**DEPARTMENTAL PROFILE**

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**DEPARTMENT of ENGLISH**

**WEST GUWAHATI COMMERCE COLLEGE**

**Boripara, Guwahati**

1. **DEPARTMENTAL STATISTICS AT A GLANCE**

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| **Criteria** | **Details** |
| Name of the Department | English |
| Year of establishment | 1992 |
| Number of sanctioned post teachers | 1 |
| Number of vacant post of teachers | 2 |
| Number of whole time teachers | 1 |
| Number of part time teachers | 2 |
| Routine course offered by the Department | HS, B.Com |
| Add-on course offered by the Department | NIL |
| Number of students enrolled (2016-2022) H.S | 954 |
| Number of students enrolled (2016-2022) B.Com | 1075 |
| Number of students passed (2016-2022) H.S | 846 |
| Number of students securing letter marks (2016-2022) | 65 |
| Number of Research Paper published in Journals | NIL |
| Number of Research Paper published in the Proceedings volume | NIL |
| Number of Authored Books | NIL |
| Number of Edited Books | NIL |
| Number of Chapters in Edited Books | NIL |
| Awards and recognitions received by the teaching staffs | NIL |
| Number of teaching staff having Ph.D. Guideship | NIL |
| Number of National Conferences/ Seminar/ Symposiam/ Workshops attended by teachers | 2 |
| Number of Orientation Programmes/ Refreshers Courses/ Faculty Development Programmes attended | 2 |
| Number of Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposia/ Workshops organized by the Department | 2 |
| Number of other programmes organized by the Department | 2 |
| Number of Field Works/ Study Tours conducted for students (June 16 to May 2021) | NIL |
| Number of books in the Departmental Library | NIL |
| Number of computers in the Department | NIL |

1. **INTRODUCTION**

The Department of English was established at the time the college was established on 9 August, 1992. Since then, the department has been guiding the students with a holistic approach so that they can equip themselves with life skills along with academic excellence.

The Department of English teaches undergraduate and HS programs aligned with the faculty’s interdisciplinary knowledge and expertise. The department aspires to provide quality education along with proper guidance to the budding students of today. Presently following faculty members are serving in the department.

Dr RaktimaHujuri, M.A., M.Phil., Ph.D., Assistant Professor & HOD

Ms. Kakoli Das., M.A., M.Phil., Assistant Professor

Ms. Rashmirekha Barman, Ph.D., (Pursuing)., Assistant Professor

Besides the regular classes, the Department takes tutorial classes, class tests, assignments, presentations etc. to improve the overall performance of the students and hold extensive interactions with them. Moreover, there exists homely atmosphere and intimate relationship between teachers and students. The Department also enjoys a commendable bonhomie with the faculty of other departments and staffs.

**Mission and Vision**

* Meeting student's needs by creating an academic environment where students can attain a variety of goals leading to their holistic development.
* Maintaining a high standard of integrity and performance leading to the achievement of academic and career goals.
* Fostering a learning community in which the diverse values, goals, and learning styles of all students are recognized and supported.
* Encouraging enthusiastic, independent thinkers and learners striving for personal growth.
* To develop soft skills through proper communication.
* To groom them up with enhanced personality needed for professional as well as personal growth.

1. **FACULTY PROFILE:**

**Profile of Faculty Members (Sanctioned/ Whole time) who are currently serving in the department (in seniority order).**

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| **Name of the Faculty**  **Members** | **Designation** | **Educational**  **Qualification** | **Duration** |
| Mr. Joydeep Chakraborty | Asstt. Prof | M.A | 1992-1995 |
| Mrs. Dharitri Barman | Do | M.A | 1999-2001 |
| Shah AjmiraAdil | Do | M.A | 1year |
| AbdurRakib | Do | M.A | 6years |
| Debashree Bhattacharya | Do | M.A | 1year |
| Mithu Ghosh | Do | M.A | 2years |
| SangitaDebnath | Do | M.A | 11months |
| Sanki Sarkar | Do | M.A | 2011-2013 |
| Daisy Kalita | Do | M.A | 11months |
| Ms. KakoliDebnath | Do | M.A | 1years |
| Mrs. Dharitri Barman | Do | M.A | 2013-2019 |
| Mr. Jenkins Barman | Do | M.A | 2004-2005 |
| Mr. Abhijit Duta | Do | M.A | 1year |
| Mrs. BhaswatiParasar | Do | M.A | 2years |

**Current Faculty Members:**

|  |  |  |  |
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| **Name of the Faculty Member** | **Designation** | **Educational**  **Qualification** | **Specialization** |
| Dr.Raktima  Hujuri | Asstt. Prof.& HOD | Ph.D. | ELT & American Lit. |
| Ms. Kakoli Das | “ | M.Phil. | Indian Literature |
| Ms. Rashmirekha  Barman | “ | Ph.D.  (Pursuing) | Aesthetic and Diaspora |

1. **STUDENT PROFILE**

**Profile in the following format:**

**B.Com Enrolment status from the session 2016-2022 onwards in Business Communication:**

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| --- | --- | --- |
| **Session** | **Total Enrolments** | **CEF/BC** |
| **2016-17** | **140** | **CEF** |
| **2017-18** | **140** | **CEF** |
| **2018-19** | **157** | **CEF** |
| **2019-20** | **210** | **CEF** |
| **2020-21** | **212** | **BC** |
| **2021-22** | **295** | **BC** |

**B.Com Enrolment status from the session 2016-17 onwards in General English:**

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| --- | --- |
| **Session** | **Total Enrolments** |
| **2019-2020** | **7** |
| **2020-2021** | **3** |

**H.S Enrolment status from the session 2017-18 onwards in both General English and Alternative English:**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Session** | **Total Enrolment** | **Pass** | **First Div.** | **Letter marks in Gen Eng** | **Letter marks in Alt Eng** |
| **2017-2018** | **216** | **185** | **24** | **NIL** | **8** |
| **2018-2019** | **201** | **172** | **32** | **3** | **10** |
| **2019-2020** | **187** | **157** | **37** | **7** | **8** |
| **2020-2021** | **194** | **194** | **75** | **4** | **6** |
| **2021-2022** | **156** | **138** | **34** | **2** | **17** |

1. **DETAILS OF DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES:**

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| **Category of Activities** | **Name of Activities** | **Date of Activities** | **Number of**  **Students**  **Involved** |
| **Group Presentation cum Training Programme Scheduled** | **Communication Skill** | **14th Feb to 18th Feb** | **295** |
| **Workshop** | **Training on Resume Writing** | **10th Feb** | **295** |
| **Symposium** | **Communication Skill** | **28th Nov** | **14** |
| **Workshop** | **Resume Writing** | **30th Nov** | **220** |

**DETAILS OF WORKSHOPS ATTENDED BY THE DEPARTMENT:**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Name of the event** | **Organizer** | **Date** | **Level (Local/State/National/International)** | **Venue** |
| **Film Literature:**  **Screenplay Workshop** | **Gauhati Cine Club in association with AsamSahitya Sabha** | **22nd July to 26th July 2022** | **State** | **RadhaGovindaBaruah Auditorium, Sahitya Sabha Campus** |

**DETAILS OF FDP ATTTENTED BY THE DEPARTMENT:**

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| **Name of the FDP** | **Organizer** | **Level (Local/State/National/International)** | **Date** |
| **Embedding Research Article Writing Skills** | **S.A Engineering College** | **National** | **5th August 2022** |

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1. **SWOC analysis of the department:**

**Strength**

* Promotes student’s active participation in teaching-learning and research.
* Participation of the faculty in National, International Seminar, Conference and Workshop.
* Extension lectures in the feeder school by faculty.
* Promote learner centric class.

**Weakness**

* Only one permanent faculty since 2008.
* Students’ proficiency level is poor

**Opportunity**

* To introduce courses that will enhance communicative skills of the students.
* To carry out research oriented activities and projects on English Teaching as it is a core area of studies across the courses.
* Soft-skill related classes may be introduced in each semester.

**Challenges**

* Most of them are from poor family background having little or no family support in learning.
* For some students, English is not a second but third language.

1. **Future Planning**

* To provide the students the required exposure to the newer trends in Education and for the same reputed resource persons will be invited. The students will be encouraged to interact with them.
* To develop Networking with different Associations so that students get the benefit.
* To organise more extension activities in the feeder schools.
* For the upliftment of students the department will hold more Tutorial as well as Remedial Classes.