



Report on the Two-Day Induction Program for all first-semester B.A. and B.B.A.
students of our college

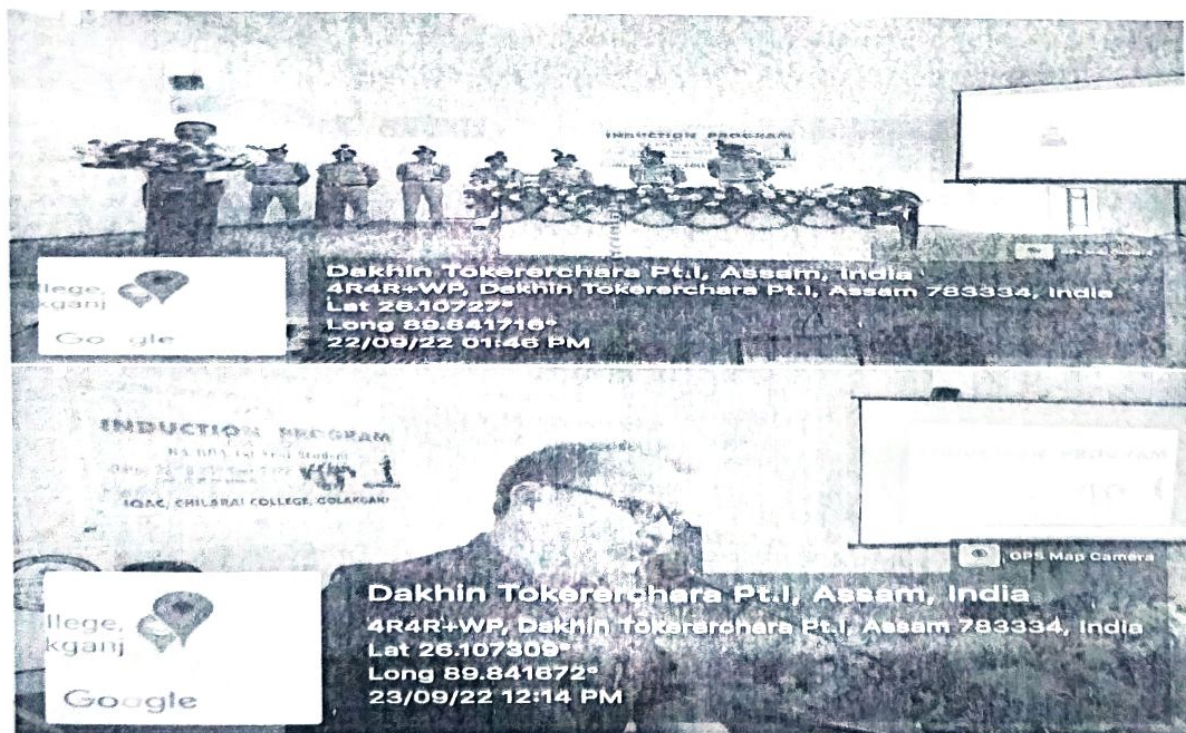
Organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Chilarai College

Venue: Auditorium Hall, Chilarai College

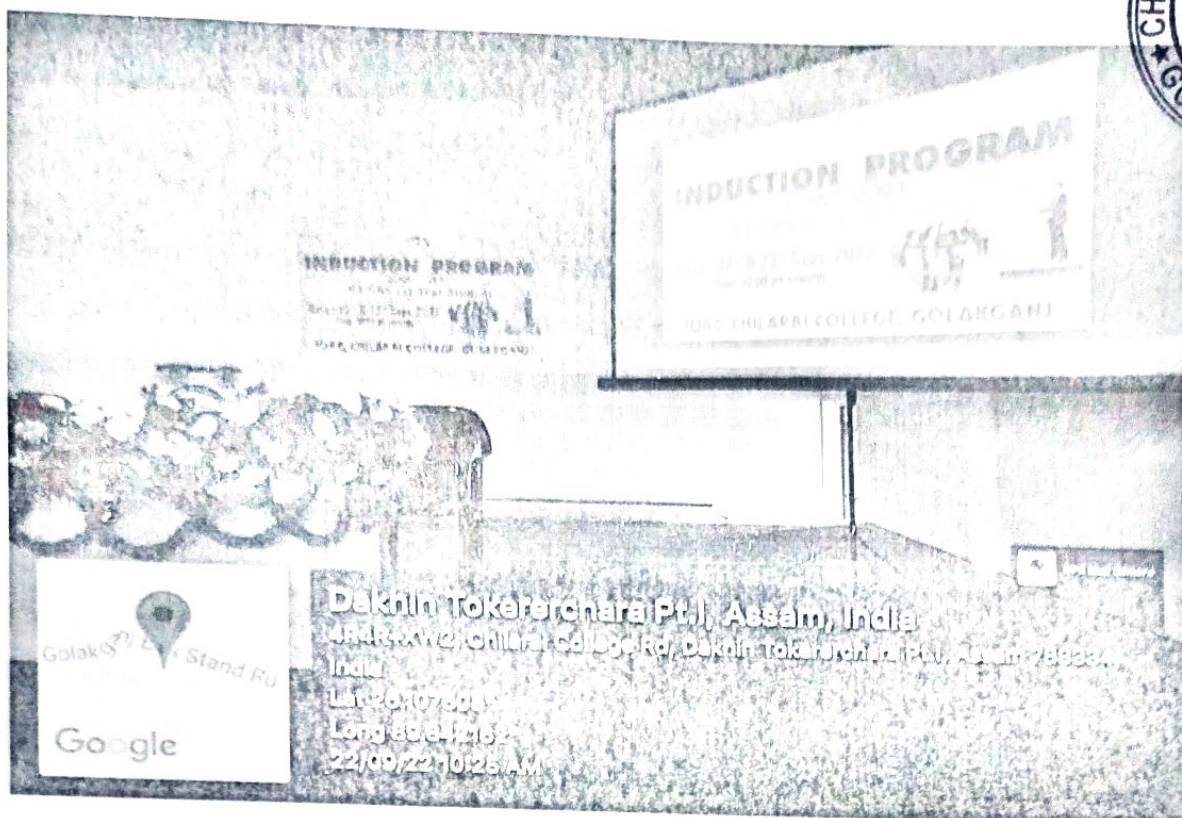
Date: 22 & 23 September, 2022

Time: 10 A.M. onwards

On the 22nd and 23rd of September 2022, the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC), Chilarai College hosted an Induction Program for newly enrolled students entering the B.A./B.B.A. 1st semester. The primary objective of the program was to acquaint the incoming students with the college environment, academic policies, and the array of support services available to them. Throughout the induction program, diverse activities were meticulously organized to familiarize the students with the college's facilities, faculty, and administrative staff. Informational sessions addressing the academic curriculum, examination policies, and crucial aspects of student life were included. Moreover, the program aimed to facilitate interaction among students, fostering a sense of community among the incoming class.



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Commencing at approximately 10 a.m. on September 22nd, 2022, the program initiated with a welcome address delivered by Dr. Bharat Bhusan Mohanty, the Principal of Chilarai College. Dr. Mohanty underscored the pivotal role of the Induction Program in ensuring a seamless transition for students into college life. Subsequently, Mr. Prakash Chakraborty, the Vice Principal and Head of the Department of Economics, presented a lecture on Induction Basics shortly after the welcome address. The primary objective of his presentation was to endow students with a comprehensive understanding of the induction process and its significance in the college context. The presentation delved into various facets of induction, encompassing its definition, significance, and practical advice geared towards facilitating a smooth integration into college life.

The program proceeded with a special lecture delivered by the esteemed resource person, Sri Soumyadeep Datta, who serves as the Director at Nature's Beckon in Assam. The session commenced at approximately 10:50 a.m., during which Mr. Datta underscored the pivotal role of specific skills and tools that contribute to students' academic success. His discourse encompassed topics such as effective time management, study skills, and proficient note-taking.


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Following Mr. Datta's presentation, the subsequent lecture commenced around 11:20 a.m. given by Mr. Topu Choudhury, Head of the Department of Political Science. In this session, Mr. Choudhury acquainted the students with various aspects of the college, including its departments, teaching faculty, and non-teaching staff. The speaker placed significant emphasis on the importance of comprehending the distinct functions of each department, highlighting its relevance in successfully navigating the academic landscape of the college.

Following the aforementioned session, an additional discourse was conducted by Mr. Tarani Kanta Biswas, Head of the Department of Education, at 11:30 a.m. The focus of his session was course induction and teaching and learning pedagogy. Mr. Biswas elucidated that pedagogy encompasses the methods and strategies employed in the process of teaching. The students were acquainted with various pedagogical approaches, including lectures, group discussions, and practical sessions. The speaker underscored the significance of active learning, wherein students are actively involved in critical thinking, problem-solving, and collaborative endeavours.

Subsequently, the ensuing session, commencing around 11:45 a.m., featured Mr. Tanmoy Ray, Assistant Professor of the Department of Management Studies. His valuable lecture addressed the topic of skill development and effective interview techniques. The purpose of this session was to furnish students with the requisite skills and knowledge essential for success in interviews, thereby augmenting their employability.

Following Mr. Ray's session, the organizing team presented a motivational video at approximately 12:05 p.m. This video showcased real-life success stories, portraying individuals who surmounted diverse challenges through determination and perseverance. The narratives spanned a range of achievements, from entrepreneurs establishing prosperous businesses to athletes accomplishing remarkable feats. The video sought to convey the message that success is attainable for those who are willing to exert effort and maintain unwavering commitment.

At around 12:25 p.m., a cultural activity session commenced, featuring Mr. Shyama Prosad Barman, Head of the Department of Bengali, who performed local Rajbanshi songs. Subsequently, another session, commencing around 1:00 p.m., included three resource persons: Mr. Alakesh Chandra Roy, Mr. Anowarul Alom Sarkar, and Mr. Debobrata Roy. They expounded on the significance of NCC, NSS, and the Gymnasium in a student's life.

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At approximately 1:30 p.m., Ms. Krishna Bhowmik, Head of the Department of History, delivered a lecture on the topic of the "Student Code of Conduct." The session commenced with an overview highlighting the significance of a student code of conduct in fostering a positive learning environment. The speaker underscored that the code of conduct functions as a framework, enabling students to comprehend their rights and responsibilities as integral members of the college community.

Subsequent to this session, a motivational video segment ensued. Following the video presentation, at around 2:05 p.m., the organizing team officially announced a lunch break lasting half an hour.

Post the lunch interval, a lecture session commenced at approximately 2:30 p.m., focusing on "Wildlife and Environment Protection." For this segment, two external resource persons, Mr. Mehtabuddin Ahmed and Dr. Joydeep Shil, shared their valuable insights with the students. Within the lecture, they delved into various environmental issues, including deforestation, pollution, and climate change, elucidating their impact on wildlife. Examples were provided to illustrate how human activities have contributed to the destruction of natural habitats and the decline of numerous species. Additionally, the speakers emphasized the importance of adopting sustainable practices and encouraged students to embrace eco-friendly lifestyles.

Following this enlightening session, at around 3:15 p.m., the organizing team screened the movie "I Am Kalam," aiming to inspire students through the life of the former President of India, the late A.P.J. Abdul Kalam. After approximately 4 p.m., the organizing team concluded the day's events by presenting the National Anthem Siachin video. Subsequently, the first day of the Induction Program concluded at around 4:05 p.m.

The second day of the Induction Program commenced with a lecture session delivered by Mr. Nitai Chandra Roy, the Academic Coordinator and Head of the Department of Assamese, on the topic, "Assessment Pattern and Examination System," beginning at 10:30 a.m. Mr. Roy underscored the importance of diversifying assessment strategies beyond traditional exams, incorporating formative assessments, quizzes, projects, presentations, and practical examinations. This varied approach aims to comprehensively evaluate different facets of a student's understanding and skills.


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Following this session, the subsequent topic addressed was "Traffic Rules," which commenced at 11:00 a.m. The guest speaker for this session was Mr. Pranab Humar Deka, Officer-in-Charge of Golakganj PS. Mr. Deka educated participants on the significance of traffic regulations, emphasizing their role in ensuring road safety and orderly traffic flow. The session covered a spectrum of topics, ranging from fundamental traffic rules to the promotion of responsible driving behaviour.

The lecture on traffic rules commenced with an overview of foundational regulations, encompassing traffic signals, road signs, and right-of-way regulations. Participants were reminded that strict adherence to these rules forms the fundamental basis for ensuring safe and efficient traffic management.

Subsequently, at approximately 11:20 a.m., Dr. Mridula Barman, the Principal of Dhubri Law College, delivered a lecture on the topic of "Anti-Ragging, Sexual Harassment, and Cyber Laws." The comprehensive overview was initiated with an emphasis on anti-ragging policies and measures, with participants being briefed on the legal implications of ragging and the pivotal role of educational institutions in enforcing stringent anti-ragging rules. The session underscored the critical importance of fostering a supportive atmosphere that actively discourages any form of harassment.

The discussion further extended to the prevention of sexual harassment on campus. Participants were educated about the legal definitions of sexual harassment and the establishment of Internal Complaints Committees (ICCs) to handle complaints. The session emphasized the significance of cultivating a culture of respect and ensuring a secure reporting mechanism for victims.

Following this impactful session, Gurav Abhijit Dilip, the Superintendent of Police in Dhubri, took the stage to deliver a lecture on the topic of "Motivation and Mentoring," beginning at approximately 12:05 p.m. Dilip's presentation aimed to inspire and guide students on the principles of motivation and effective mentoring. This session provided valuable insights and perspectives to encourage personal and professional development among the students.

The subsequent session focused on "Library Induction," and it was delivered by Kankana Kashyap, the librarian at B.N. College, Dhubri, starting around 12:45 p.m. Ms. Kashyap provided a comprehensive overview of library resources and services, guiding students on


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how to effectively utilize the library for academic purposes. The session aimed to familiarize students with the library's offerings and enhance their research and learning capabilities.



Following the Library Induction, the program continued with a session on "Ice-Breaking & Career Opportunities." This segment was skillfully presented by Arunava Sen, an Associate Professor in the Department of Economics, and began around 1:30 p.m. Mr. Sen's session was designed to facilitate an interactive and engaging atmosphere, breaking the ice among participants while shedding light on various career opportunities available to them.

After this session, a lunch break was announced at 2 p.m. by the organizing team. Following the break, a Motivational Video was played around 2:20 p.m., offering an inspiring interlude to energize and motivate participants for the remaining sessions of the day. The ensuing session delved into Universal Human Values, skilfully delivered by Keramat Ali Sheikh, Head of the Department of Philosophy, around 2:30 p.m. Sheikh's presentation aimed to instill a deeper understanding of universal values, contributing to the holistic development of the participants. The upcoming session addressed Language Proficiency and was expertly presented by Arup Sarma, Head of the Department of English, commencing around 3:00 p.m. Sarma's session aimed to enhance participants' language proficiency, providing valuable insights and skills for effective communication.

The momentum continued with the next session on mentoring, delivered by Jugal Kishor Bhattacharya, Assistant Professor in the Department of Philosophy, around 3:30 p.m. Bhattacharya's expertise and fluency in languages were evident as he guided participants through the importance of mentoring, offering valuable perspectives and knowledge to enrich their personal and professional growth. Following the insightful session on mentoring, the program seamlessly transitioned into a feedback session led by Prince Zakir Abdullah, Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Science and Coordinator, IQAC, Chilarai College. Abdullah's expertise and engaging presentation style were evident as he facilitated the session around 3:45 p.m. During this segment, participants had the opportunity to provide input, share their thoughts, and receive constructive feedback, fostering an interactive and collaborative learning environment. Abdullah skilfully guided the discussion, ensuring that the feedback session was a valuable and enriching experience for all attendees.

Following these enriching sessions, Prakash Chakraborty, Vice Principal, took the stage to address the students and deliver concluding remarks on the Induction program around 3:55


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p.m. Chakraborty's articulate communication style and insightful remarks served as a fitting conclusion, leaving participants with a sense of inspiration and purpose as they concluded the day's proceedings.

The program then reached its conclusion with a Vote of Thanks given by Rupak Adhikary, Head of the Department of Sanskrit, around 4:05 p.m. Finally, at 4:10 p.m., the organizing team played the Siachin Video during the National Anthem, marking the end of the two-day-long Induction Program.


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