



CINNAMARA COLLEGE

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

PRESENTATION OF DEPARTMENTAL PROFILE FOR WEBSITE DISPLAY

DEPARTMENT AT A GLANCE: The date from which officially, the classes had started after obtaining permission from A.H.S.E.C. was 1 August, 1992. However, the college obtained permission from Dibrugarh University to start the degree section from 1 September, 1993. While, the department had been providing the teaching of English as a Pass course subject since then, the full-fledged department with Honours course, became functional from 2013 after obtaining permission from the Dibrugarh University. Thus, from August 2013 onwards, the department has admitted 10 batches, including the latest 2022 batch. Out of these, 7 batches have already passed out. While, a number of them have pursued higher education, quite a few

VISION:

- To make the department of English a hub of learning activities by attracting and motivating students to nurture their talent and creativity, and to encourage them to use the knowledge of literature as a way of self-expression and self-analysis.

MISSION:

- Following the spirit of English language and literature, which has a global reach and appeal, our mission is to cut across linguistic, economic and socio-cultural barriers to assimilate a multi-lingual and multi-cultural environment among students and foster the spirit of unity in diversity.

- To motivate the students to engage in the quest for knowledge, and arouse the spirit of enquiry and curiosity in English literature, and thereby, enabling them to discover and identify their hidden potential and harness their talent and creativity.
- To hone and enhance the communicative, interactive and behavioural skills of the students through engaging them in Add-on courses like Spoken English and Functional English.
- To create a conducive environment of Social Research under the aegis of MCMAGK of the college.
- To enrich and enlighten the department by optimizing the available resources (human and material), and mobilizing support from the local people, local M.L.A., well-wishers, philanthropists, alumni, current students and faculty.

COURSES:

Currently, the department is following the B.A. (CBCS) Honours courses under Dibrugarh University. It is a three-year degree course conducted under the semester system, having 6 semesters. Simultaneously, it is conducting Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC 1) under which English Communication for Semester 1 batch is taught. Parallely, under Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC 2), Alternative English is also taught as an optional course for Semester 1 batch. Two credits each are assigned for these courses.

The department also conducts B.A. and M.A. courses under DODL and KKHSOU.

The department has also started conducting Spoken English courses as part of the Ad-on courses under Dibrugarh University from the session 2022-23.

ALUMNI DETAILS:**Placement of Outgoing Students:**

Name	Designation	Employer
1. Farida Sultana	Asstt. Teacher	Sahabiyat Primary School
2. Mahmudul Hassan	Junior Assistant	PNT, Jorhat
3. Md. Ashfique Zaheer	Guest Faculty	Amtron, Jorhat
4. Nabanita Saikia	Asstt. Teacher	St. Joseph High School
5. Priyanka Borah	Asstt. Teacher	Twinkle Star School
6. Daisy Saikia	Graduate Teacher in Govt. Provincialized Secondary School	DSE, Kahilipara, Guwahati, Govt. of Assam
7. Rubul Das	Employee	Reliance Trends, Jorhat
8. Priyanka Kumari	Fashion Designer	Ahmedabad, Gujarat
9. Trishna Borah	Nurse	A.M.C., Dibrugarh
10. Himanshu Raj Saikia	Medical Representative	J.B. Chemicals & Pharmaceuticals, Mumbai
11. Swapna Karobi Saikia	Sales Executive	Tocklai Tea Research Institute, Jorhat
12. Jayanta Bikash Gogoi	Sales Representative	Pragati Motors, Sivasagar
13. Urmila Dutta	Computer Assistant	Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Assam

Student's Progression to Higher Studies:

Name	Programme	Institution
1. Debojane Ojah	M.A.	Dibrugarh University
2. Daisy Saikia	B.Ed.	NEIMS, Jorhat
3. Priyanka Kumari	Fashion Designing	INIFD, Chandigarh
4. Rimjhim Handique	M.B.A.	USTM, Meghalaya
5. Swapna Karobi Saikia	Agronomy	Tocklai Tea Research Institute, Jorhat
6. Pinky Dutta	M.A.	IGNOU

7. Swamima Sultana	M.A.	IGNOU
8. Nilakshi Dutta	PGDCA, M.A.	D.U., IGNOU
9. Priya Rani Singh	DCA	
10. Himanshu Raj Saikia	M.A.	DODL
11. Urmila Dutta	M.A.	DODL
12. Pronami Chetia	M.A.	DODL

Other Co-Curricular Activities and Achievements of the Students:

Name	Activities	Achievements	Year
Daisy Saikia	NSS Camp	Certificate of Participation from D.U.	2015-18
	One Day Workshop on 'Women's Right and Gender Relation' organised by D.C.B. Girls' College Women's Studies Cell	Certificate of Participation	2016
	Civil Service Examination Orientation Programme	Certificate of Participation	2015
	Youth Conclave, NSS	Certificate of Participation	2016
	Poem Recitation Competition, Annual College Week	2nd Position	2017
	Quiz Competition, Annual College Week	2nd Position	2017
	Singing Competition, Annual College Week	2nd Position	2018
	Diha Nam	1st Position	2016

	Competition, organised by Cinnamara College Sakha Sahitya Sabha and the College Student's Union		
	Diha Nam Competition, organised by the Women's Cell, Cinnamara College	Certificate of Participation	2018
Himanshu Raj Saikia	United Winter Camp, NSS	Certificate of Participation	2019
	Covid-19 Awareness Programme	Certificate of Participation	2020
	Tobacco Control Activities	Leadership Certificate	2019-20
	Inter-Institute Camp on Leadership Development	Certificate of Participation	2020
	Workshop on Challenges and Opportunities in NSS in Assam	Certificate of Participation	2019
	NSS Camp	Certificate of Participation from D.U.	2018-20
	District Youth Parliament, organised by Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India	Certificate of Participation	2019

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES:

Student/Faculty Exchange:

An MOU and student exchange and faculty exchange programme of the department was signed with The Department of English, Majuli College, in collaboration with the IQAC of both the colleges on 11/07/2022, in presence of Dr. Anjan Saikia, Principal, Cinnamara College, Prof. Ranju Kr. Bharali, Coordinator, IQAC and Prof. Amal Jyoti Chiring, Dept. of Geography and Prof. Agha Saeed Islam, HOD, Dept. of English. Prof. Ajay Prasad Singh, HOD, Dept. of English, Majuli College and Dr. Debabhusan Borah, Coordinator, IQAC, Majuli College, were also present on the occasion.

In keeping with the MoU signed between the Dept. of English, Majuli College and the Dept. of English, Cinnamara College, Dr. Debabhusan Borah, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of English and Coordinator, IQAC, Majuli College, conducted a few classes with the students of the Dept. of English, Cinnamara College, on 18/03/2023. In this way, a new chapter has been added to the department.

Assistance Received by the Department:

It is also to be noted that Srijt. Hitendra Nath Goswami, M.L.A., Jorhat, as per his prior commitment, donated Rs. 10,000/- to the department on 02/07/2022. The department purchased a book shelf and some valuable books with the amount. An acknowledgement to this effect was also made from the Principal, which has already been handed over to Srijt. Goswami.

Best Practice:

1. The department has adopted as best practice, the donation of at least, one valuable book to the departmental library, by the outgoing students. In fact, this practice has already started, and in near future, the department is going to be further enriched by such efforts of the students and teachers alike.
2. The department has also adopted as best practice, the art of speaking in English by students, where they are encouraged to give a brief presentation on any topic of their choice.

PHOTO GALLERY OF VARIOUS DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES:



Offer of Financial Assistance to the department given personally by the current M.L.A., Srijit. Hitendra Nath Goswami as a token of appreciation.



Signing of MOU with the Department of English, Majuli College.



Observation of Farewell of the outgoing batch, (2021-22)



Observation of Departmental Freshers' Social.



Inauguration of the Departmental Wall Magazine by Dr. Anil Chandra Borah, Senior Regional Director of IGNOU, Jorhat Centre.



Alumni donating books to the department as a part of the Best Practice.



Students' Activities in the department and the college as a whole.



Public felicitation of outgoing student by the Student's Union as recognition for meritorious performance.



Conducting Spoken English classes as part of the Add-on courses.





Faculty Exchange Programme of the department.

STUDENT PROFILE: TOTAL ENROLMENT

YEAR	1st SEM	3rd SEM	5th SEM	TOTAL
2017-18	10	13	8	31
2018-19	7	8	11	26
2019-20	11	4	7	22
2020-21	17	8	4	29
2021-22	15	14	8	37
2022-23	11	10	13	34

STUDENT ADMISSION

YEAR	INTAKE CAPACITY	TOTAL STUDENTS ADMITTED	CATEGORY				
			SC	ST	OBC/MOBC	DIFFERENTLY ABLED	GENERAL
2017-18	20	10	0	0	7	0	3
2018-19	20	7	1	0	5	0	1
2019-20	20	11	0	1	5	0	5
2020-21	20	17	1	2	8	0	6
2021-22	20	15	1	2	7	0	5
2022-23	20	11	1	1	5	0	4

NUMBER OF STUDENTS APPEARED AND PASSED

YEAR	NO. OF STUDENTS APPEARED (End Semester)	NO. OF STUDENTS PASSED	PASS PERCENTAGE
2017-18	8	4	50%
2018-19	14	7	50%
2019-20	8	4	50%
2020-21	6	3	50%
2021-22	8	4	50%
2022-23	14		

As a whole student profile: STUDENT ENROLMENT

YEAR	1st SEM	3rd SEM	5th SEM	TOTAL
2013-14	12			12
2014-15	12	12		24
2015-16	11	9	12	32
2016-17	13	8	9	30
2017-18	10	13	8	31
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