

Department of Education
Hem Chandra DevGoswami College, Nitaipukhuri, Sivasagar

About the Department:

The Department of Education was introduced in Hem Chandra DevGoswami College in July, 1967 as a core subject. The Honours in Education for Bachelor degree under Dibrugarh University was commenced in 1972 with fifteen students. From that time, students of the Nitaipukhuri region have been pursuing Honours in Education continuously. Now, the department provided Honours in Education under the Choice Based Credit System offered by Dibrugarh University. There are 56 nos. students in all semesters in the 2022-23 academic session.

The Mission of the department:

1. To promote learning and knowledge for the service of society and humanity.
2. To create a friendly environment for the all-round development of the students on an academic and personal level.
3. To inculcate human values and social responsibility among students.
4. To empower the students to face the challenges of the competitive world.

The Vision of the department:

- To imbibe a sense of social consciousness among the students by engaging them in various extension activities and community service/work.
- To develop their personality so that they can find themselves fit to compete with others in the struggle for life as confident young men and women.
- To make them understand the importance of education in modern society and spread this message among their peers in their respective fields and thereby helping in the spread of literacy.
- To innovate and achieve excellence in teaching-learning/pedagogy, training and research extension activities, to realize regional needs from the perspective of national goals.

Faculty Profile:

1. Mrs. ManashiGogoi, Associate Professor

2. Dr. Leena Dutta, Assistant Professor

3. Dr. Rashmi Rekha Duwarah, Assistant Professor

4. Miss Gauri Shikha Gogoi, Assistant Professor

5. Miss Bhagyashree Gogoi, Tutor (contractual)

Course & Syllabus:

Programme Code	Programme Name	Course Code	Course Name	Year of Introduction
1 st Semester	BA Honours in Education	C1	Philosophical Foundations of Education	2019
1 st Semester	BA Honours in Education	C2	Sociological Foundations of Education	2019
1 st Semester	Generic Elective	GEED101	Guidance & Counselling	2019
2 nd Semester	BA Honours in Education	C3	Psychological Foundation of Education	2020
2 nd Semester	BA Honours in Education	C4	Educational Administration & Management	2020
2 nd Semester	Generic Elective	GEED201	Human Rights Education	2020
3 rd Semester	BA Honours in Education	C5	Great Educators And Educational Thoughts	2020
3 rd Semester	BA Honours in Education	C6	Measurement & Evaluation in Education	2020
3 rd Semester	BA Honours in Education	C7	Experimental Psychology And Laboratory Practical	2020
3 rd Semester	Generic Elective	GEED302	Mental Health Issues	2020
4 th Semester	BA	C8	Education in	2021

	Honours in Education		Pre Independent India	
4 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C9	Techniques of Teaching, Teaching Practice	2021
4 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C10	Educational Technology	2021
4 th Semester	Generic Elective	GEED401	Economics of Education	2021
5 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C11	Education in Post Independent India	2021
5 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C 12	Education in World Perspective	2021
5 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	DSE 1	Inclusive Education	2021
5 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	DSE 2	Mental Health Issues	2021
6 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C13	Emerging Trends in Indian Education	2022
6 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	C14	Child & Adolescent Psychology	2022
6 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	DSE 3	Human Rights Education	2022
6 th Semester	BA Honours in Education	DSE4	Project Report	2022

Departmental Activities:

Project Report through Field Study: Students of 6th Semester Honours in Education completed and submitted a Project report on different topics under the guidance of faculty members in the context of DSE 4 of the CBCS syllabus from 2022 and Course 602 of the Non-CBCS syllabus till 2021. Students completed their field study at ChalapatherShyamGaon of Charaideo district in 2022 and at Hachara Naga Gaon, Sivasagar in 2023.



Memorandum of Understanding: The Department of Education Signed an MoU with the Department of Education, Moran Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Charadeu on 28/02/2022. Under MoU, teacher exchange programmes are being continued. On 14th February 2023, Mrs. Manashi Gogoi take the class in Moran Mahila Mahavidyalaya as the guest lecturer.



Community Visit Project: A community visit project was done by 6th-semester students of the Education and English department on 'Gender Parity' at Bargaon, Panidehing on 1st January,

2022. The village is habitant by the Deori community people in an eco-friendly environment near the bank of the Dehing River about 5 km. distant from NitaipukhuriChariali. They administered self-prepared questionnaires to the villagers and studied the changes in girls and women regarding social participation and education.



Organized National Seminar: Department of Economics, English and Education of H.C.D.G. College organized a two-day National seminar on ‘Contemporary Gender Issues: Prospects and Challenges’ on 26th and 27th October, 2021. The seminar focused on various gender-based concepts to achieve gender equity objectives. 89 papers were presented by the delegates in Gender Issues in Contemporary Literature (English and Assamese) and Gender in Socio-Economic and Political Issues. The technical sessions were handled by resource persons Dr. (Mrs) Nazmim F. Akhtar, Associate Professor, Department of English & I/C Centre for Women’s Studies, Dibrugarh University, Dr. PranjalPratimBuragohain, Associate Professor &HoD of Economics, Dibrugarh University and Dr. Suryya Kumar Chetia, HoD (in-charge) of Mass Communication & Journalism, Assam Women University.



Organized National Webinar:

National Webinar on New Education Policy 2020 and Higher Education was organized by the Department of Education, H.C.D.G. College, Nitaipukhuri, Sivasagar in collaboration with the IQAC, Dr. Nobin Bordoloi College, Na-Ali, Jorhat on 20th August, 2020. The keynote Address was delivered by Professor Neeta Kalita Barua, Department of Education & Chairperson, Centre for Studies in Applied Psychology. In this webinar, Dr. Dulumoni Goswami, Associate Professor, Department of Education, Gauhati University acted as the resource person.



Celebrate different Divas: The Department of Education observed World Literacy Day on 8th



Organized talk: The department has organized an extramural speech and talk inviting resource persons on different academic topics for the benefit of students. Reading and Cine Club, Education department and History department in aegis of IQAC, H.C.D.G. College organized a special talk programme. The Resource person Dr.Sanjeev Paul Deka, Assistant Professor, Tezpur University delivered his address on the topic ‘Assamese Women’s Writing in Prose (1884-1930) Rewriting Patriarchy?’ at Conference Hall on 2nd March, 2023.



Inter-Department Teacher Exchange:

The teachers of the Education, Economics and History department teach in subject related topics of other subjects whenever necessary. Mr. Ronjit Khanikar took a class on Educational budget of

Course C4 (Educational Management and Administration) of the 2nd Semester of the CBCS syllabus of Dibrugarh University on 31st May, 2022.



Cultural Exchange Programme: Mrs. ManashiGogoi participated in International Workshop entitled “Indian and Thai Musical Performances Workshop” as a trainer at the Kalasin College of Dramatic Arts, Bundipatanasilpa Institute, Kalasin Province, Thailand with the joint cooperation of the College of Music, Mahasarakham University on 11-15 July, 2019. She again attended the cultural exchange programme as a trainer and artist at Laos National Art School, Vientiane, Laos August 1-7, 2022. She participated as Overseas Guest Reception in Southeast Asian Cultural Confluence 2022 organized by North-East Aashirvad Foundation at SrimantaSankardevKalakshetra, Guwahati on 3rd, 4th and 5th December, 2022.



Excursion: On 14th February, 2020 students of the 6th semester went to the Majuli district to observe the ancient Satriya culture of Assam under the guidance of the HoD, Mrs. DipaliGogoi.



Departmental Publication and Journal:

Newsletter: The department takes the initiative to publish a departmental newsletter in 2017. In the newsletter namely 'EDUNEWS', different academic and co-curricular activities of students of the department during the academic session are highlighted. The 6th edition is published in 2022.



A wall magazine named 'ANKURAN' is prepared by students of the department each year. Presently, the 8th edition of the Wall magazine is published in the 2022-23 academic session. The students of each semester contributed articles, poems, stories, artistic designs, photos etc. for the wall magazine



Handwritten magazine: A handwritten magazine entitled '*PRAYASH*', edited by students of the department since 2016. The articles were contributed by students of each semester. It was published for the fourth time in 2022.



Publication of Book:

Edited books on Projects: Published an edited book named '*COGNIZENT*' on 4th December 2021, a compilation of Field Reports of 6th-semester students of the department from 2014 onwards.



Book released: (1)The department along with the department of English took the initiative to publish and inaugurate two children's books namely, "School SuttyHol" written by Dr.JatinKonwar, Retired Vice-Principal, Associate Professor, HoD of History, Tinkhong College, Dibrugarh and "NeelaTora" written by Dr. L. X. PolinHazarika, Assistant professor, Department of English, H.C.D.G. College, Nitaipukhri on 27th January, 2023.



(2) **CHITRACHAYA** – A collection of photos of different activities of H.C.D.G. College held in 2022 and published in January, 2023.



Facilities:

a) **Psychological Laboratory:** There is a Psychological Laboratory with an electricity connection as well as both manual and electrical apparatus, cards, charts, models, questionnaires, scoring keys etc. for the smooth application of different psychological experiments by students. There are two almirahs in the laboratory to keep the apparatus and notebook for teaching practicals.



b) **Teaching Practice:** Students are provided facilities to practice Macro teaching in nearby government and private schools. Microteaching is also practised in the department.



c) **Departmental Seminar, Group Discussion:** Departmental Seminar with Power-Point Presentation, Group Discussion, Field Project and Report Writing is done for sessional activities



d) **Teaching aids:** Department has two classrooms with whiteboards, maps and charts.

e) **Smart learning:** WhatsApp groups including students of each semester were formed by teachers. Classes were also taken by video conferencing through Google Meet and Zoom. Students had submitted their home assignments in Google Classroom. Teachers also take ICT classes.



f) Departmental Library: There is a departmental library with a few books which has provision to issue textbooks to students for fifteen days during class time and for four weeks during the period of external examination.



g) Appointment of contractual teacher: During the period of vacancy of two posts in the department in 2015 and 2022-23, teachers have engaged a teacher with a monetary benefit. Then, during the vacancy of one post in 2022 another teacher is appointed as Tutor (Contractual) with a monetary benefit.

h) Parent-Teacher relationship: The teachers often keep in contact with the parents of present students along with alumni of the department.