

UGC Sponsored
STATE LEVEL SEMINAR
ON
EDUCATION FOR HUMANISM :
ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

28th September, 2012

Organized by

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
DINABANDHU MAHAVIDYALAYA



Venue :

DINABANDHU MAHAVIDYALAYA

P.O. Bongaon, Dist. : North 24 Parganas, Pin : 743 235

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PROGRAMME

Registration :

10:30 am. to 11:00 am.

INAUGURAL FUNCTION

11:00 am. to 11:30 am.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS BY

Prof. Benudhar Chinara, Dean,
Institute of Education (Binay Bhaban)

Vishvabharati, Santiniketan

11:30 am. to 12.00 noon

TEA BREAK :

12:00 noon

1st TECHNICAL SESSION

Speaker : Prof. D. Modak, Director,
Netaji Subhas Open University

12:15 pm. to 1 pm.

PAPER PRESENTATION

1:00 pm. to 1:30 pm.

LUNCH :

1:30 pm. to 2:00 pm.

2nd TECHNICAL SESSION

Speaker : Prof. Madhumala Sengupta

2:00 pm. to 2:45 pm.

PAPER PRESENTATION

2:45 pm. to 4:30 pm.

CONCLUDING CEREMONY

4:30 pm.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Dinabandhu Mahavidyalaya, now in the 65th year of illustrious existence, has been performing the onerous task of spreading the glow of enlightenment among young minds with dedication. The brainchild of the three great luminaries of early twentieth-century Bengal, namely Bibhutibhusan Bandopadhyaya, Dinabandhu Mitra and Rakhal Das Bandopadhyaya, this college was established in 1947, the annual mirabilis of Indian history. Today, the college is a multifunctional institution, providing conventional as well as distance learning and striving to enable young learners get a foothold in the area of jobs and careers.

ABOUT THE SEMINAR

Humanism is a rational philosophy informed by science, inspired by art, and motivated by compassion. Affirming the dignity of each human being, it advocates extension of participatory democracy and the expansion of the open society while defending human rights and social justice, irrespective of caste, creed, sex or nationality. The seminar entitled "Education for Humanism : Issues and Challenges" aspires to incorporate the ideals and principles of humanism into education and to bring into focus the particular

challenges that effort involves. The thrust of the seminar would be figuring out methods and means that would make possible the assimilation of humanist values and ideal in education and putting them into practical use. Simultaneously, the seminar would also address other associated issues and areas such as human rights education, education for all in the context of Universalisation of Elementary Education and Rastriya Madhamik Siksha Abhiyan, education of marginalized children, peace education, equality of educational opportunity education for global citizenship, for leadership and education for social service.

HOW TO REACH THE COLLEGE :

Dinabandhu Mahavidyalaya, situated in the banks of Ichhamati, is located far away from the din and bustle of the town of Bangaon. Bangaon is connected by local trains from both Sealdah and Ranaghat. The College can be approached by rickshaw from the Bongaon railway station. Moreover, the College can be reached by bus from Kolkata as well as other parts of the district and even the adjacent district of Nadia. Also, the river ferry conveys a large number of students to the College everyday.

CALL FOR PAPERS :

Research based papers (5000 words) related to the main theme and broad areas of the seminar are invited in a standard format with an abstract of 500 words. Send the **hard and soft copy** by **20th September 2012** along with email attachment. Soft copy be sent to :

biswajitamohanti@gmail.com

REGISTRATION FEE :

- ♦ Registration Fee is Rs. 100/- for all except the students of Dinabandhu Mahavidyalaya.
- ♦ Registration Free Rs. 50/- for the students of Dinabandhu Mahavidyalaya.

TA/DA AND ACCOMODATION :

TA/DA and accommodation will not be admissible to all the participants.

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