 1993 felled thunderbolt to the college along with whole the state of Assam and Morigaon district Khirod Baruah was assassinated by some miscreants of a militant organization. That in fact, not only retards the pace of development of our college but also the pace of development of the Morigaon district. Even in such a grieved situation, Mrs. Jonjonali Baruah, the apt wife of Karmapran Khirod Baruah had come forward for the greater social cause, leaving aside her problems and has been providing her generous support to the college to date. She facilitates the college with the required furniture and fixtures along with the initial three years' salary for its employees. Above all, we can reiterate that her guardianship, on which the college has developed and prospering further.

In the process of development of the college, many persons associated with us and contributed at their convenience. The persons who have contributed to academic administration are Late Kamaleswar Deka, Cheni Ram Konwar, and Mudrananda Gohain. In the front of financial administration besides Mrs. Jonjonali Baruah - the chief patron & Presently Donor Member of the college, Late Helim Hussain had contributed a lot as a GB member and Assistant Secretary since pre-inception of the college in 1993 till his death. The persons who were close associates of Karmapran Khirod Baruah and later joined hands with Mrs. Jonjonali Baruah for the development of the college are Giridhar Patar, Sir Fazlur Rahman, Sri Maneswar Dewri, Hiramba Goswami, Sri Naba Kanta Bordoloi, Sri Birinchidhar Buragohain, Sri Birendra Nath Mahanta, Sri Romesh Bora, Lakhseswar Deka, Sri Baneswar Mahanta, and other... Dignitaries who contributed academically are Sri Jiba Kanta Nath, Kuladhar Nath, Sri Niranjana Kr. Baruah, Mrs. Renu Medhi, Maqbul Hussain, Bandana Devi, Mridul Sharma, Durgeswar Saikia, Anil Devnath, etc.



We are grateful to the institutions that have financially helped us are DRDA Morigaon; Tiwa Autonomous Council, Morigaon; ITDP, Morigaon, and Morigaon Zila Parishad.

The academic and administrative affairs of the college are managed by a Governing Body (GB) as the chief executive body of the college. Powers are vested upon the Governing Body and the responsibility of control and maintenance of standard of education, inter-departmental coordination, examination, etc. are vested upon the principal of the college. To help the principal with the overall quality assurance there is an IQAC Cell in the College.

The college has its Academic Block, Administrative Block, Auditorium, Library, etc. within the campus. The college is forwarding with construction works and others so that the entire required infrastructure could be facilitated within a short period. In this sphere, we have to mention that the Generosity and Enthusiasm of the Government are proving a great asset for the college practically infostering the development of the college.

Ghanakanta Baruah College is affiliated to Gauhati University. The college received its recognition under sections 2(F) and 12(B) of the UGC Act 1956 in February 2013.

Ghanakanta Baruah College was provincialised with effect from 01-01-2013

: TRANSPORTATION AND CONNECTIVITY/COMMUNICATION

Ghanakanta Baruah College is located in an ideal location in terms of the availability and accessibility of transport and communication under the Morigaon sub-division in the district of Morigaon. It is about two kilometers away from DC's office in Morigaon, twenty kilometers from Jagiroad, and eighty kilometers from Guwahati city under P.O.-Morigaon Dist- Morigaon, Assam. The college is affiliated with Gauhati University, Assam.

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4. ACADEMIC INFORMATION

REGULATIONS OF GAUHATI UNIVERSITY FOR THE TDC SEMESTER SYSTEM

GU REGULATION ON FYUGP

The Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP) of Gauhati University is as per UGC's Curricular Framework, published in November 2022. The course structure of FYUGP is built on the Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS).



Duration:

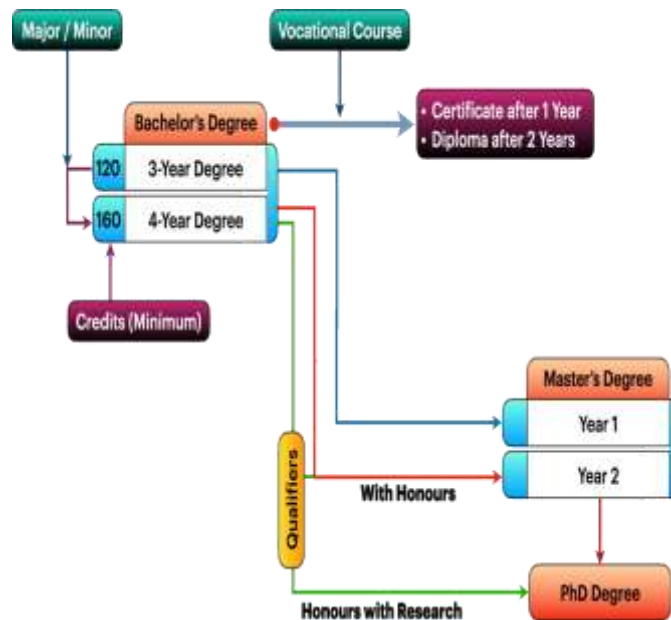
Under the NEP's FYUGP, it is a 4-year degree programme.

Exits & Entries:

In the FYUGP, one has choice to exit from the programme thrice—after one year, after two years, and after three years. If one exits the programme after one year, one gets a certificate. If one exits after two years, one gets a diploma. If one exits after three years, one gets a Bachelor's Degree, and finally, if a student completes the whole 4-year, one gets a Bachelor's Degree (Honours).

Honours and Major:

Under the CBCS, we either have a Bachelor's Degree (Honours) or a regular Bachelor's Degree. In FYUGP, we get a Bachelor's Degree with Major after 3 years and a degree with Major & Honours after 4 years.





Progression:

If a student exits the FYUGP after 3 years, s/he will need to take admission into the first year of a Master's programme, which is a 2-year degree programme. However, if a student fully completes an FYUGP, she/he needs to take admission into the second year of a Master's programme and needs to complete only one year to get a Master's Degree. Under CBCS, there were no such pathways.

Progression to Doctoral Studies:

Once a student takes admission into a Master's programme either after 3 years of the Bachelor's programme or after FYUGP, one will be able to take admission into a Doctoral programme leading to the Degree of PhD. However, if a student is exceptionally good, one can directly take admission into a Doctoral programme right after the FYUGP, bypassing the Master's programme.

Basically, there are two parts of a course under the FYUGP— (a) Core Courses and (b) Common Courses. As the name suggests, different students study different core courses and all students study the common courses.

First Year (Semester I & II):

In the first year, one studies three different core subjects—one paper of each subject per semester. Besides, one needs to study a host of common subjects that we have designed as per UGC's Curricular Framework. Details of these courses are described in this booklet.

Second Year (Semester III & IV): Semester III

In the third semester, one will usually continue with the same core subjects that have already been chosen in the first year and again study some common subjects. In the third semester, one will also take a step forward to study the favourite subject by **declaring** one of the core subjects as a **Major** subject and the other two as **Minors**. However, the structure of the programme remains the same as in the first & second semesters.

Semester IV

From Semester IV onwards, one will primarily study the Major subject by taking at least four papers, some of which may be elective depending on the subject concerned.

As the programme structure in the third semester is the same as the first & second semesters, one will have the option of changing the Major in the fourth semester to anyone of the other two Minors as well, even if one has already declared a Major in the third semester. However, this has the condition that the new Major subject of choice has vacancy.



Third Year:

In the third year, one will continue to study the Major subject to complete a full set of 15 papers in Majors.

Fourth Year:

If one intends to progress to the fourth year, s/he will be devoting the time in studying advanced courses which will be at the level of initial Master's degree papers. Besides, one will also have the opportunity of engaging into research work with the faculty members.

Besides the above, there are some more unique features of the FYUGP. They are

Free Credits:

From the third to sixth semesters, one will have time for 4 free credits per semester, which one can utilise for having more Minors. They can also come in handy if one had changed a Minor subject in between.

Double Major:

If a student is ready to do some more hard work, she/he can take some extra online courses (from designated sources only) related to the Minors and can then convert one of the Minors to a second Major by the time one completes 3 / 4 years of study. This is over and above the first Major. In this case, one will have a Bachelor's Degree with Double Majors.

FYUGP degrees & curriculum framework

The FYUGP at GU is designed to offer two types of Bachelor's Degrees to the students at the end of the successful completion of the programme - (i) Bachelor's Degree in a Stream and (ii) Bachelor's Degree in a Discipline. The word stream here refers to Arts, Science, Commerce, and Management. In case of a degree in a stream, the student studies a multitude of different subjects, usually mixing different disciplines, which leads to a truly multi-disciplinary degree. While in case of a degree in a discipline, the student is confined to a certain sets of disciplines. However, in both cases, the student studies equal number of courses (i.e. papers) so there is no weightage of any kind to either of the two types of degrees.

For both the types of degree programmes, course-wise, the whole FYUGP is divided into two parts (i) Core Courses and (ii) Common Courses. The minimum credit allocation for a 3-year programme is 84 credits in Core Courses and 36 credits in Common Courses, which comes to a total of minimum 120 credits for a 3-year programme. With the fourth year, the minimum credit requirement becomes 160.

Multiple Exits & Entries

As mentioned before, a student can exit after any year during the FYUGP. Depending on the



exit level, a student can get a certificate, diploma, or a degree.

If a student exits after one year into the programme, she/he will be eligible to get a certificate, if she clears all the courses at that point of time. Similarly, she/he will be getting a diploma if s/he exit after two years into the programme, after clearing all the courses up to that point of time. Eventually, after three years, s/he will get a Bachelor's Degree.

Exit Courses

Every student who wants to exit before 3 years into the programme, **MUST** complete an additional Vocational Course of 4 credits.

Every student who is in the third year of the FYUGP, can advance to the fourth year. After successful completion of the fourth year, s/he gets either a Bachelor's Degree (Honours) or a Bachelor's Degree (Honours) with Research.

FYUGP degrees & curriculum

Core Courses

The Core Courses determine the ultimate degree, diploma, or certificate a student will earn at the end of third (or fourth) year, second year, or first year, respectively. The performance in the Core Courses will also determine the grade of the student in the final examinations. Total minimum credit requirement is 84 for the Core Courses, which translates to 21 courses (i.e. papers) with a credit allocation of 4 per course (paper). A student will need to study at least three Core subjects.

The Core Courses have to be chosen among a plethora of subjects offered (see the section on Subject Details) for both the types of degrees, respectively. In case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Stream, the components of the Core Courses are Major and / or Minors, while in case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Discipline, there are no Majors and Minors.

Major and Minors

In case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Stream, a student either chooses a Major and Minors or just Minors from among the subjects. In any case, a student needs to complete minimum of 21 courses or 84 credits by the third year. Please see the examples that we have given in this booklet. A Major course must carry a minimum credit of 60 and one Minor course should carry a minimum credit of 12.

Usually, for majority of the students, the Core Course will consist of one Major and two Minors. But if a student desires, using the optional core paper credits (as described earlier), s/he can easily complete a third Minor as well.

Common courses

The common courses are to be studied by all students alike and all-together they carry total credits of 36 over a 3-year period. These courses are further divided into eight (8) sub-categories, as described below.



Multi-disciplinary Courses

These are 3-credit courses spanning over eight different groups of subjects (i) Natural and Physical Science, (ii) Mathematical Sciences (iii) Library, Information, and Media Sciences, (iv) Commerce and Management, and (v) Humanities and Social Sciences (vi) Information and Communication Technologies (vii) Life Sciences and Sciences. The levels of these courses are of Class XII. (viii) Earth

Each student need to take all the three papers from one Multidisciplinary Group.

Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)

This is an 8-credit course covering language/Alternative English and English Usage (Communication).

Each student needs to complete two papers of 4-credits each one from English Usage and other from the group of Language, especially designed for this purpose. Both these courses are further divided into two 2-credit courses each. The Language/Alternative English course is to be completed during Semesters 1 & 5 and the English Communication course is to be completed during Semesters 2 & 6.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC) These are various skill courses with total credit allocation of 9. All students need to complete three skill courses, each with 3 credits during Semesters 1-3.

Value Added Courses (VAC)

The VAC courses will come from four sub groups (i) Understanding India, (ii) Environmental Science, (iii) Digital and Technological Solutions, and (iv) Health & Wellness, Yoga Education, Sports, and Fitness. All together they will have a credit allocation of 6.

Each student will have to take any three courses, each of 2-credit, from any three groups during Semesters 1, 2, & 4.

Internship

All students are to carry out an Internship with a credit allocation of 4. The internship is expected to be carried out in Semester 3. However, students will have the opportunity of clearing it by the end of the 6th Semester. As internships are meant to be done during semester breaks, they will not interfere with other classes.

The Fourth Year

In the FYUGP, the fourth year is at par with the first year of a Master's programme, as a student can directly take admission into the second year of a Master's programme after the successful completion of the FYUGP. In the fourth year, a student has to complete one compulsory paper on



Research Methodology (REM) in the Semester VII, which is a 4-credit theory paper. The rest of courses will consist of Advanced Core Courses and a Dissertation depending on whether a student opts for a Degree (Honours) or Degree (Honours) with Research.

FYUGP degrees & course structures:

The FYUGP at GU is designed to offer two types of Bachelor's Degrees to the students at the end of the successful completion of the programme —

(i) Bachelor's Degree in a Stream and (ii) Bachelor's Degree in a Discipline.

The word **stream** here refers to Arts, Science, Commerce, and Management. In case of a degree in a stream, the student studies a multitude of different subjects, usually mixing different disciplines, which leads to a truly multidisciplinary degree. While in case of a degree in a discipline, the student is confined to a certain set of disciplines. However, in both cases, the student studies equal number of courses (i.e. papers) —so there is now eight age of any kind to either of the two types of degrees.

For both the types of degree programmes, course-wise, the whole FYUGP is divided into two parts—

(i) Core Courses and

(ii) Common Courses.

The minimum credit allocation for a 3-year programme is 84 credits in Core Courses and 36 credits in Common Courses, which comes to a total of minimum 120 credits for a 3-year programme. With the fourth year, the minimum credit requirement becomes 160. A student can however earn up to a maximum of 132 credits in a 3-year programme and 176 by the fourth year.

Core courses:

The Core Courses determine the ultimate degree, diploma, or certificate a student will earn at the end of third (or fourth) year, second year, or first year, respectively. The performance in the Core Courses will also determine the grade of the student in the final examinations. Total minimum credit requirement is 84 for the Core Courses, which translates to 21 courses (i.e. papers) with a credit allocation of 4 per course (paper). A student will need to study at least three Core subjects.

The Core Courses have to be chosen among a plethora of subjects offered (see the section on Subject Details) for both types of degrees, respectively. In case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Stream, the components of the Core Courses are Majors and/or Minors, while in case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Discipline, there are no Majors and Minors.

Major and Minors:

In case of a Bachelor's Degree in a Stream, a student either chooses a Major and Minors or just Minors from among the subjects. In any case, a student needs to complete 21 courses or 84 credits by the third year. Please see the examples that we have given in this booklet. A Major course **MUST** carry a minimum credit of 60 and a Minor course should carry a minimum credit



of 12.

Usually, for majority of the students, the Core Course will consist of one Major and two Minors. But if a student desires, using the free credits (as described earlier), s/he can easily complete a third Minor as well.

Common courses:

The common courses are to be studied by all students alike and altogether they carry total credits of 36 over a 3-year period. These courses are further divided into five (5) sub-categories, as described below.

Semester III:

In the third semester, one will usually continue with the same core subjects that have already been chosen in the first year and again study some common subjects. In the third semester, one will also take a step forward to study the favourite subject by **declaring** one of the core subjects as a **Major** subject and other two as **Minors**. However, the structure of the programme remains same as in first & second semesters.

Multi-disciplinary Courses:

These are 3-credit courses spanning over five different groups of subjects—
(i) Natural and Physical Science, (ii) Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Applications, (iii) Library, Information, and Media Sciences, (iv) Commerce and Management, and (v) Humanities and Social Sciences. The levels of the courses are of Class XII.

Each student need to take at any three papers, each with 3 credits from the five subgroups during Semesters 1-3.

Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):

This is an 8-credit course covering Modern Indian Languages (MIL) and English Usage (Communication).

Each student needs to complete two papers of 4 credits each one from English Usage and other from the group of MIL, specially designed for this purpose. These courses have to be taken during Semesters 1-2.

Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC):

These are various skill courses with total credit allocation of 9. In our structure, we have four skill courses out of which a student needs to study the first skill course of 3 credits in the second Semester. And then the rest three skill papers, each having 2 credits need to be studied during Semesters 4-6.



Value Added Courses (VAC):

The VAC courses will come from four sub groups (i) Understanding India, (ii) Environmental Science, (iii) Digital and Technological Solutions, and (iv) Health & Wellness, Yoga Education, Sports, and Fitness. All together they will have a credit allocation of 6.

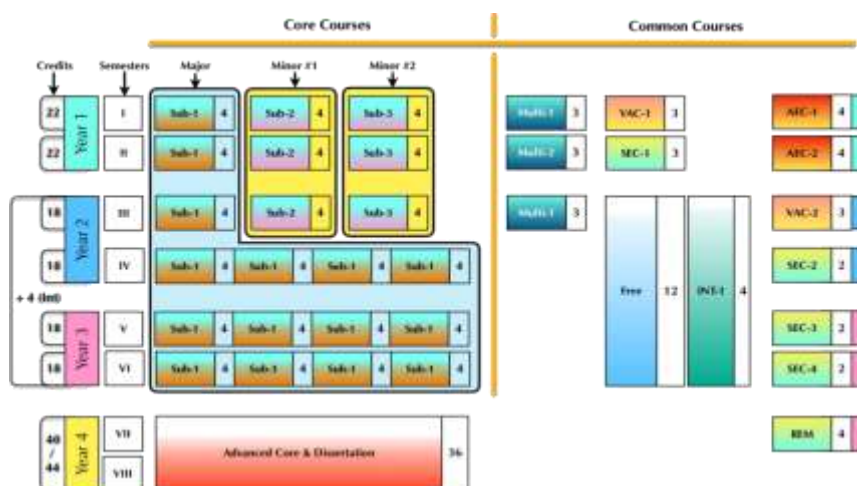
Each student will have to take any two papers, each of 3-credits, from any three groups during Semesters 1 & 3. Here one paper from the Environmental Science group is compulsory except if the student takes a core course on Environmental Science.

Internship:

All students are to carry out an Internship with a credit allocation of 4. The internship can be carried out in any semester during Semesters 3 - 6. As internships are meant to be done during semester breaks, they will not interfere with other classes.

The fourth year:

In the FYUGP, the fourth year is at par with the first year of a Master's programme, as a student can directly take admission into the second year of a Master's programme after the successful completion of the FYUGP



In the fourth year, a student has to complete one compulsory paper on Research Methodology (REM) in the Semester VII, which is a 4-credit theory paper. The rest of courses will consist of Advanced Core Courses and a Dissertation.

Core Course options:

Degree in a Stream:

The following diagrams show three different options which a student can choose to complete a 3-year programme under the FYUGP.

Option 1: In this option, the student chooses a Major course and two Minor courses. With this option, the student will have 12 free credits, which s/he can utilize, if s/he wants to.



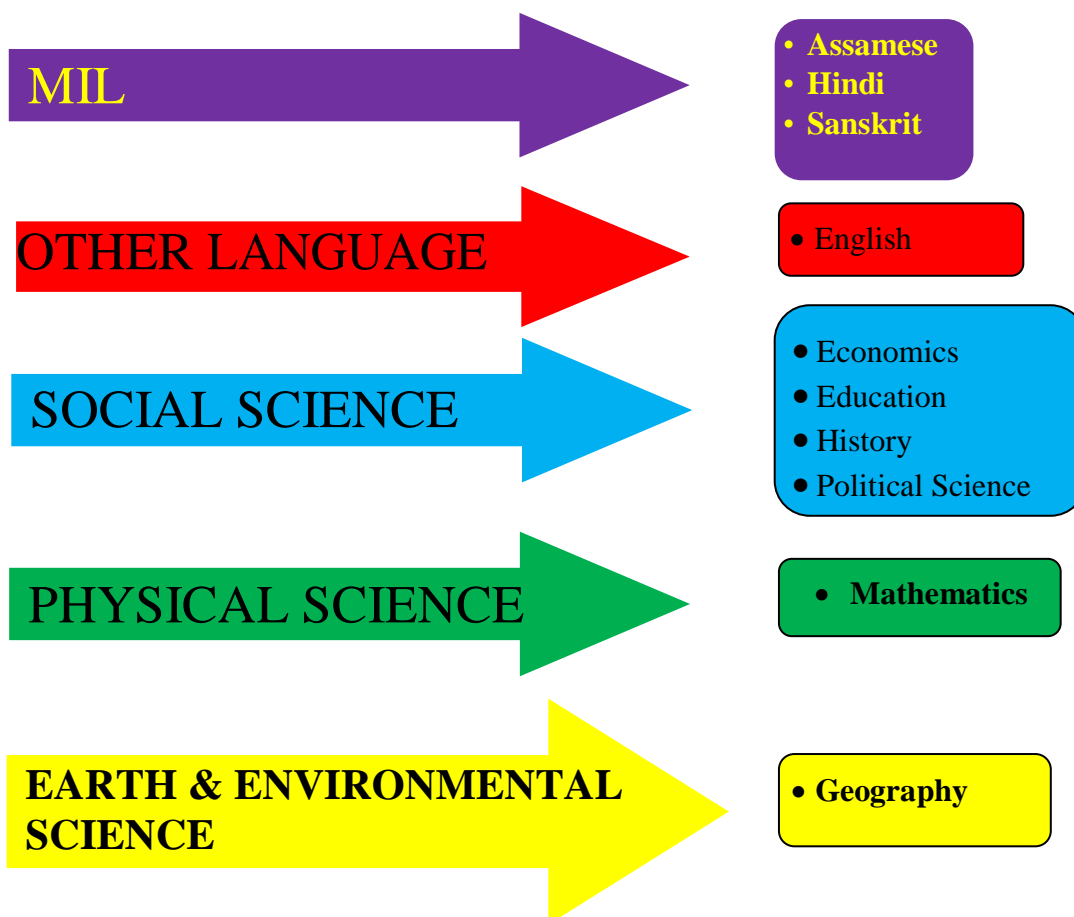
Option 2: In the second option, the student has utilized these 12 free credits to complete one more Minor.

Option 3: The third option is when the student does not want any Major but wants to study all three courses equally. This option will be known as No Major (NOM) option. In this option, the student studies one paper from each of the three subjects in each semester from Semester 1 to 6.

SUBJECT SELECTION FORMULA

1. Degree in Stream (Arts)

A. Core Course





LIST OF PREREQUISITES & REQUIREMENTS

Stream: Arts		
M I L		
Subject	Prerequisites	Requirements
Assamese	Assamese(X level) for minor & (XII level) for Major	None
Hindi	Hindi (XII level)	
Sanskrit	Sanskrit (X level) for minor & (XII level) for Major	

Stream : Arts		
Other Language		
Subject	Prerequisites	Requirements
English	English (XII level)	None

Stream: Arts		
Social Science		
Subject	Prerequisites	Requirements
Economics	None	None
Education		
History		
Political Science		

Stream: Arts		
Earth & Environment Science		
Subject	Prerequisites	Requirements
Geography	None	None

Stream: Arts		
Physical Science		
Subject	Prerequisites	Requirements
Mathematics	None	None



Common Courses:

Students have to take all the four course shown in the following table;

Value Added Course	Ability Enhancement Course	Skill Enhancement Course	Multi Disiplinary Course
Subject Groups	Subject Groups	Subject Groups	Subject Groups
Environmental Studies	Assamese/Alt. English	Assamese	
	Hindi	English	
		Education	
		Economics	
		Geography	
		History	
		Hindi	
		Mathematics	
		Political Science	
		Sanskrit	

For Degree (12th+ Level Courses)

Step1: Visit Samarth Portal & Register

Step2: Publication of Merit List

Step3: Document verification & Spot Admission

Note: A student needs to register on Samarth Portal for Admission in Four Year Under-Graduate Programme



Subject-wise Intake Capacity

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Sl. No .	Name of Discipline/Subject Group	Unique Code of Discipline /Subject	Discipline-Name	Major Seats in College	Minor Seats in College
1	MIL	ASM	Assamese	80	200
2	MIL	HIN	Hindi	40	40
3	MIL	SAKT	Sanskrit	30	20
4	Social Science	ECO	Economics	40	60
5	Social Science	EDU	Education	65	150
6	Social Science	HIS	History	80	80
7	Social Science	PSC	Political Science	80	150
8	Physical Science	MAT	Mathematics	30	50
9	Earth & Environment Science	GGY	Geography	60	70
10	Other Language	ENG	English	0	200



1. Facility of three months certificate course in Computer Application is also available.

: ELIGIBILITY

Admission will be on merit basis following the reservation rule of Government of Assam.

: MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

The instruction to the students in the classes has been offered both in English and Assamese and students are permitted to answer questions in the examinations either in English or in Assamese. In the case of the Major Course in Economics and Geography, the classroom instructions will be in English only.

5. ADMISSION PROCEDURE

6. Online Application must be submitted in Samarth Portal <https://assamadmission.samarth.ac.in>

Selected applicants have to attend counselling on the date and time mentioned and during the counselling, they have to submit the following documents in original before the interview board and have to deposit the prescribed admission fees at the time of admission. The college will issue the Identity cards and students must carry the same during college hours.

- a] Original copies of mark sheets and certificates of qualifying examinations.
- b] Transfer certificates and character certificates from the Head of the institution last attended.
- c] Age certificate.
- d] Registration and Migration certificate (wherever applicable)
- e] Gap certificate (for those who pass the qualifying examination earlier than the year in which admission is sought).



The merit list of selected applicants will be published on the college website and displayed on the College Notice Board. The selected applicants must be present on the scheduled date and time. The candidates failing to appear at counselling will forfeit their seats. No late application will be entertained.

Total fee structure for the Academic Session 2024-25

Class	Bachelor of Arts	
	With Practical	Without Practical
TDC 1st sem. Major	4960	4060
TDC 1st sem. Minor	Do	4060
TDC 3rd sem. Major	Do	4060
TDC 3rd sem. Minor	Do	4060
TDC 5th sem. Honours	Do	4060
TDC 5th sem. Regular	Do	4060

7. RESERVATION OF SEATS

Although admission is based on merit, however, there is the reservation of seats for the following category of students as per Government Rules.

Category	Reservation of seats
Scheduled Castes (SC)	07%
Scheduled Tribes Plains (STP)	10%
Scheduled Tribes Hills (STH)	05%
OBC/MOBC	15%
Differently abled	01%
EWS	10%
Extracurricular activities	01%

(Note: Candidates seeking admission under above mentioned reserved category must submit a caste certificate/EWS certificate/Differently abled certificate duly signed by the competent authority (D.C. or his nominee) along with an online generated receipt/ application form.) For the category of extracurricular activities, Students must produce relevant documents minimum of state level.

8. Regulations and Syllabus of Gauhati University for TDC Semester System

: UG-CBCS

Gauhati University has decided to introduce CBCS in its affiliated colleges in 'Under Graduate Level' from 2019.

REGULATIONS OF THE UNDER GRADUATE CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (UGCBCS) :

: THE CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)

The Choice Based Credit System is the logical next step in a credit based semester system becoming more learner-centric. A CBCS offers the student diversity of courses to choose from the autonomy to decide on the place and time of learning.



: UNDERGRADUATE CBCS (UGCBCS) PROGRAMMES

The undergraduate degree programme in the CBCS will have courses spread across six semesters. A typical semester will comprise a minimum of 15 to 18 weeks of academic work that will translate into 90 actual teaching days. Two consecutive (one odd and one even) semesters will make up an academic year. A UG course shall be of Six Semesters, covering three Calendar Years (Academic Session June to May). The duration of the odd Semesters (First, Third and Fifth) shall be 'June to November', and that of Even Semesters (Second, Fourth and Sixth) shall be 'December to May'.

The dates and duration mentioned in the academic calendar concerned will be in consonance with the above schedule as far as practicable.

Each student must take admitted in three consecutive Academic sessions starting with the first semester. Students who do not enroll in the Second Academic Session will not be eligible to take admission in the Third Academic Session.

The minimum time required to acquire an undergraduate degree will be three years. The maximum time allowed to complete the programme will be six years.

: STRUCTURE OF COURSES AND CREDITS OF THE UG CBCS PROGRAMME

- * The term undergraduate degree programme denotes programmes like B.A and all other such programmes where the requirement for the award of a degree is the successful progression of the student through six semesters of academic work.
- * The academic work in each semester will require the student to engage with chosen courses, the content of which will be described in detail in the syllabi. Every course will have defined learning objectives and may be designed to comprise lectures, tutorials, laboratory work, fieldwork, project work or any other activity that addresses the learning objectives of the course.
- * Each course will have credits, assigned on the basis of course-related activities, which a student will earn through satisfactory fulfilment of the academic requirement of the course.
- * An undergraduate degree program with Honours in a discipline will have a course credit requirement of 148 credits while an undergraduate degree program without Honours will require a student to earn 132 course credits. Students in an Honours program can opt to earn additional credits by undertaking additional Elective courses subject to the condition that the total number of course credits does not exceed 160 credits. For a student in a Regular program, this credit ceiling will be 140 credits. The credits earned beyond the mandatory program requirement will not be taken into consideration in computing the student's grade but will be recorded in the grade sheet.
- * The medium of instruction and examination will be in English and/ or Assamese, except in language courses.

9. NATURE AND NOMENCLATURE OF COURSES

In line with the UGC's guidelines, the courses are categorized as Core courses, Elective courses or Ability Enhancement courses



: Core Course

A Core course is a course that has to be compulsorily studied. A student in an undergraduate degree programme with Honours will have to take up 14 core courses, each of 6 credits. In a Regular undergraduate degree programme a student will need to take up 12 core courses, each again of 6 credits.

: Elective Course

An Elective course is to be chosen by the student from a pool of such courses on offer and will essentially be of three types :

: Discipline Specific Elective Course

An Elective Course which is offered by the main discipline. The discipline offering a Discipline Specific Elective course may also offer discipline-related elective courses that are interdisciplinary in nature. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours will have to earn 24 course credits from Discipline Specific Elective courses. For a student enrolled in a non Honours undergraduate degree program in Arts, the course credit requirement from the Discipline Specific Elective course will be 24 credits.

: Generic Elective Course

A Generic Elective Course is offered by an unrelated discipline and has the objective of broadening the academic experience of a student. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours can acquire 24 course credits from Generic Elective Courses. A Core Course offered in a discipline may be allowed as an Elective to a student from another discipline. This course will be treated under the category of Generic Elective Course. Generic Elective Courses are not available to students in a non-Honours undergraduate science degree program while other non- Honours undergraduate programmes require enrollees to take up two such courses.

: Dissertation/Project

Engaging Students in a Project/Dissertation work, which requires knowledge application and problem solving, is considered to be important in the learning process. All students enrolled in an undergraduate degree program (honours and non-Honours) will have the option of choosing to undertake Project/Dissertation work for 6 credits in lieu of 6 credits Discipline Specific Elective course in the fifth semester only.

: Ability Enhancement Course

Ability Enhancement Courses which are to be taken up by students in an undergraduate degree program will be of two types:

: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course

These 4 credit courses are mandatory for every student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program. A student will have to take up 4 credit course in Environmental Science and a second 4 credit course in English communication/MILCommunication.



: Skill Enhancement Courses

Skill Enhancement Courses will be value-based or skill-based and there will be a pool of courses on offer. A student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program with Honours will have to take up a minimum of two SEC courses of 4 credits each as part of the program requirement. For students enrolled in non Honours undergraduate degree programs, the credit requirement from Skill Enhancement Courses will be 16 credits. It is desirable that the university will prepare for various disciplines from the list of SEC provided by the UGC template. However, colleges are free to develop their own SECs independently which must have prior approval of the Academic Council.

: Minimum Requirement of Papers for BA Honours

The following table indicates the requirements for successful completion of an undergraduatedegree at Gauhati University –

Table 1: Minimum Requirement of Papers for BA Honours

DEGREE	MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
Undergraduate Degree with Honours (all disciplines)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * 14 core papers in that discipline * 2 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses * 2 Skill Enhancement Courses (minimum) *4 Discipline-Specific Elective *4 Generic Elective papers

Credit allocation: B.A.
(Honours)

Table 2: Credit allocation: B.A. (Honours)

Semester	CORE COURSE (14)	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Elective Discipline Specific (DSE) (4)	Generic Elective (GE) (4)
I	C1	(English /MIL Communication)			GE – 1 (HG)
	C2				
II	C3	Environmental Study			GE – 2 (HG)
	C4				
III	C5		SEC-1		GE – 3 (HG)
	C6				
	C7				
IV	C8		SEC-2		GE – 4 (HG)
	C9				
	C10				
V	C11				DSE-1 (HE)
	C12				DSE-2 (HE)
VI	C13				DSE-3 (HE)
	C14				DSE-4 (HE)



NB: Students shall not opt the same subject as SEC and GE (HG)

Credit allocation: B.A. (Regular)

Table 3: Credit allocation: B.A. (Regular)

Semester	CORE COURSE (12)	Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2)	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2)	Elective: Discipline Specific DSE (4)	Generic Elective (GE) (4)
I	English -1	(English /MIL Communication)			
	DSC 1A (RC)				
	DSC 2A (RC)				
II	English 2	Environmental Study			
	DSC 1B (RC)				
	DSC 2B (RC)				
III	MIL-1/ Alt English - 1		SEC-1		
	DSC 1C (RC)				
	DSC 2C (RC)				
IV	MIL-2/ Alt English - 2		SEC-2		
	DSC 1D (RC)				
	DSC 2D (RC)				
V			SEC- 3	DSE 1A (RE)	GE-1 (RG)
				DSE-2A (RE)	
VI			SEC- 4	DSE- 1B (RE)	GE-2 (RG)
				DSE- 2B (RE)	

NB: Students shall not opt the same subject as SEC and GE (RG)

10. Attendance of Students

Students must have 75% attendance. The attendance of all courses including the Skill Enhancement courses shall be counted and accounted for in full while determining if the student has met the minimum attendance norms of Gauhati University.

In case, a student fails to have at least 75% attendance, he/she will not be allowed to sit for the End-semester examination and will be needed to repeat the concerned semester after the successful completion of the subsequent semesters for earning the deficit credits.

Any student securing less than 75% attendance due to medical reasons will have to apply for medical leave in a prescribed form (within seven days from the date of absence) along with relevant documents/certificates etc from an authorized medical practitioner. However, after accounting for medical leave granted, the minimum attendance will still have to be 75%. If it still remains below 75%, the student will not be allowed to sit in the end-semester examination. Such consideration will be subject to the condition that the student must have at least 60% attendance.



For absence due to participation in prescribed co-curricular activities (eg. NCC/NSS/Youth Festival/Sports etc.), the claim for CCA leave will have to be made in the prescribed form and supported by authenticated certificate(s) from concerned authorities. However, the minimum attendance after accounting for CCA leave granted will still have to be 75%.

11. Internal Assessment (IA)

IA will ideally account for 20% of the total marks allotted in a course/paper.

The sessional or mid-term examination will be conducted for 50% of the total marks

allotted for IA of a course/paper. 20% of marks allotted for IA will be awarded to the students based on class attendance as follows:

- (i) From 76% to 86% attendance: 1 mark
- (ii) From 81% to 85% attendance: 2 marks
- (iii) From 86% to 90% attendance: 3 marks
- (iv) From 91% and above: 4 marks

The remaining 30% of the marks allotted for IA will be distributed and awarded on the basis of the performance of the students on the following criteria:

- (i) Home assignment
- (ii) Seminar/Group discussions
- (iii) Fieldwork
- (iv) Performance in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities

“Subject combinations” and “Elective Papers” will be offered as per Gauhati University directions and guidelines.

12. EXAMINATIONS

Before appearing to end a semester examination conducted by the university the students must appear in at least two sessional examinations out of three sessional examinations conducted by the department concerned.

13. INFRASTRUCTURE

: CANTEEN

The College has allotted a temporary shed for a canteen to facilitate refreshments for students and staff.

: LIBRARY

There is a college library holding over 14040 books and has subscribed to many newspapers and journals. Besides the textbooks on different subjects included in the university curriculum, the reference section contains books such as dictionaries, encyclopedias, years books, etc. along with a reading room facility. The library is kept open throughout the year except on public holidays from 10 AM to 4 PM.



: LIBRARY CAUTION MONEY

A student of the college has to deposit Rs. 500/- as Library Caution Money which is refundable at the end of the course of study. Two Library Cards will be issued to a student who can borrow the Cards, two books at a time subject to the existing Library Rules.

: LABORATORY

The Department of Geography and Department of Education have a laboratory each having all the necessary equipment for practical purposes.

: COMMUNITY HALL CUM SEMINAR HALL

Good quality Community cum Seminar Hall is ready on a college campus with the aid of the MP Area Development Fund of Dr. Manmohan Singh.

: GIRLS' COMMON ROOM:

A well-structured Girl's Common Room named after "Taruni Baruah" with all the necessary amenities is available within the college campus.

14. STUDENTS' SUPPORTS

: COUNSELLING CELL

Under the supervision of the vice-principal and the moral support of a host of strong teachers, a counselling cell has been started. It is designed for monitoring and molding the students' interests according to their competency and willingness for a bright academic as well as social life.

: SCHOLARSHIP

There are provisions for state government scholarships for scheduled caste/ scheduled tribes, other backward classes and religious minorities through the National Scholarship Portal (NSP). Moreover, meritorious students may also avail themselves of scholarships awarded through Ishan Uday (NER) by the University Grant Commission.

15. COLLEGE UNIFORM

Boys should be dressed in a white shirt and gray colour formal pants. (Close fittings and Low waist/Mid-rise/low rise pants will not be considered. Shirts Pants must be the appropriate length - not too long or too short)

The dress code for girls is white Salwar-like Patiala style, sky-blue Kamiz, and white Dupatta. (Short-fitting dress & Leggings/pants will not be considered. Salwar-Kamiz must be the appropriate length - not too long or short)

Navy blue blazer or cardigan during the winter season for both boys and girls.

Jackets, Jeans, and T-shirts are not a part of the dress code.



A college “logo” (which shall be supplied by the college authority during the admission period) has to be affixed by each student on the shirt pocket position (for boys) and kameez or right arm position (for girls).

All students need to maintain the dress code of the college. No student shall be allowed to attend classes, festivals, or any functions without a proper uniform.

16. CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

: STUDENTS’ UNION

The college has a student’s union. This elected body organizes and promotes cultural and sports activities in the college. Secretaries elected by the students manage union functions under the guidance of the teacher in charge appointed by the principal.

: OTHER ACTIVITIES

To develop the physical, intellectual, emotional, and aesthetic qualities of students to their fullest potential, the college, as stated above, arranges several co-curricular activities including cultural programs.

17. ORGANIZATIONS AND MANAGEMENT

: ADMINISTRATIONS

The Governing Body is the apex body of the college duly formed by DHE, Assam. The principal is the Head of the Institution and Secretary of the Governing Body.

: COMMITTEES AND CELLS

For the smooth functioning of administrative as well as academic activities of the college, there are also committees and cells comprised of teaching and non-teaching staff. They help and cooperate with the administrative committee to their fullest capacity.

: THE INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

The College has an International Quality Assurance Cell for developing the physical, intellectual, emotional, and aesthetic qualities of students.

Coordinator : Mr. Kailash Chauhan, Assistant Professor. Department of Geography

Joint Coordinator : Mr. Tajbir Ali Meer, Department of Education

There are different committees and cells formed to augment the academic sphere can be spelled as follows :

Academic Committee, Admission Committee, Library Committee, Purchase Committee, Women’s Cell, Alumni Association, Anti-Ragging Committee, Career Guidance and counselling Cell, Medical Cell, Research, Innovation and Extension Activity Cell, Grievance Redressal Cell,



Computer information and technology Committee, Committee for games and sports, Student support and progression Cell, Sexual harassment redressal, Press and Public relations Cell, Mentoring Cell, Intellectual properties rights Cell, Student's Union and Teacher's Union.

18. MEMBERS OF THE TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING STAFF OF THE COLLEGE

PRINCIPAL AND VICE-PRINCIPAL

Principal : Dr. Bishnu Prasad Upadhaya, M.A.,
Vice Principal : M.Phil, Ph.D Mrs. Amiya Mahanta, M.A.

: FACULTIES

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH :

1. Md. Abdul Hakim, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A.
2. Md. Samsul Haque, Assistant Professor, M.A.

DEPARTMENT OF ASSAMESE:

1. Mr. Tapan Choudhury, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A.
2. Dr. Barnali Gohain, Assistant Professor, M.A. Ph.D
3. Dr. Pankaj Deka, Assistant Professor, M.A., Ph.D
4. Mrs. Sabita Rani Biswas, Assistant Professor, M.A.
5. Mr Sumanta Das, Temporary Assistant Professor, M.A

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

1. Mrs. Amiya Mahanta, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A
2. Md. Mussabbir Hussain, Tutor Assistant Professor, M.A
3. Md. Tajbir Ali Meer, Tutor Assistant Professor, M.A

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE:

1. Mrs. Agamani Bhuyan, Assistant Professor, M. A
2. Md. Tazammal Hussain Choudhury, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A
3. Mr. Bipul Daimary, Assistant Professor, M.A.

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY:

1. Mr. Sushil Kr. Saikia, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A
2. Mr. Kailash Ch. Chauhan, Assistant Professor, M.A,
3. Mr. Biju Konwar, Assistant Professor, M.A,
4. Dr. Panchi Devi, Assistant Professor, M.A, B.Ed, Ph.D



DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY:

1. Md. Anwar Hussain, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A
2. Md. Habib Ullah Ahmed, Tutor Assistant Professor, M. A
3. Mamtaz Begum, Temporary Assistant Professor, M. A

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS:

1. Mr. Chandan Neog, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.A
2. Miss. Ajanta Sarkar, Assistant Professor, MA, B.Ed
3. Mr. Rupjyoti Nath, Temporary Assistant Professor, M.A

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS:

1. Mr. Gopikanta Barthakur, Assistant Professor, M.Sc.
2. Dr. Jintu Kr. Deka, HOD, Assistant Professor, M.Sc.
3. Md. Fozor Ali, Tutor Assistant Professor, M.Sc.

DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT:

1. Miss. Subhasini Singha (HOD), Assistant Professor, M.A.
2. Mr. Abhijit Bharali, Temporary Assistant Professor, M.A.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI:

1. Mrs. Biju Moni Kalita, HOD, Assistant Professor M.A.
2. Mrs. Saraswati Chauhan, Temporary Assistant Professor, M.A.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES:

1. Mr. Kailash Chandra Chauhan, Assistant Professor, Nodal Teacher
2. Md. Fozor Ali, Assistant Professor, M.Sc, Co-Ordinator



: NON-TEACHING

STAFF LIBRARY:

1. Mr. Mrinal Sarmah, Librarian M.Lib.Sc
2. Mr. Pradip Nath, Library Bearer

OFFICE :

1. Mr. Rameswar Bora, Senior Assistant
2. Mr. Deba Kr. Bordoloi, Senior Assistant
3. Mr. Pranab Kr. Nath, Jr. Assistant
4. Mr. Dimbeswar Nath, Jr. Assistant
5. Mr. Bikramjit Nath, MA, M.Phil, ICT Assistant

SUPPORTING:

1. Mr. Montu Patar, Gr. IV
2. Mr. Nirmal Keot, Gr. IV
3. Mr. Harikanta Nath, Gr. IV
4. Mr. Prabin Nath, Gr. IV
5. Mr. Padmeswar Deka, Gr. IV
6. Mrs. Lalita Haldar, Gr. IV
7. Mr. Saityanya Bordoloi, Gr. IV



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সাধনাৰ অগ্নিমন্ত্ৰ

জ্যোতিৰ তৃষ্ণালয়

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সুৰ : জিন্টু কুমাৰ ডেকা
দিগন্ত ডেকা



Late Ghana Kanta Baruah
*On whose memory the
Ghana Kanta Baruah college
was established*



Late Karmapran Khirod Baruah
*Who was the architect behind the
establishment of
Ghana Kanta Baruah College*

