



BIRSA MUNDA COLLEGE

P.O. Hatighisa, Dist. Darjeeling, West Bengal – 734429

A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE COLLEGE:

Birsa Munda College is the only Hindi Medium College in the Terai region of Darjeeling District, West Bengal. It was established in the year 2018, with the aim of imparting quality education to the rural population of Hatighisa and its surrounding regions largely dominated by tea gardens.

Spread over an area of 6 acres, the college is a co-educational degree college affiliated to the North Bengal University. Geographically, it is located in one of the most crucial areas of District Darjeeling in the state of West Bengal, popularly known as the “Chicken-Neck Corridor”. This stretch of land, which connects the eight North Eastern States with the rest of India, serves as an important gateway of the country owing to its shared international boundaries with four major South Asian economies, namely Bangladesh, Bhutan, Nepal and the Tibetan Autonomous Region (TAR) of China.

The college is easily connected by air, rail and road. The closest airport at Bagdogra is only 9 km away. The Siliguri Junction and the New Jalpaiguri Station (NJP) are two of the nearest broad-gauge railway stations, situated at 18 km and 22 km respectively. By road, the college is connected to the Asian Highway 2 and the National Highway NH-31.



VISION AND MISSION



TRUE TO THE COLLEGE MOTTO - *TAMASO MA JYOTIRGAMAYO* - BIRSA MUNDA COLLEGE STRIVES TOWARDS ERADICATING THE DARKNESS OF IGNORANCE WITH THE LIGHT OF KNOWLEDGE. THE COLLEGE BELIEVES THAT TRUE KNOWLEDGE IS NOT LIMITED TO TEXT-BOOKS AND TOWARDS THIS END AIMS AT PROVIDING ITS STUDENTS WITH THE HIGHEST QUALITY EDUCATION THAT IS INCLUSIVE OF HUMAN VALUES AND ETHICS.

THE COLLEGE HOPES:

- TO IDENTIFY AND SUPPORT THE STRENGTH OF EACH AND EVERY STUDENT.
- TO INSPIRE STUDENTS TO ACHIEVE A BALANCE BETWEEN THEIR ACADEMIC GOALS AND LIFE VALUES.
- TO MAKE EDUCATION ACCESSIBLE TO ALL STUDENTS ACROSS SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC BOUNDARIES.
- TO PROMOTE INTERDISCIPLINARY EDUCATION THAT FACILITATES CREATIVE AND CRITICAL THINKING ALONG WITH A PROBLEM SOLVING ATTITUDE.
- TO NURTURE LEADERSHIP QUALITIES AMONG STUDENTS AND INSPIRE THEM TO BE FUTURE CHANGEMAKERS.

Departments:

1. HINDI
2. ENGLISH
3. NEPALI
4. SOCIOLOGY
5. HISTORY
6. POLITICAL SCIENCE
7. EDUCATION
8. COMMERCE
9. ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

COURSES OFFERED

B. A. (HONOURS) PROGRAMME

Honours (Discipline Specific Core Course)	General Elective -Group A (Select One)	General Elective-Group B (Select One)	Ability Enhancement Core Course
HINDI	English / History / Nepali	Education / Political Science / Sociology	AECC 1 (Sem 1) – EVS
ENGLISH	Hindi / History / Nepali	Education / Political Science / Sociology	AECC 2 (Sem 2) – Bengali / English / Hindi / Nepali
NEPALI	English / Hindi / History	Education / Political Science / Sociology	
SOCIOLOGY	English / Hindi / History / Nepali	Education / Political Science	

COURSES OFFERED

B. A. (GENERAL) PROGRAMME

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C
English / Hindi / Nepali	Education / History	Political Science / Sociology

B. COM. (GENERAL) PROGRAMME

B.COM PROGRAMME with Electives as per university norms

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