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Message from Principal's Desk



Dear Prospective Applicant,

It brings me great joy to learn of your intention to apply to our esteemed college. I am thrilled to share with you the rich history and influential role Zakir Husain Delhi College has played in fostering education in North India, contributing significantly to the intellectual and cultural movement known as the Delhi Renaissance during the nineteenth century. Throughout the years, our college has nurtured a diverse community of students from various cultures and nationalities, fostering a harmonious and inclusive environment. At the core of our institution's philosophy lies the principle of living by love, emphasizing respect and courtesy towards all individuals associated with our college.

Zakir Husain Delhi College is dedicated to cultivating a holistic educational experience for our students, supporting their individual aspirations and growth. We encourage students to explore their passions and talents across a wide range of disciplines, engaging in extracurricular activities, societies, clubs, and sports. To broaden their horizons beyond the prescribed curriculum, the college regularly organizes conferences, workshops, debates, Model United Nations (MUN) simulations, insightful memorial lectures by esteemed scholars, and enriching film screenings. These initiatives aim to enhance students' communication skills and organizational abilities while fostering a scientific mindset and progressive outlook. Through our Debating Society, we sow the seeds of democratic values, empowering students to articulate their thoughts with eloquence and grace.

Zakir Husain Delhi College proudly hosts the finest National Cadet Corps (NCC) wing in the University of Delhi, instilling in students a sense of discipline and selfless dedication to our nation. Our pursuit of academic excellence is complemented by a vibrant cultural scene. The Arts and Culture Society provides a platform for students to showcase their talents in various artistic domains. Our faculty members, who are highly qualified, versatile, and devoted, serve as mentors to our students, shaping their character and nurturing their potential, enabling them to become responsible and contributing citizens. Additionally, we actively promote environmental awareness among our students, sensitizing them to the preservation of our surroundings. It is with great pride that we declare our campus to be free from carbonated drinks, junk food, gutka, and tobacco. We expect students to maintain a disciplined approach to ensure unwavering focus on their goals. Any disruptive or violent behavior will not be tolerated, and appropriate disciplinary measures will be taken. I extend my best wishes to you for the admission process.

With warm regards Professor Narendra Singh Principal

History of Three Centuries

The illustrious voyage of Zakir Husain Delhi College embarked as the Oriental College for Literature, Science, and Art. In 1825, the esteemed establishment underwent a transformation and was bestowed the name Delhi College under the governance of the British East India Company. As progress unfurled, the college introduced an innovative curriculum in 1828, encompassing the realms of English language, literature, and science. In doing so, Delhi College stood as a trailblazer, bridging the gap between traditional knowledge systems and the emergence of English education in the nation. This constructive interplay between oriental and western intellectual traditions flourished, especially prior to the 1857 revolt.

Addressing the needs of the city, Delhi College fostered a remarkably diverse cultural ambiance, revering composite culture and nurturing a spirit of mutual accommodation. Gradually, it became a hub of vibrant scientific and literary intellectual endeavors, heralding the dawn of the 'Delhi Renaissance' in the early twentieth century. In 1842, the college relocated to Dara Shikoh's library near Kashmiri Gate, and in 1843, the Delhi College Translation Society was established as an integral part of the institution.

However, following the tumultuous events of the 1857 revolt, during which the college fell prey to the ravages of revolutionaries, the institution faced a series of trials and tribulations. The British authorities, in response, closed down the college. From 1864 to 1871, a new era commenced with the introduction of intermediate Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts classes. Nevertheless, in 1877, the British government transferred the Delhi Oriental College to Lahore, leading to its reconstitution as the Anglo-Arabic Intermediate College in 1924.

In 1925, the college gained affiliation with Delhi University, subsequently becoming one of its esteemed constituent degree colleges in 1929. Unfortunately, the college became a target of attacks and arson during the partition, but miraculously, the library and office records were salvaged. With the relentless support of Dr. Zakir Husain and other stalwarts, Delhi College experienced a revival in 1948. In recognition of his profound contributions to the institution, the college was rightfully renamed Dr. Zakir Husain College in 1975.

A new chapter in the college's history unfolded in 1986, with its relocation to the present-day campus on Jawaharlal Nehru Marg. Significantly, this geographical shift, situated beyond the Turkman Gate, symbolically amalgamated Old Delhi with New Delhi, harmoniously merging ageold traditions with progress and modernity.

In July 2010, the Zakir Husain Memorial Trust, under the chairmanship of the esteemed Prime Minister Dr. Manmohan Singh, unanimously resolved to rename the college as Zakir Husain Delhi College. Throughout its three-century odyssey, one enduring constant has been the institution's unwavering commitment to knowledge dissemination and the cultivation of a scientific temperament, all while championing secular and progressive values.

Our College Values

Education holds a deeper meaning for us than the mere acquisition of information. We are committed to nurturing the holistic development of young minds within our college. Our institution embodies excellence in professional values, personal skill enhancement, and talent cultivation, while also tending to the social, cultural, and environmental aspects. The core values that define our college are as follows.

Constitutional Values and Fundamental Duties: We hold in high regard the ideals and ethical principles enshrined in the Constitution of India, and we steadfastly adhere to them. This instills a sense of discipline and commitment in the fabric of college life.

Ethical Integrity: Moral principles serve as the bedrock of any establishment. Our college upholds traditional values such as commitment, equal treatment, and a sense of justice, among others. Moreover, we consistently uphold the highest standards of academic, professional, and ethical integrity.

Diversity and Collaboration: Our college takes pride in its diverse faculty and student body, fostering a rich tapestry of cultures. We harness the strengths and interests of this heterogeneous community to foster a collaborative environment within our institution. This promotes creative output, encourages innovation, and enhances overall efficiency.

Innovation and Research: We are continuously dedicated to generating new ideas and implementing novel approaches in our teaching and learning practices, with the aim of enhancing productivity. Furthermore, we strive to embrace digital empowerment, ensuring that our campus keeps pace with the ever-evolving times.

Environment and Sustainable Development: Recognizing the vital role the environment plays in sustaining life, we prioritize maintaining ecological balance by preserving our natural resources. Our college boasts a lush garden adorned with a diverse array of plants, which contributes to a harmonious and green environment on our premises.

Physical Education and Sports: Our sports activities align with the Fit India Movement, an initiative by the Government of India that promotes a physically active lifestyle. We encourage our students to develop their physical competence and strive for excellence in their athletic abilities.

Ancient Indian Traditions: In our unwavering commitment to our roots and ancient traditions, we actively promote practices such as yoga and meditation. Subjects like Vedic mathematics and Ayurveda find their place within our curriculum, aligning with the objectives of the National Education Policy (NEP).

DBT-Star College Our college has been awarded the DBT-Star College Scheme for strengthening Life Science and Biotechnology Education and Training at the undergraduate level for Zoology, Mathematics, and Electronics subjects, sponsored by the Department of Biotechnology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Government of India. Prof. P.K. Shishodia, Coordinator

Society Reports

1. Arabic Society

Teacher-in-Charge: Dr M Obaidullah The Arabic Society Al-Nadi Al-Arabi organised its fresher's Welcome Programme on 11th January 2023, with Prof. Shams Kamal Anjum, BGSBU, as the guest of honour. He delivered the 8th Ghaziuddin Khan Lecture and spoke on, "Shamsul Ulama Deputy Nazeer Ahmad: Delhi College's Most Eminent Arabic Poet & Writer", and a book written by him was also released on this occasion. Arabic Handwriting/Calligraphy Completion was organised on 16th February 2023, and a Special Lecture was delivered by Dr Suhaib Alam (Dept. of Arabic, JMI) on the topic: "India-Arab Relations: Understanding the Old & New Trajectories". The Mamlukul Ali Lecture was held on 29th April 2023, and Professor Naimul Hasan, Head of the Department of Arabic, University of Delhi delivered a lecture on the topic "Use of Information Technology in Learning and Teaching of Arabic Language". Prof. Naimul Hasan also graced the farewell function on 29th April 2023, as the guest of honour. Alongside, the department regularly maintains and updates its wall magazine, Al-Qalam.



2. Aranya- The Nature and Environment Society

Convenor: Prof. Ratnum Kaul Wattal

Aranya - The Nature and Environment Society initiated a thoughtful initiative and collected Paper and Plastic waste and E-waste from 10th August 2022 to 23rd August 2022. It organised an event on World Rivers Day on 16th September 2022. Three exciting 'What if'- A situation-based narration, Poster Making competition and Meme Making competition were held. A book collection drive was held from 6 October to 6 November 2022 and the books were donated to 'Gram Pustakalaya' (mission rural library) which is led by Mr. Ramveer Tanwar, the library man of India. On 8th February 2023, a speedball-making workshop was organised by the society. It was led by Mr Mohit Relan, the founder of the Yeh Mera Gaon initiative and co-founder of NGO Say Earth. In collaboration with NARGIS- The Botanical Society of Zakir Husain Delhi College, Aranya organised a lecture on "Exploring the Extremes: Journey of a Botanist" on 3rd November 2022. The lecture was delivered by Prof. Dinabandhu Sahoo - the first Indian student to explore Antarctica during 1987-88. The volunteers from Aranya attended Ganga Utsav - The River Festival, which was celebrated on 4th November 2022 under The National Mission for Clean Ganga (NMCG), Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Ministry of Jal Shakti, at Major Dhyan Chand Stadium in New Delhi in two sessions. A conventional debate competition was held on 14th November 2022 on "Human Extinction Will be a Blessing for Nature". Dhwanik- The Indian Music Society in collaboration with Aranya kickstarted Aaghaz with two amazing performances. A slideshow presentation of a montage of various events organised by the society - Nest-making Workshop, and Pankhudi-the annual fest of Aranya followed by a discussion with anthropologist Mr Anas Khan. On 27th January 2023, the workshop on the cultivation technique of Pleurotus mushroom was organised by Nargis.

The Botanical Society of Zakir Husain Delhi College in collaboration with Aranya. The annual fest Pankhudi was organised on the 16th and 17th of February 2023. Various competitions like the singing competition, Mandala Art, Nukkad Natak competition, Paperless Artistry Competition, and COP-ZHDC commenced on the agenda- deliberation on eco-capitalism to achieve sustainable development goals. Young environmentalist Palakh Khanna, Founder/CEO of Break the Ice organization, a World Record Holder, Regional Officer for the Asia Pacific and an active environmentalist working towards Sustainable Development Goals delivered a lecture at the event. A pottery stall was also organized. The final event was a Stand-up Comedy Competition in which humour was inculcated in advocacy to bring environmental issues to the limelight.



3. Arts and Culture

Convenor: Prof. Deepak Kalia

'ज़ाकिर हुसैन दिल्ली कॉलेज' की कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' ने वर्ष 2022-2023 में अनेक कार्यक्रम प्रस्तुत किए | ये कार्यक्रम विद्यार्थियों, शिक्षकों, कर्मचारियों के सहयोग तथा प्राचार्य के नेतृत्व में आयोजित किए गए – गतिविधियाँ

1.कॉलेज की 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' ने आजादी के अमृत महोत्सव के अंतर्गत स्वतंत्रता दिवस का भव्य आयोजन किया | यह आयोजन 13 अगस्त 2022 को कॉलेज के प्रांगण तथा सभागार में आयोजित किया गया | कार्यक्रम का आरम्भ मुख्य अतिथि माननीय श्री सुरेश जैन ने ध्वजारोहण तथा राष्ट्रगान के साथ किया | कार्यक्रम में विशिष्ट अतिथि के रूप में प्रो. सुषमा यादव जी विराजमान रहीं | कार्यक्रम में अन्य सम्मानित सदस्यों ने भाग लिया | गवर्निग बॉडी (शासी निकाय) के अध्यक्ष प्रो. अनिल अनेजा तथा कोषाध्यक्ष प्रो. अमित बरधान भी इस अवसर पर उपस्थित थे | कार्यक्रम का सफल आयोजन माननीय प्राचार्य प्रो. नरेंद्र सिंह जी की देख रेख में हुआ |

2. 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' तथा 'इन्डियन कॉन्सिल फॉर कलचरल थियटर' के संयुक्त तत्त्वावधान में 9 सितम्बर 2022 को कॉलेज सभागार में जार्जिया से आए कलाकारों ने अपनी नाट्यप्रस्तुति दी | यह प्रस्तुति तबलिसी अख्मेटेली स्टेट ड्रामा थियटर जार्जिया ने की |यह कार्यकर्म सांस्कृतिक आदान – प्रदान को ध्यान में रखते हुए किया गया |

3. जाकिर हुसैन दिल्ली महाविद्यालय की कला एवं संस्कृति सभा ने एक सप्ताह के लिए नृत्य परिक्षण कार्यशालाओं का सफल आयोजन अक्टूबर 2022 में किया | इन कार्यशालाओं में अपनी अपनी कला में पारंगत कलाकारों ने शिरकत की | साथ ही दिल्ली विश्वविदयालय के भी कुछ माननीय सदस्य इसमें उपस्थित रहें |

4. जाकिर हुसैन दिल्ली महाविद्यालय की 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' ने वार्षिकोत्सव 'निनाद' का आयोजन 20 अप्रेल 2023 को किया | इस कार्यक्रम की मुख्य अतिथि डॉ पारुल पुरोहित वत्स थी | कार्यक्रम में शासी निकाय के अध्यक्ष प्रो अनिल अनेजा भी उपस्थित रहें | महाविद्यालय के प्राचार्य प्रो.नरेंद्र सिंह के नेतृत्त्व में यह कार्यक्रम संम्पन हुआ |

उपलब्धियाँ

कला एवं संस्कृति सभा एक ऐसी सभा है जो विद्यार्थियों को अपनी कला निखारने का एक मंच प्रस्तुत करती है| विद्यार्थियों के बिना कार्यक्रमों का सफल हो पाना असम्भव है | विद्यार्थियों ने न केवल कॉलेज के कार्यकर्मो को सफल बनाने में महती भूमिका अदा की वरन उन्होंने बाहरी संस्थानों द्वारा भी अनेकानेक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए | हमारे विद्यार्थियों की उपलब्धियों की फेहरिस्त बहुत लम्बी है इस कारण सभी उपलब्धियों का उल्लेख कर पाना तो कठिन है पर कुछेक का उल्लेख किया जा रहा है | कला एवं संस्कृति सभा के अंतर्गत विद्यार्थियों की छः उपसभाएं हैं ।उनकी उपलब्धियाँ संषेप में इस प्रकार हैं-

ध्वनिक – जाकिर हुसैन दिल्ली महाविद्यालय की कला एवं संस्कृति सभा के अंतर्गत,भारतीय क्लासिकल म्यूजिक सोसाइटी ध्वनिक ने वर्ष 2022 – 2023 में अनेक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए हैं |इन्होने दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय तथा विश्वविद्यालय के बाहर अनेक कार्यकर्मो में शिरकत की | भीमराव अम्बेडकर कॉलेज में प्रथम पुरस्कार, जे.एम् सी व् पी जी डी ए वि कॉलेज में प्रथम स्थान प्राप्त किए |इसी तरह अनेक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए |

नृत्यति – 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' के अंतर्गत नृत्यति क्लासिक नृत्य सोसाइटी ने 2022 – 2023 में अनेक शानदार प्रस्तुतियां दी | इन्होने अनेक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए है | नृत्यति ने दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय तथा दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के बाहर प्रतियोगितायों में भी भाग लिया | एम्स तथा एस आर सी सी में प्रथम पुरस्कार प्राप्त किया तथा अन्य अनेक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए |

सुचित्रा – 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' के अंतर्गत आने वाला चित्रकला सोसाइटी सुचित्रा ने वर्ष 2022 -2223 में अत्यधिक पुरस्कार प्राप्त किए |इन्होने अनेक संस्थानों से प्रथम,द्वितीय,और तृतीय स्थान प्राप्त किए तथा अनेक संस्थानों द्वारा स्पेशल मेंशन प्राप्त किया |

धनक – यह 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' के अंतर्गत आने वाली वेस्टर्न मुजिकल सोसाइटी है |यह अपने हिप हॉप तथा M J के लिए लोकप्रिय है | वर्ष 2022 2023 में धनक ने अनेक उपलब्धियाँ हासिल की है |एम्स एवं अशोका यूनिवर्सिटी में तीसरा स्थान प्राप्त किया |दयाल सिंह कॉलेज के महोत्सव में दूसरा स्थान प्राप्त किया |साथ ही पूरे वर्ष अनेक प्रतियोगिताओं में भाग लिया तथा कार्यशालाएँ भी आयोजित कराईं |

अलुम – 'कला एवं संस्कृति सभा' के अंतर्गत अलुम सोसाइटी ने वर्ष 2022 – 2023 में अनेक प्रतियोगिताओं में दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालयों में तथा अन्य विश्वविद्यालयों में भाग लिया | 'एकल गायन' प्रतियोगिता में अनेक पुरुस्कार प्राप्त किए | IIT रूड़की व् एम्स में आयोजित कार्यक्रम में भी स्थान हासिल किया |

अमन – कला एवं संस्कृति के अंतर्गत अमन थियेट्रिकल सोसाइटी है |वर्ष 2022-2023 में अमन ने कुछ प्रस्तुतियां दी | सबसे पहली प्रस्तुति स्वतंत्रता दिवस के अवसर पर 'गगन दमामा बाज्यो' नाटक की दी |'अमन' सोसाइटी ने रूड़की में 'कोठायी दुर्गा' नाटक का सफल मंचन किया |मोनो लॉग प्रतियोगिता में पहला पुरस्कार प्राप्त किया |'एक कहानीकार' नाटक की प्रस्तुति लेडीइर्विन कॉलेज तथा हिन्दू कॉलेज में की|



4. Azadi Ka Amrit Mahaotsav

Prof Sarita Passey

For Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM) - an initiative of the Government of India's Ministry of Education, to celebrate 75 years of our Independence - inter-college singing, slogan writing, and essay writing competitions were organised in July with participation from 150 students across 20 colleges of the University of Delhi. The Arts and Culture Society organised intra-college collage and rangoli competitions. On 8th August 2022, World University Service's Delhi University chapter, in collaboration with Saksham Indraprastha, organised an eye check-up camp at the college auditorium foyer with more than 180 participants. On 13th August 2022, as part of the Har Ghar Tiranga programme, a 'Tiranga Yatra', facilitated by the NSS Unit of the college was held with flag hoisting by Principal Prof. Narendra Singh along with honourable Chief Guest Sh. Suresh Jain, National Organising Secretary, Bharat Vikas Parishad. The library committee organised a week-long book exhibition displaying books on India's Independence struggle. The Garden and Greening committee planted three trees, Neem, Bargad and Peepal called "Triveni" on the college campus. The Arts and Culture Society organised a Cultural Programme. The lighting of the lamp with Sanskrit Shlokas and Saraswati Vandana was followed by felicitation of the Guest of Honour Prof. Sushma Yadav, Prof. Anil Aneja, Chairman of Governing Body, and Prof. Amit Bardhan, Treasurer, Governing Body. This was followed by the college Taranaana, and a Bharatnatyam and Kathak-Jugalabandi by the student members of Nrityathi, the classical dance society. The music society, Dhwanik presented patriotic group songs and Aman, the theatre society staged a play titled, "Gagan Damama Bajiyo" on the life of Shaheed Bhagat Singh. The members of the Western dance society Dhanak performed a group dance commemorating the contribution of Captain Vikram Batra, the Paramvir chakra awardee, during the 1999 Kargil war. Suchitra, the fine arts society exhibited the hues of patriotism through their painting exhibition. A selfie-point-Har Ghar Tiranga also witnessed participation. The students and staff gathered in the college and recounted the stories that they had heard of the partition and what some of their forefathers had to undergo during the partition. A two-minute silence was observed, followed by a Silent March in the college to offer respect to the lives that were lost in 1947.



5. Bengali Literary Society

Convenor: Sharmistha Sen

On the 23rd of April, 2022, the students and teachers of the Bengali Literary Society held the 9th Gopa Dey Memorial(online) on a very interesting topic, Terracotta Temples of Bengal and India. The Speakers invited were Prof. Shreela Basu, Visva-Bharati and the Chair was Prof. Gopa Datta, the Ex-Vice-chancellor of Gour-Banga University. Rabindra Divas' was celebrated on the occasion of Rabindranath Tagore's 161st Birth Anniversary on this same day. An essay writing competition was held on the 11th of August 2022, by the students of the Bengali Literary Society and the theme was 'Svadhinatar Pachattar Bachhor' (75 years of Independence). In the month of May, the students of the previous two Final years (2019-20, 2020-21) and Final year students of 2021-22 were invited to a farewell function by the Department, and a very colourful cultural program was organized by the junior students. This year the Bengali Literary Society organised its Fresher's Welcome on the 9th of February where songs, recitations, dances and speeches were performed by and for the incoming students. The 10th Gopa Dey Memorial Lecture was held on 28th April 2023 on the topic: Agni Puja in Indus-valley Civilization. Slides were presented of the Puja seats from excavation sites and relics were shown physically to show the difference between the Agni-worship cult of the Vedic period and the Harappan people. The Speaker invited was Mr. Sandipani Bhattacharya who is the Deputy Director of Amity Group of Institutions. Prof. Amitava Chakraborty, Dean, of Art's Faculty and Head of the MIL&LS Department chaired the session. The farewell function was held on 1st May 2023 with colourful festivities.



6. B. R. Ambedkar Centre

Convenor: Dr Ravi Kant

On 24th May 2022 and 3rd June 2022, the centre organised two Student Seminars Methodology and Ethics of Writing workshops. Three review sessions were also held. The resource person of these was Dr Santhosh J., Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science. On 30th June 2022, a Student Seminar on 'Castes in India: their Mechanism, Genesis and Development' and 'Annihilation of Caste' was organised. Dr Harish Wankhede, Assistant Professor, Centre for Political Studies, School of Social Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, was the keynote speaker of the seminar. Students sang 'Saheb Mere Bhim Rao' followed by a video presentation by the media cell of the Centre. The centre celebrated Constitution Day on 25th November by organising a lecture delivered by Dr Arvind Kumar of Jamia Milia Islamia. A photography competition, guiz competition, and an orientation programme for a new batch of students were also held. The Centre organised a special lecture on 31st January 2023, with Dr Jadumani Mahand, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Jindal Law School, OP Jindal Global University, speaking on 'Ambedkar's Constitutionalism as a Democratic Theory'. The second edition of the inter-college annual fest, 'Manuski was organised, and it started with a speech by Dr Santhosh J., followed by a debate competition. A guiz competition on Babasaheb and Phule was organised in collaboration with Quintessence, the Quiz Society. Apart from these events, the centre organises regular reading and discussion sessions on Dr B.R. Ambedkar.

7. Botany (Nargis)

Convenor: Babeeta C Kaula

Nargis – the Botanical Society, held its inaugural session on 11th July 2022, and the inaugural address was delivered by Dr M. Aslam Parvaiz, Former Vice Chancellor, of Maulana Azad National Urdu University and Former Principal, of Zakir Husain Delhi College. The title of the talk was "Plants - Our Teachers and Spiritual Guide". A photography competition on "The Bounties of Nature" was organized during the botanical excursion to McLeod Ganj from 24th -27th September 2022. On 13th September 2022. A talk followed by a poster-making competition was organised on the International Day for the Preservation of Ozone Layer. The talk was delivered by Prof. Preetam Singh, Emeritus Professor, Oxford Brookes University, U.K. on, "The Current Global Economic and Environmental Crisis". On 3rd November 2023, a lecture by Prof. Dinbandhoo Sahoo, the first Indian student to visit Antarctica, Professor, Department of Botany, DU Director, Center for Himalayan Studies on "Exploring the Extremes: Journey of a Botanist" was organised in collaboration with Aranya- The Nature and Environment Society under the aegis of IQAC. On 14th November 2022, a poster exhibition on "The Inside Stories of the Plant Body" followed by "A Nukkad Natak on Sensitivity Towards Plants" was held. This nukkad natak was also performed at two different locations at Connaught Place, New Delhi on 26th November 2022. On 27th January 2023, a workshop on the Cultivation Technique of the Pleurotus Mushroom was organised in collaboration with Aranya under the aegis of IQAC. The guest speaker was Prof. Rajni Gupta, Department of Botany, Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi. Sylvie - The Annual Fest was organized on 10th February 2023. Various events such as Just a Minute, Bottle Painting and the Dr Virender Kumar Rolling Shield Environment Quiz were organised.



8. Career Counseling and Placement Cell Singh

Convenor: Dhiraj Kumar

This academic year the Placement Cell of Zakir Husain Delhi College was able to bring in Placement and internship opportunities from more than 60 companies. A Job Fair took place for two consecutive days. Students from all over the University attended the Job fair. Some of the notable events were Internship Drive with Internshala, Placement drive with Byjus, Internship Drive with Scouto, Placement Drive with NextGenMunshi, Internship Drive with GSC Associates, Placement Drive with Cuvette, Internship Drive with Krayonnz, Placement Drive with Class Ready, Internship Drive by TADS, Internship Drive with Recruit CRM, Placement Drive with GalaxyCard, Internship Drive with Unacademy – Graphy, and Work-integrated Learning Programme by Wipro.

A career counselling event to help students understand their options after graduation was organised with TIME. On 19th January 2023, a seminar in collaboration with Internshala was held on "How to prepare for your dream job and internships". A Data Visualisation workshop was organised with TABLEAU with Mr. Irfan Shaikh Senior Data Scientist on 19th November 2022. A student development program on R Programming was also organised. A seminar on the topic of 'Risk Management as a Career Option' was held on 2nd February 2023 in collaboration with Global Risk Management Institute. The speakers were Mr Puneet Malhotra and Mr Subhashis Nath. A job fair was held on the campus grounds on the 8th and 9th of February. More than 40 companies hired students from all backgrounds for various responsibilities. Within two days, more than 120 students got job placement offers. The college welcomed Member of Parliament Shri Manoj Tiwari Ji as the chief guest to the Job Fair's inaugural event.



9. Chemistry Society – Chemunicate

Convenor: Ravi Kant

The Society screened a documentary on Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan followed by games for the teachers on Teacher's Day - 5th September 2022. In October, a Donation Drive was organised to collect clothes, working electronic items, sports equipment, bags, bottles, and stationery. Then the society celebrated a 'D-Wali Chem-Utsav' from 17th October - 21st October 2022 on 'Yeh Diwali Science Wali'. A 3D-wali Quiz, 3D-wali Model making competition, and Rang-e- D-wali, a rangolimaking competition were held; followed by an exhibition of the entries. On 10th January 2023, an industrial visit for the students to Hindustan National Glass & Industries Limited, Bahadurgarh, Haryana was organised. The society held its Annual Departmental fest 'ZUSAMMEN'23' on 13th April 2023. A photography competition 'Chem-Clicks' based on the theme 'Chemistry Through Lenses' was held. Dr. Utpal Ghosh, Ex-president and CEO of the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies Dehradun delivered a lecture at the inaugural event held on 17th January 2023. The S.P. Suri Memorial Lecture and Chemistry Department Award function was held on 14th February 2023. Dr Sushmitha Baskar, Faculty of Discipline of Environmental Studies, School of Interdisciplinary & Trans-disciplinary Studies, IGNOU, New Delhi delivered the lecture on "Environmental Issues - The Need for Sustainability". Further, the three toppers of the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Year of B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry for the academic year 2021-22 was felicitated with medals, certificates, and books as part of the S.P. Suri and M.K. Gupta Memorial awards. A 04-day educational trip for the students was organised to Jodhpur-Jaisalmer, Rajasthan from 24th February 2023 to 28th February 2023. It was followed by "Chem-रस - A Competition to win with your words in the form of song /poetry /rap / stand-up comedy, with a touch of Chemistry, a Debate Competition on the motion 'Lithium-ion batteries - will they prove to be a good replacement in the long run'; and 'ChemArt' - art competition inspired by the elements of the periodic table. A general science quiz was held, and the final event was a murder mystery - a treasure hunt.

10. English Literary Society (ELS)

Convenor: Ms Shraddha Adityavir Singh The English Literary Society organised a lecture by Dr Maaz Bin Bilal, an alumnus of Zakir Husain Delhi College and Associate Professor, of Jindal School of Liberal Arts and Humanities on his translation of Mirza Ghalib's Persian masnavi Chirag-e Dair on 13th October 2023. The title of the talk was "The Somnath of my Imagination': Ghalib's Banaras in his Temple Lamp". In association with the Shakespeare Society of India and the Arts and Culture Society of the college, the English Literary Society hosted the National Drama Competition on 3rd February 2023 in the college auditorium. Eight teams from different colleges and universities participated in the prestigious contest. Our college theatre group bagged the second prize in the competition. Prof. Anil Aneja, the Chairman of our college, and Prof. Narendra Singh, the Principal graced the occasion and delivered the inaugural address and the welcome speech respectively.

11. Commerce Society

Convenor: Mr Bharat Bhatt

On 20th January 2023, the Commerce Society organised an essay writing competition to select the student editors for WorldCom - The Annual Commerce Magazine. The participants were asked to write on the topic "Young Minds Can Change the Future of Our Nation". A Group Discussion and Personal Interview Workshop was held for final year students on 24th February 2023, conducted by Mr Sunil Dua, the Senior Regional Head of T.I.M.E. Education. The Annual Commerce Fest, Innovision'23 was organised on 6th April 2023. Its inaugural session was led by Professor Yamini Agarwal, Director, of Bharati Vidyapeeth Institute of Management & Research. She delivered an inaugural talk on the topic "India @100". The events that took place were - IPL Auction, Com Khoj (Treasure Hunt), Shark Tank, Quiz Buzz, Money Mania, Instagram Marketing, Postolic (Poster Making) and Slogan Writing.



12. Gandhi Study Circle

Convenor: Prof. Sanjeev Kumar

On 20th August 2022, the 8th edition of the Distinguished Gandhi Lecture Series on the topic 'Gandhi's Vision' was delivered by eminent Prof. Uday Singh Mehta. For the Gandhi Jayanti Utsav 2022, commemorating the 153rd birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi a field Trip to Gandhi Smriti was organised on 28th September 2022. A Crossword Puzzle Competition on the topic, 'Early Life of Gandhi and in South Africa', was organised on 29th September 2022.

The first student seminar on the theme of 'Contemporizing Gandhi' was held on 30th September 2022. The 9th Session of the Distinguished Gandhi Lecture Series was held on 3rd October 2023. Prof. Vinay Lal, an eminent professor of History and Asian American Studies at the University of California, Los Angeles spoke on 'A Philosophy of Care: Gandhi and the Ethics and Poetics of Nursing'. On 15th November 2022, the Orientation Programme for the academic session of 2022-23 was organised. On 23rd January 2023, Orientation Session for the Value-Added Certificate Course on 'Non-Violent Communication' offered in collaboration with Gandhi Smirti Darsan Samiti, Ministry of Culture was organised virtually. On 27th January 2023, a lecture on 'Gandhi's True Politics and the Concern for Justice: The Unilateral Duty of Owning Kinship with the 'Other' was delivered by Prof. Bindu Puri, Jawaharlal Nehru University. On 30th January 2023, a poster-making competition on the theme- 'Gandhi's Gallery: Recreating Chapters from his Life' was held. On 31st January 2023, a field trip to Teen Murti Bhavan Museum was organised. In the annual fest 'Antyodaya', a lecture by Sopan Joshi was delivered on the theme उपयोगी गांधी on 11th April 2023. On 12th April 2023, an essay writing competition on the theme 'Ethos of Non-Violence in Contemporary Times' and an art completion on the theme 'Learnings from Gandhi' were organised.



13. Garden and Greening Committee

Convenor Dr Babeeta C Kaula

During the centenary year of the University of Delhi, a Shatabdi Vriksharopan 2022 program was held on August 13, 2022. This was a beautiful initiative undertaken by the University to commemorate the completion of 100 years together with the 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'. On this occasion, the Garden and Greening Committee of Zakir Husain Delhi College, took up the plantation drive and under this initiative, three trees- Neem (Azadirachta indica), Bargad (Ficus benghalensis) and Peepal (Ficus religiosa) called 'Triveni' have been planted together in the college campus by Principal Prof. Narendra Singh and other dignitaries. The Garden and Greening Committee along with Nature and Environment Society- 'Aranya' organised a 'Seed-Ball making' workshop by Mr Mohit Relan, on 8th February 2023. Every year The Garden and Greening Committee participates in the annual flower show of the University of Delhi. Mr Mohsin was nominated by the committee for the'Best Mali' award by the University of Delhi for his contributions towards the college garden throughout the year.

This year at the 65th Annual Flower Show held on 2nd March 2023 in the University garden, the college bagged the following prizes: the V.P. Singh Cup for the highest aggregate marks for potted annual flowering plants; the Vallabh Bhai Patel Chest Institute Cup for the highest aggregate marks for potted annual flowering plants and cut flowers, the Department of Business Management Cup for the highest aggregate marks in succulents, the Laxman Sarin Cup No. 3 for the floral display with wild plants, the Indian School of International Studies Cup for the highest aggregate marks in Garland, Bouquet, Wreath and Marriage Decoration (Shared with LSR), and the Daulat Ram College Cup for the best wedding decoration.

14. हिंदी साहित्य सभा

Convenor: Dr Neelam Kumari

हिंदी विभाग की विभागीय समिति 'हिंदी साहित्य सभा' ने सत्र 2022-2023 में 'हिंदी दिवस' के उपलक्ष पर दिनांक 14 सितम्बर 2022 को एक दिवसीय विशेष आयोजन किया। आयोजन को तीन सत्रों में रखा गया। पहले सत्र में विद्यार्थियों के लिए 'निबंध लेखन प्रतियोगिता' का आयोजन किया गया, जिसमें अपने महाविद्यालय के साथ ही साथ दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के विभिन्न कॉलेज के विद्यार्थियों ने भाग लिया। दूसरे सत्र में कॉलेज के हिंदी साहित्य सभा के विद्यार्थियों ने भीष्म साहनी की कहानी 'चीफ की दावत' का नाट्य मंचन प्रस्तुत किया। आयोजन के तीसरे व अंतिम सत्र में हिंदी विभाग, दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के प्रोफेसर अनिल राय का 'हिंदी के समक्ष वर्तमान चुनौतियां और भविष्य की संभावना विषय पर व्याख्यान का आयोजन किया गया। कार्यक्रम के अंत में प्रतियोगिता के परिणामों की घोषणा के साथ साथ विद्यार्थियों को प्रोत्साहन/ प्रमाण पत्र का वितरण किया गया।



15. History Society- Udanta

Convenor: Dr Ataullah

In the year 2022-23, Udanta- The History Society of Zakir Husain Delhi College organised a series of events, ranging from a farewell event to a heritage walk. A farewell for the batches of 2019-20, 2020-21 and 2021-22 was organised on the 19th of April, 2022 in the college auditorium. Students from the three batches got a chance to share their experiences with the juniors, cherish some emotional moments with the professors and relive some memories. An open mic competition was organised on 22nd September 2022 in the college auditorium on the theme 'History through My Lens' where participants from the college expressed their opinions on how they perceive history. The first two position holders were also awarded cash prizes. A departmental trip to Mehrauli Archaeological Complex was conducted on 28th September 2022 to educate the students about the architecture and historical significance of the site. The batch of 2026 was welcomed with a freshers' party organised on 8th February 2023. The students showcased their talents by presenting various performances.

Prof. Eugenia Vanina (Research Scholar, Institute of Oriental Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia) delivered a talk on 'Colonial Indology and Indian Perceptions of the Past' on 20th February 2023 in the AV Room. Prof. Vanina talked about Indian historiography and Western perceptions of Indian history writing.

An art competition was also organised on 20 February 2023. The topic of the competition was 'Perspectives on Colonial India: 1857-1947'. The competition was also open to all the students across DU. The first four position holders received certificates of merit and all the participants were provided certificates. The first two position holders were also awarded cash prizes. The Department organised an educational trip to Sikkim for the First Year students between the 28th of April and the of 6th May, 2023 where they were encouraged to immerse in the culture and experience-changing activities. It was a Departmental trip to remember.



16. Mirza Mehmood Beg Library

Convenor: M Rizwan Ahmed

Convenor: Dr Jyoti Singh

An online National Level Library and Information Science Quiz were organised on National Librarians' Day 2022 in collaboration with the IQAC under the aegis of "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" on 12th August 2022. A book exhibition on India's Freedom Struggle was held from 12th to 18th August 2022 in collaboration with Library Committee and IQAC to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav and the Centenary Year of the University of Delhi, in the College Library. Another book exhibition on the Partition of India and its Tragedies was held from August 17th -27th, 2022. A Book Exhibition on Gandhi and His Path of Non-violence was held from 13th to 20th October 2022 in collaboration with the Library Committee and IQAC under the aegis of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan of the Government of India to celebrate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, in the College Library. A book exhibition was held on Veer Bal Diwas 2022 in memory of the sacrifices of Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji and Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji, the two young sons of 10th Sikh Guru Gobind Singh Ji from 26th to 31st December 2022 in collaboration with the Library Committee Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav and Centenary Year of University of Delhi, in the College Library.

17. Life Sciences Society "Fusion"

Life Sciences Society organized an Eco-Diwali Best Out of Waste competition on 20th October 2022 theme of "Sustainable Diwali". Dr Shams Yazdani, Group leader of, the Microbial Engineering Group, International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology delivered a lecture on, "Genetic and Bioprocess Engineering to Produce Second Generation Biofuels" on 11th November 2022 at the inaugural event of the society. The Annual Festival, 'EQUINOX' was held on 20th March 2023 and the events held were: Impromptu - an extempore competition, Eureka - science and general quiz competition, Morse Code – treasure hunt competition; and Aaina – a reel-making competition.



18. Northeast Students' Counselling and Welfare Society Convenor: L Bidhanchandra Singh On 15 February 2023, a one-day seminar on the Northeastern way of life titled, "Food, Fun and Fantasy" was held. Dr Rituparna Patgiri, Department of Sociology, Indraprastha College for Women; Dr Santosh Hasnu, Department of History, Hans Raj College; and Dr Phirmi Bodo spoke on various themes related to the life and culture of the Northeastern peoples. The Society held its annual Cultural Fest on 3rd May 2023. The event was graced by Shri Indra Mallo Tana, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Women and Child Development (WCD), Government of India.

19. National Service Scheme (NSS)

Program Officer: Prof Mukesh Jain

The NSS Unit of the college started its activities with the Yoga Day Celebration on International Yoga Day on June 21, 2022. Prof. Amit Bardhan, Treasurer of the College Governing Body was the Chief Guest. To celebrate Independence Day, a Tiranga Yatra was organised on August 13, 2022, under the aegis of Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsava. The NSS Unit also organised a cleanliness drive on October 29 and 31, 2022, inside the college campus. As October 31st was also marked as National Unity Day, the NSS Unit of the college organised the Unity Pledge on this occasion. To inculcate the habit of sharing and considering others' needs, a donation drive was conducted inside the campus during the period of November 17–24, 2022. The collections received from this drive were distributed amongst the children in the vicinity of the institution. Taarunya, the flagship program of our NSS unit, was organised on February 1, 2023. Some of the distinguished speakers of the event were Shri Dependra Pathak (IPS), Special Commissioner of Police, Delhi Police; Prof. Balaram Pani, Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi; Prof. Anil Aneja, Chairman Governing Body of the college; Shri Madan Lal, a former cricketer of the 1983 World Cup winning cricket team of India; Shri Vikrant Gupta, Managing Director, Sports Aaj Tak; Shri Vikas Gandhi, MD India, Barclays; and Mr Stavya Kaila, musician

On February 16, 2023, the unit organised two sessions for our students on the topics of postgraduate career options and stock market investments. NSS volunteer Hamid Ansari, of B.Com. (Prog.) 3rd year, represented the NSS unit of the college in the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh Adventure Camp from the 12th to 21st of September, 2022. Another NSS volunteer, Shivansh Shukla, of B.Sc.(Hons.) Electronics, 3rd year, also participated in the National Integration Camp organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, GOI, from February 14th to February 20th, 2023. Our NSS volunteers also participated in numerous college events, including the College Orientation Program, the Independence Day Cultural Event, and the Nature and Environment Society Fest in Aaranya. In addition to this, our volunteers also participate in events organized by the University of Delhi. It consists of the University of Delhi's Tiranga Yatra, Unity Run, Chanakya Play, a Self-Defense Training Program for female students, and a Magic Show. On April 29, 2023, volunteers also attended the celebration of 100 episodes of the Prime Minister's Mann ki Baat at the Ministry.



20. Department of Persian

Teacher-in-Charge: Dr Jamilurrehman Khan A book release of the book, "Indo-Persian Literature: a brief history of 13th to 16th Century" by Taniya Gauhar a student of B.A. (Prog)- Persian 6th semester was held. This book was released by Prof. Sangeeta Pandita - former Principal of the college. An educational trip to Agra was organised on 23rd February 2023.

21. Department of Philosophy – The Monist Teacher-in-Charge: Prof. Divya Tiwari On 23rd September, a seminar on "Knowing with words: An Indigenous Perspective" was organized. Professor Balram Shukla, Sanskrit Department, University of Delhi was invited as a guest speaker. On 27th January, an online session on "Meditation and Mindfulness" was organized. Guest lecturer, Charu Thapliyal, spoke on the technique of Anapansati Meditation, which is the observation of breath along with some basic body relaxation yoga asanas. On 6th February, a movie screening of "Samsara (2011)" was organized.

22. Physical Science Society

Convenor: Dr Gayatri Shishodia The Physical Science Society organised its inaugural function on 12th January 2023 in the college auditorium. Various academic activities were organized by the society on Tuesday, 25th April 2023 as a part of its annual fest' such as Dumb Charades, Science Quizzes, Science Puzzles, memory games, Spot rounds, Blind Fold and Poster making competitions. Prof. S.K. Dhaka, Department of Physics, Rajdhani College (DU) was invited as a guest speaker and delivered a talk on "Real Time Observations of Pollutants and Air Quality of Delhi NCR region" on 2nd May 2023. The other activities including singing, dance, poetry, riddles, group dance and a competition for Mr. and Miss All-rounder were held.



23. Department of Political Science

Teacher-in-Charge: Mr L.Bidhanchandra Singh The Department of Political Science organised a lecture by Dr Latika Vashishth, Associate

Professor, Ambedkar University on the topic, 'Legal Awareness and Specific Laws for Women in India' on 4th November 2022. A screening of two films titled, 'Before You Were My Mother' and 'Flames of a Continuous Field of Time' were held in collaboration with Film South Asia on 11th February 2023. The second O.P. Memorial Lecture on 'The Indian Constitution and Conversations with Power' was delivered by Dr Gautam Bhatia, constitutional law scholar and Advocate, Supreme Court of India on 3rd February 2023.

24. Quizzing Society – Quintessence

Convenor: Dr Sangeeta Pandita

Quintessence collaborated with several societies of the college, including the Gandhi Study Circle, BR Ambedkar Study Circle, Indra Dhanush, and Nature and Environment Society to help them create quiz sets and host quiz events. Quintessence also collaborated with Jaipuria Institute of Management, Noida, for an informative workshop on resume building in which more than 50 students from the college participated. Quintessence launched its first-ever newsletter- Meraki, in September 2022 covering the decade-old history, landmarks and rich environment created and nurtured by the members. Quintessence has contributed quiz questions to college magazines, Shrishti and Rambler.

The society auditions were held twice during 2022-23 to enable freshers to become part of this vibrant society which witnessed more than 150 student applicants from various departments. The Society hosted its three flagship annual events: Quizathon, Conoscenza, and Chakravyuh. The Intra-college event, Quizathon, was conducted in October 2022. Conoscenza, the Inter-college and Inter-school General Quiz Event, was conducted in November 2022. Quintessence's major success this year was its Inter-college Quiz Fest, Chakravyuh, conducted on 16-17th March 2023. Team Quintessence was the Champion in the general quiz at Hindu College, Champion in the diversity quiz at Miranda House, 1st in the literature quiz at Rajdhani College & SGTB Khalsa College, the winner of the Du-LitFest organised at Ramjas College, Champion of the trivia and horror quiz at Kirori Mal and Gargi college respectively. The teams also won 2nd position in the women's month quiz at Acharya Narendra Dev College, and the literature quiz at Shivaji College. Quintessence was placed 3rd in the KNC entertainment quiz, JDMC's General quiz and Miranda's pop culture quiz.



25. संस्कृत विभाग

प्रभारी: प्रोफ़ेसर सरस्वती

संस्कृत विभाग द्वारा 18 अक्टूबर,2022 को कॉलेज सेमिनार कक्ष में "माहेश्वर सूत्रों के वर्णानुक्रम की वैज्ञानिकता " विषय पर एक व्याख्यान का आयोजन किया गया | दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के संस्कृत विभाग में कार्यरत व्याकरण,दर्शन एवं भाषा विज्ञान के मूर्धन्य विद्वान् प्रोफेसर सत्यपाल सिंह ने उक्त विषय पर,जिसे की कठिनतम समझा जाता है, अत्यन्त सरल एवं बोधगम्य शैली में मनोरंजकता के साथ प्रस्तुत किया | जिससे न केवल छात्र अपितु विभागीय आचार्यगण भी लाभान्वित हुए |

विद्यार्थियों के भाषा-कौशल को विकसित करने के लिए संस्कृत विभाग द्वारा 1-14फरवरी 2023 को संस्कृत भारती' के माध्यम से दश दिवसीय कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया, जिसमें भाषा शिक्षिका सुश्री आशा महोदया के प्रशिक्षण में संस्कृत विभाग के सभी छात्रों ने अत्यन्त उत्साह एवं उल्लास के साथ सहभागिता करके संस्कृत संभाषण कार्यशाला को सफलतम बनाने में सहयोग दिया |

संस्कृत विभाग के छात्रों के सर्वांगीण विकास के लिए अपनी प्रतिबद्धता को निरन्तर प्रदान करते हुए 5 मार्च, 2023 कोश्लोक-लेखन एवं पत्र-वाचन प्रतियोगिता आयोजित की गई, जिसमें विभाग के अधिकतम छात्रों ने सहभागिता की| प्रथम, द्वितीय एवं तृतीय स्थान प्राप्त छात्रों को प्रमाण पत्र प्रदान कर अधिक से अधिक प्रतियोगिताओं में सहभागिता के लिए उत्साह-वर्धन किया गया।

संस्कृत विभाग के तृतीय वर्ष के छात्र हेमन्त होरो ने दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के विभिन्न महाविद्यालयों में आयोजित होने वाली प्रतियोगिताओं में सहभागिता करके विभाग एवं महाविद्यालय को गौरव प्रदान किया | इसीप्रकार संस्कृत आनर्स द्वितीय वर्ष के छात्र सत्येन्द्र सागर ने एन.सी.सी.के विभिन्न कार्यक्रमों में सहभागिता करके विभाग एवं महाविद्यालय के नाम उच्च सोपानों पर ले जाने का श्लाघनीय प्रयास किया है |

26. Department of Zoology

Convenor: Dr Ragesh P R

The Department of Zoology has its Inaugural Lecture on: "Shaping of the Immune System" on 9th September 2022. It was delivered by Professor Shibnath Mazumder, Proctor and Dean of South Asian University. A workshop on "Understanding the Technique of Histology" was organised from 15th to 24th September 2022, under the aegis of IQAC, ZHDC, and DBT-Star College Scheme. The Department of Zoology organized a workshop on "Techniques for Gene Expression Analysis" from the 22nd to the 28th of December 2022. An invited lecture on "Anti-microbial Resistance" and a hands-on session on Foldscope under the aegis of IQAC, ZHDC was held on 13 October 2022. The session was delivered by Dr Anupma Harshal, Woman in STEM, Superheroes against Superbugs Fellow. A "One-day seminar-cum-interactive session on Pollution & Human Health: Current Understanding & Future Directions" was held under the aegis of IQAC, ZHDC on 24th January 2023. Prof. Vandana Mishra, Professor Dept. of Environmental Studies & Director, Centre for Interdisciplinary Studies of Mountain and Hill Environment, University of Delhi, Dr Vijay Hadda, Additional Professor, Department of Pulmonary, Critical Care & Sleep Medicine, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi and Dr Suniti Yadav, Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, University of Delhi spoke at the event. The department organized an educational visit to the National Zoological Park, New Delhi, on 07th February 2023. Under the aegis of IQAC, ZHDC & DBT Star College Scheme, ZHDC organized a Health Awareness cum Screening Camp in Collaboration with the Department of Anthropology, Delhi University, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Amity Institute of Anthropology and National Thalassemia Welfare Society on 21st February 2023 in the college auditorium. On 21st March 2023, the Zoological Society "Inheritance" organized their intercollegiate Annual Fest "ZOOMERANG".



27. Sports Advisory Committee

Convenor: Prof. Samta Goyal

With college going offline, sports activities were resumed by organizing practice sessions and trials to induct players to complete the required number of players in a team. This year two new sports Kho-Kho and Kabaddi were introduced by popular demand of students and through trials by respective coaches, team members were selected and set into regular practice.

The Basketball team participated in several tournaments: SYNAPSE organized by MAMC, SURGE by Shiv Nadar University, LSR sports tournament, BAREFOOT by Bhim Rao University, YMCA sports tournament, secured 3rd position in SPLASH organized by LHMC and were ousted in the quarterfinals in FOYS by SRCC and SPARDHA by Amity University.

The College Chess team was victorious in many tournaments, securing 1st position in the Chess individual event at 'APARAJIT' tournament organised by Symbiosis Law School, 2nd position in the mixed team category in BMW Heroes' Challenge, 1st position at Chess warfare by DTU in the individual category, third position in chess individual at LSR, and put up commendable efforts in various tournaments like 'SURGE' by Shiv Nadar University, sports tournaments of Miranda House, SRCC, Maitreyi College. It is a matter of great pride for us that one of our students was selected for the Delhi University chess team and played North Zone Inter-University tournament and another student secured second position in the National level CA Students Chess Competition held at Vadodara.

The Cricket team participated in an inter-college knockout at Rajdhani College, won 2 matches at Maharshi Premier League, NOIDA, Swami Dayanand Saraswati tournament at PGDAV, SAMAGRAH sports society festival of DME, and T-20 intercollege tournament organized by SGND Khalsa college. The college football team secured 4th position in the Reliance Youth Sports football league bagged 2nd position in AEG Sports Fest Athleema and showed commendable performance in tournaments like BAREFOOT by Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar College, Foys by SRCC, and JMC Sports Fest and reached semi-finals. Our team played exquisitely at LSR, Amity, and Bennett University sports fest.

Our Judo team members won a lot of accolades for their performance, played magnificently, and won two gold and one silver medal at the All-India championship Tong-il-Mood-Do 2023, gold medals in many tournaments like All-India Inter-University, Kanpur-2022, Khelo India University, Bangalore-2022, 10th district Karate championship & selection-2022, Kumite-Open district karate do championship-2022. The players put up a praiseworthy performance and won a silver medal in Judo at LSR and the Open district karate championship in Karate. One of the team members won the bronze medal at Khelo India dus-ka-dum 2023, LSR College Kurash, and Mata Sundri College 2023. One of our students secured 7th place in Senior National Lucknow 2022, 5th place in National Games 2022 Gujarat, and 5th place in All India Inter-University Punjab 2023. Our players participated in the 38th Delhi State Judo Championship and one of the players secured 2nd place. Our team players also participated in All-India Inter-University Championship.

Kho-Kho was introduced in college and the team, in its maiden effort, entered the semi-final round at FOYS by SRCC and Inter-College knockout. Kabaddi, also introduced in college, made a mark in sports activities of the college by securing 3rd position in matches organized by Major Dhayanchand Association and Ghajipur district. Our men's team played exceptionally well and secured 2nd position at BITS Pilani. 1st position in Men's single at Desportivos by LNMIIT Jaipur, LSR and Athleema by AEG; 3rd position in Men's single at JMC. 1st position in mixed doubles at LSR and Athleema by AEG. One of the players secured bronze in Women's singles and doubles at Athleema by AEG.



The college volleyball men's team Participated in BAREFOOT organised by Dr Bhim Rao Ambedkar College and Desportivos by LNMIIT Jaipur. One of our students got selected for North Zone Men's team after trials for the North Zone Inter University Volleyball tournament. We are proud to report that three of our volleyball players have played in State Championships organized by Delhi Volleyball Association. Players from different sports teams (Football, Volleyball, Badminton, Kho-Kho, Judo, Table-tennis, Kabaddi, Swimming, Shooting, Boxing, and Chess) participated in player selection trials for the North Zone team for All India Inter University tournaments. One of our students secured 2nd position in boxing in selection trials for the Delhi University boxing Men team for the All India Inter University Boxing Tournament.

28. Debating Society

Convenor: Dr Aftab Alam

The Debating Society successfully organized its flagship event, the 6th Zakir Husain Memorial Annual Parliamentary Debate Competition from 23-25 April 2023. Teams from more than 48 colleges/universities participated. The Debating Society (Hindi) organized many of its activities during 2022-2023. It organized Orientation Program in the month of December 2022. In February 2023, it organized a workshop on debating skills. It organized Intra-college debate competitions and group discussions. It also organized awareness sessions on harassment, group discussions on gender sensitization and various aspects of nationalism.

The Debating Society (English) of Zakir Husain Delhi College has had an exemplary performance in the session 2022-23. The first edition of the Dr OP (Om Prakash) Memorial Conventional Debate Competition was organized in memory of Dr Om Prakash on 18 April 2022 with successful participation from various colleges in Delhi. The third edition of the Ikhtilaf Parliamentary Debate Competition was conducted after three years on 20-22 January 2023. It observed a footfall of 150+ participants from premier institutes all over North India. Along with hosting our annual events, we inducted 50+ students in the session of 2022-23 and trained them in various forms of debating. Members of the society have brought laurels to the college by representing it in various prestigious competitions and achieved great accolades in debating and adjudication.



29. Model United Nations Society

Convenor: Mehmood Alam

The annual report of DELZAK, the Model United Nations Society of Zakir Husain Delhi College, highlights their exceptional performance and achievements throughout the year. Known as one of the most active MUN societies in Delhi NCR, DELZAK boasts a team of 50 dedicated members who have participated in numerous conferences both within Delhi NCR and beyond. The society's members have not only participated in conferences but have also been invited to judge conferences organized by prestigious institutions such as IITs, Law Schools, and colleges affiliated with the University of Delhi.

An important milestone for DELZAK was hosting this year's annual conference, the Zakir Husain Delhi College Model United Nations Conference (ZMUNC'23). The conference, held in collaboration with the United Nations Information Center for India and Bhutan, was a resounding success with a large crowd of approximately 400 attendees. The conference featured well-organized committees led by esteemed executive members from diverse backgrounds. The tireless efforts of the secretariat, consisting of 35 individuals, contributed to the smooth execution of the event. The chief guest for the conference was Major General (Dr.) Yash Mor Grestha, adding prestige to the occasion. Currently, DELZAK remains dedicated to its mission of providing insightful training sessions that focus on diplomacy, negotiation, personality enhancement, communication skills, mock parliament, and Intra Model United Nations. The society continues to uphold the rich heritage of the MUN Society and strives to make a lasting impact in the MUN circuit.



30. DBT Star College Scheme

Co-ordinator: Prof P. K. Shishodia

Under the esteemed DBT-Star College Scheme, a wide range of activities were successfully organized throughout the academic year 2022-2023. These events aimed to enhance the knowledge and skills of students in various disciplines. Notably, the Department of Zoology conducted two impactful workshops during the year. The first workshop, titled "Understanding the Technique of Histology," took place from September 12th to 17th, 2022. The second workshop, focusing on "Techniques for Gene Expression Analysis," occurred from December 22nd to 28th, 2022. Both workshops were specifically tailored for B.Sc. (Hons.) zoology and B.Sc. (Prog.) life sciences students, aiming to familiarize them with essential techniques such as histological slide fixation, microtomy, RNA isolation, PCR, and gel electrophoresis for gene expression analysis. Furthermore, the Department of Mathematics organized a highly beneficial one-week national workshop on "Manipulation and Realization of Data through R" from December 16th to 21st, 2022. Additionally, an enlightening workshop on "Introduction to Python for Meta-analysis of Data" was conducted from November 1st to 5th, 2022. Moreover, the department hosted a one-day seminar on intellectual property rights on October 1st, 2022. Under this scheme, a research article titled "Estimating the Parameters of Covid-19 Cases in South Africa" was published in Biosciences Biotechnology Research Asia, Volume 19 (1): 153-162, in 2022. This publication stands as a testament to the valuable research conducted under the DBT-Star College Scheme. Lastly, the Department of Electronics organized a captivating lecture on "Magnetic Nanostructure and Nanodevices" on January 31st, 2023. This lecture provided participants with valuable insights into the fascinating field of electronics. These endeavours undoubtedly contributed to the holistic development of students and the advancement of knowledge in their respective disciplines.

31. Electronics Society

Convenor: Dr Parvesh

The Department of Electronics organized a five-day national workshop in a hybrid mode from November 01-05, 2022. The workshop featured a lecture on "Introduction to Python for Meta-Analysis of Data" by Prof. Shikha Mehta from the Department of Computer Science and Engineering. The session was followed by a rapid-fire round to familiarize students with the concept of Meta-analysis in Python Programming. Certificates of participation were awarded to the attendees, acknowledging their active engagement and learning. In collaboration with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, the Department of Electronics also organized a lecture on "Magnetic Nanostructures and Nanodevices" on May 31, 2022. Prof. Bijoy Kumar Kuanr from the Special Centre for Nanoscience at Jawaharlal Nehru University delivered the lecture, providing valuable insights into this emerging field. Lastly, the students of the 1st and 2nd years organized a farewell event for the seniors (batch 2020-2023) filled with various activities. This heartfelt gesture created a memorable experience for every student and teacher from the Electronics Department, fostering a sense of unity and camaraderie.



Zakir Husain Delhi College, University of Delhi and Indian Council for Cultural Relations(ICCR), Ministry of External Affairs.

A Theatrical Presentation by Tblisi Akhmeteli State Drama Theatre Group of Georgia



Facilities

Library and Book Bank

The Mirza Mehmood Beg Library is a comprehensively air-conditioned facility boasting a total collection of approximately 115,000 books. The library operates on the Open Access System, offering convenient accessibility to its resources. Two Reading Halls are available, each accommodating up to 100 individuals. Additionally, the library provides two teachers' enclosures with a combined seating capacity of 20, one of which serves as an Enabling Unit for Visually and Print Disabled individuals.

In addition to its diverse collection, the library houses a special room dedicated to the Delhi College Archives, housing valuable historical documents pertaining to the College's rich history. Furthermore, it boasts an impressive collection of rare books and manuscripts. Apart from textbooks and materials relevant to academic needs, the library subscribes to prominent magazines, leisure books, competitive exam resources, and general awareness materials.

The library also features a Book Bank, housing a wealth of around 12,500 books. This service offers students the opportunity to access required textbooks for the entire academic session, subject to timely application upon notification. In line with modern trends, the library strives to provide convenient services to both students and staff by employing popular social media tools. The ultimate aim is to facilitate a seamless and user-friendly experience for all library patrons.



Computer Labs/ Multimedia Lab

The College has three well-equipped computer labs which cater to the curriculum requirements and course needs of the students of all streams. The college is connected to Delhi University through WAN.

Audio Visual Room

Audio Visual room in the Science Block is equipped with facilities like a public address system, overhead projector, and LCD projector. Educational film shows, lectures, and other similar events are organized, giving the students ample opportunities to participate in cocurricular and extra-curricular activities.

Seminar Room

The seminar room is equipped with an audio system and projection facilities. Lectures of prominent people, seminars, and discussions are organized here.

Faculty Mentor Scheme

The college introduced the faculty mentor scheme in the academic session 2007-08. Under this scheme, each student admitted to the college is attached to one faculty member who would be their guide and counsellor for their entire period of stay in the college. Students are encouraged to discuss any issues or problems – academic or personal, with their respective faculty mentors. Like the older days of "Gurukul," this scheme aims to build a good student-teacher relationship and solve the day-to-day or any long-term problems the students may face in college or in their personal life.



College Canteen

The college has a fully functional canteen surrounded by lush greenery creating a more aesthetic environment. It caters to healthy, wholesome, and pure vegetarian delicious delicacies with a vast variety menu at reasonable prices. It ensures the daily nutritional requirements of both students and staff. The quality of food items and even the ingredients used are also checked and monitored regularly.

Common Rooms

The college has two common rooms separate for girls and boys. The common rooms are spacious and have 50 girls and 25 boys seating capacity. The rooms have comfortable furniture, an attached washroom, a purified drinking water facility, and an intercom facility. The common room provides a recreational space to socialize among students of different departments, quality discussions, co-curricular activities, talk and relax during free time. Facilities for playing indoor games like chess and table tennis are also provided. Girls' association activities are also conducted in the Girls' common room.

Medico-Counselling Room

There is a Medico-Counselling Room adjacent to the college library. It is well-equipped with a first-aid facility. Doctors, along with a medical assistant, physiotherapist, and psychiatrist, are available on campus from Monday to Friday on a part-time basis. Students can avail of this facility as and when required.

Bank

The College Campus houses a Canara Bank Extension branch for institutional financial transactions. The bank facility caters to the needs of students and staff members for maintaining a savings account with a minimum balance. Students can open individual accounts in the bank for easy processing of scholarships and other financial assistance. This fully computerized bank facility offers world-class services and gives the students and staff on campus ease in handling their money.

Photocopy-cum- Stationery Shop

The campus has a stationery store in the science block that provides basic supplies, stationery, and xerox facilities at reasonable prices.

Playground

The college houses a well-maintained sports ground for outdoor games like cricket and soccer. Students can benefit from enrolling in various sports activities, training sessions, and tournaments. The facility of different indoor and outdoor games is available to every student on a timetable basis. Proper dress code, accessories, and discipline are mandatory for availing of the sports facility.

ICT Enabled Rooms

The college uses a diverse set of ICT tools to communicate, create, disseminate, store, and manage information. The integration of ICT can support a range of effective and efficient teaching, learning and assessment approaches that enhance learning opportunities through access to a range of resources, stimulus materials and learning tools, and provide increased opportunities for students' engagement, knowledge retention and motivation.

Power Bank Charging Station

The college has a revolutionary and innovativeA3Charge - a Rental Power Bank station for charging mobile devices with 5000 mAH capacity with inbuilt cables, which can charge micro, type C, android & iOS devices. It has a unique feature of fast charging that can charge 50-80% of the battery within half an hour. Rent a power bank, charge on the go, and then return it to any of the nearest A3 Charger stations operational 24/7 across Delhi-NCR, even in malls.



Smoking is strictly banned in the College premises

Departments

Department of Arabic

The Arabic Department of our college boasts a rich legacy, being one of the oldest Arabic departments in India. Its roots can be traced back to the late 17th century when the college was founded, accompanied by an Arabic madrasa. Our esteemed faculty, characterized by dedication, competence, and unwavering commitment, employs a student-centered teaching approach to offer a comprehensive three-year B.A. program focused on Arabic language and literature.

Our department's approach to education combines the best of classical learning with modern teaching methodologies. Our primary objective is to cultivate global proficiency in modern standard Arabic while nurturing an understanding of Arabic texts from the pre-modern era. We strive to equip our graduates to meet the multifaceted academic and professional demands in both the domestic and international spheres.

To foster a vibrant academic environment, we run an active Arabic literary society known as 'Al-Nadi Al-Arabi,' which engages in publishing a quarterly wall-magazine called 'Al-Qalam' and hosting monthly speaking sessions titled 'Al-Bayan.' Additionally, the society organizes various events such as seminars and lectures to keep our students abreast of the latest developments in the field of Arabic studies.

- 1. Dr. Mohd. Qasim
- 2. Dr. Md. Obaidullah
- 3. Dr. Sayed Mohammad Tariq (Teacher-in-charge)

Department of Bengali

This institution stands out among its peers as one of the limited establishments providing B.A. (Hons.) and B.A. level programs in Bengali. Despite being a comparatively modest department, it boasts a faculty of highly dedicated and motivating educators who have effectively nurtured a profound fascination for the Bengali language among their students. The department publishes a notable Bengali journal named the "Zakir Husain College Patrika." Moreover, the Bengali Literary Society, in conjunction with various other initiatives, has been successfully hosting the esteemed Gopa Dey Memorial Lecture for the past nine years.

- 1. Dr. Sharmistha Sen
- 2. Dr. Audwittee Banerjee (Teacher-in-charge)

Department of Botany

The Department of Botany at Zakir Husain Delhi College offers a comprehensive study of the plant world. Our esteemed faculty members are highly proficient academicians with extensive experience as educators, mentors, and researchers. They are prominent figures in the field of botany, having made significant contributions to the discipline.

The department boasts three well-equipped laboratories where students gain exposure to a diverse array of experiments. Additionally, we take pride in our museum, which houses a herbarium and numerous plant specimens, models, and trans-slides of unique plant species. To meet the experimental needs of our curriculum, we maintain a botanical garden with a wide variety of plants, including a dedicated pond for aquatic species.

Aligned with our department's philosophy of emphasizing practical learning, we organize an annual educational trip to different locations, allowing our students to explore the natural habitats of various plant species. Moreover, our botanical society, known as 'Nargis,' serves as a platform for students to channelize their creative potential and learn from scholars worldwide. The society hosts events such as lectures, debates, and quizzes, fostering a holistic approach to botanical education.

- 1. Dr. (Ms) Malti Gupta
- 2. Dr. (Ms) Babeeta Churungu Kaula
- 3. Dr. Devyani Muley (Teacher-in-charge)
- 4. Dr. Mohammad Wahid Ansari

Department of Chemistry

The Department of Chemistry boasts an exceptional team of teachers renowned for their diligence, experience, and unwavering commitment to academic excellence. Comprising four well-equipped laboratories and an Instrumentation room, the department has been duly recognized as a research center by the esteemed University of Delhi.

Notably, the Chemistry Department has been at the forefront of pioneering Good Laboratory Practices and Innovations in teaching laboratories. Additionally, to cultivate early research exposure for students, the department regularly conducts Summer Research Projects.

Under the auspices of the Chemistry Society, the department hosts an annual festival called "Zusammen," featuring intra and intercollege quiz and debating competitions. Nurturing a vibrant atmosphere, the Chemistry Society, known as "CHEMUNICATE," diligently organizes various intra college events, along with the intercollegiate festival, ZUSAMMEN, thereby affording students ample opportunities for holistic development.

1.Prof. Sangeeta Pandita
2.Dr.(Ms) Nadira Arif
3.Prof. Samta Goyal
4.Prof.(Ms) Usha Bansal (Teacher-in-charge)
5.Prof. Sarita Passey
6.Dr. Jyotasna Ratan
7.Dr. Mohsineen Wazir
8.Dr. Ravi Kant
9.Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Mishra
10.Dr. Jyoti Singh
11.Dr. Prerna Singh
12.Ms. Mamta Bai

13.Dr. Jyoti Tyagi
14.Ms. Leela Gautam
15.Dr. Ritu Mathur
16.Dr. Anjana Yadav
17.Dr. Prateek Tyagi
18.Dr. Anubha Sharma
19.Dr. Manohar Lal
20.Dr. Manish Kumar
21.Dr. Arvind Kumar Rajput
22.Dr. Mukesh Kumar
23.Dr. Ruby Bansal
24.Dr. Manjeet Singh Barwa

Department of Commerce

The Commerce Department is extremely enterprising in all its activities with high energy levels. The B.Com (Hons.) course offered by the department has always been in great demand. The department has a diligent and dedicated team of teachers who assiduously guide the students in their respective courses. The Department has a vibrant commerce society which organizes several academic and cultural activities throughout the academic session. The department also publishes its annual commerce magazine 'WorldCom'.

- 5. Dr. Tabassum Jehan
- 6. Dr. Savindra Kumar
- 7. Dr. Ashima Khurana (Temporary)

- 1. Mr. Ashok Sharma
- 2. Dr.(Ms) Ruma Debnath
- 3. Mr. Bharat Bhushan
- 4. Prof. Masroor Ahmad Beg (On Leave)
- 5. Prof. Mukesh Kumar Jain
- 6. Dr. Shivani Abrol
- 7. Dr. Shruti Gupta
- 8. Dr. Mohd. Rizwan Ahmad

Department of Economics

- 9. Dr. Mahmood Alam
- 10. Dr. Reeta
- 11.Mr. Bharat Bhatt
- 12.Dr. Nidhi Dhawan
- 13.Dr. Bhupender
- 14.Dr. Abdul Wahid Farooqi (Teacher-in-charge)
- 15.Dr. Swati Aggarwal

The Economics Department at Zakir Husain Delhi College has earned renown for its distinguished intellectual caliber. Our faculty is highly competent, recognized for their dedication and extensive experience. Our department offers comprehensive Economics courses that provide students with a profound understanding of the functioning of economies across diverse countries.

- 1. Mr. Shamsul Haque
- 2. Ms. Apala Panda
- 3. Ms. Shailza Gupta
- 4. Dr. Shirin Akhter
- 5. Dr. Sujit Basu
- 6. Ms. Simin Akhtar Naqvi (Teacher-in-charge)
- 7. Dr. lyer Vibha

Department of Eectronics

The Electronics Department offers a Bachelor of Science (Honors) program in Electronics, which is designed to cultivate students' analytical skills, logical reasoning, and creativity. The curriculum aligns with the guidelines set forth in the National Education Policy-2020. This comprehensive course lays the groundwork for students' proficiency in diverse disciplines, enabling them to keep pace with the latest technological advancements, such as Internet of Things, Artificial Intelligence, Nanoelectronics, Circuit design, Embedded systems, Semiconductor Devices, Instrumentation, Microprocessors, Communications, Analog Electronics, Digital System Design (using VHDL), and Photonics, all in accordance with industry standards.

Furthermore, the program includes skill enhancement courses in areas like Web Development, Cyber Security, and Ardino/RPI App development, which are tailored to meet industry demands.

The Electronics Department is proud to be a part of the DBT Star College Scheme, and the program is coordinated by Professor P.K. Shishodia. To promote continuous learning and stay abreast of the latest developments in Electronics and Computers, the Electronics Society organizes workshops and lectures throughout the academic session.

- 1. Prof. Naveen Kumar Jain
- 2. Prof. P.K. Shishodia
- 3. Mr. Anshu Rastogi (Teacher-in-charge)
- 4. Dr. Neelam Pahwa

- 5. Dr. Parvesh
- 6. Dr. Ritu Bansal
- 7. Dr. Manish Kumar

Department of English

The Department of English prides itself on an inclusive, all-round approach to teaching and learning of literature and language. Over the years, this department has been a 16 gathering point of a vibrant group of teachers with expertise in diverse areas of study such as English literary studies, Indian and other postcolonial, popular and classical literatures as also in language teaching and translation. The department works towards empowering its students by helping develop their critical thinking skills, helping find creative channels for individual and collective expression through participative teaching, seminars and organization of lectures and readings by scholars and writers from diverse fields. To that effect the Department runs an active English Literary Society. Rambler, the literary journal of the college showcases the writing skills and talent of our students. Each batch of first-year students of B. A. (Hons.) English course is given a series of orientation lectures to introduce them to emergent questions of reading and writing of a range of themes they will explore in the following years. Our faculty members continue to contribute to ongoing debates of our discipline through their participation in literary events. They are invited to deliver lectures nationally and internationally and have received fellowships to study further in their field of interest. They bring this wealth of experience to the classroom for a vibrant teaching learning environment.

- 1. Prof. Anuradha Marwah
- 2. Dr. Mukul Chaturvedi (Teacher-in-charge)
- 3. Prof. Kishore Kumar Das
- 4. Ms. Shraddha Adityavir Singh

5. Dr. Namrata Chaturvedi

- 6. Mr. Abdul Hameed P.A.
- 7. Ms. Tanya Lahon Warjri
- 8. Dr. Mohd. Afzal (Temporary)

Department of Environmental Studies

It is the newest addition to our college's academic offerings. Our department prides itself on providing a comprehensive interdisciplinary program that delves into the various aspects of the environment through a multitude of disciplinary lenses. We are committed to fostering a strong academic environment that encourages both students and faculty to actively engage with pressing environmental challenges.

One of our key objectives is to offer an Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) on Environmental Studies to meet the growing demand for such education. Our faculty consists of experienced and dynamic experts, each with their specialized knowledge in relevant domains.

To keep abreast of contemporary environmental issues, we regularly host workshops and conferences. These events provide valuable opportunities for students to cultivate critical thinking skills and develop strategies (scientific, social, economic, administrative, and legal) to address environmental protection, biodiversity conservation, environmental equity, and sustainable development.

Our department is dedicated to nurturing the next generation of environmental leaders and problem solvers who will play a pivotal role in shaping a sustainable future. We invite you to join us on this inspiring journey of exploration and transformative learning.

Department of Hindi

It has an impressive faculty of accomplished teachers who have excelled in their creative pursuits. It has a vibrant literary society, 'Hindi Sahitya Sabha', which, under its aegis, has been periodically organizing lectures by eminent scholars, seminars, and Kavi-Sammelans. To provide students with an avenue for expressing their creative talent, the Department brings out a journal in Hindi called "Rashmi" that publishes original contributions of the students across the college.

- 1. Dr. Pawan Kumar
- 2. Prof. Harender Singh
- 3. Dr. (Ms.) Neelam Kumari

Department of History

- 4. Dr. Anjan Kumar
- 5. Dr. Vijender Singh Chauhan (Teacher-in-charge)
- 6. Dr. Suraiya Khan

The Academic Department of History boasts a highly distinguished faculty, comprising a group of diligent and dynamic educators who have achieved excellence in their respective areas of expertise. Our department is committed to promoting an engaging and interactive approach to education, with an unwavering emphasis on cultivating a robust academic foundation and critical thinking abilities, while also nurturing a heightened awareness of social issues among our students. Additionally, the department hosts a proactive society that actively arranges lecture series, seminars, and enriching educational excursions to museums, historical sites, and archaeological locations.

1.Prof. Capt.M. M. Raheman 2.Prof. Pradeep Kumar 3.Dr. M. Tarique Anwar 4.Dr. Ataullah

- 5.Dr. Ashwin Parijat Anshu (Teacher-in-charge)
- 6.Dr. Sarita Sarasr (Temporary)

Department of Mathematics

The Department comprises illustrious scholars renowned for their splendid work in the areas of Mathematics such as Fixed-Point Theory (Functional Analysis), Non-Linear Dynamical System Control, Nano Mathematics, and Fuzzy Logic. The department has been persistent in evolving standards for teaching mathematics that match the global standards of the time. The use of computer algebra systems and computational devices are some of the latest that we offer in the foregoing regard. The department's 'Mathematical Society' organizes lectures, conferences, an annual fest etc.

- 1. Mr. Sanjay Mehra
- 2. Prof. Gurpreet Singh Tuteja
- 3. Prof. Mohd. Arif
- 4. Dr. Abdullah (Teacher-in-charge)
- 5. Dr. Vinay Kumar
- 6. Mr. Pradeep Kumar Singh
- 7. Dr. Dhiraj Kumar Singh
- 8. Mr. Raj Kumar
- 9. Mr. Hitesh Kumar
- 10.Mr. Dasharath Meena

11.Mr. Itendra Kumar
12.Dr. Sanchita Sharma
13.Mr. Nitesh Dhiman
14.Dr. Venu Gopal
15.Ms. Chinu Madan
16.Dr. Lakshmi Rani Basumatary
17.Dr. Vipin Kumar
18.Mr. Yograj Singh
19.Dr. Swati

Department of Persian

The department stands as one of the college's oldest and most distinguished departments, unparalleled in the country for its dedication to promoting and nurturing the Persian language and literature. Our esteemed faculty members take great pride in their roles as creators, educators, and cultivators of Persian literature, often contributing their original works to enrich the discipline. They instill in our students an unwavering commitment to excel in the realm of Persian studies.

- 1. Prof. Jamilurrehman Khan
- 2. Dr. Malik Saleem Javed (Teacher-in-charge)
- 3. Dr. Jamshed Khan

Department of Philosophy

It offers a comprehensive course designed to cultivate students' analytical skills, encouraging them to critically examine beliefs and ideas. This approach empowers students to develop their unique worldview in their chosen fields, free from cognitive biases influenced by culture, society, or customs. Alongside fostering this liberating mindset, the course facilitates exploration of fundamental existential questions, encouraging deep reflection.

Our faculty places great emphasis on effective teaching methodologies that promote active learning, dialogical interaction, and critical thinking. These teaching approaches are thoughtfully tailored to accommodate the diverse interests, learning styles, paces, and potentialities exhibited by our students, allowing each individual to progress at a pace that aligns with their aspirations and requirements.

To enrich the academic experience and foster a vibrant intellectual community, the department hosts various events and activities through its society, The Monist. These events include debates, paper presentations, lectures, film screenings, essay and art competitions, quizzes, virtual movie and game nights, and a book club. Additionally, we proudly publish Nazariya, an annual student-run Magazine that serves as a platform for students to articulate and share their philosophical perspectives through articles, artwork, poems, reviews, and more.

- 1. Prof. Divya Tiwari
- 2. Prof. C. V. Babu (Teacher-in-charge)

Department of Physics

The department prides itself on housing an exceptional team of highly accomplished and dedicated educators who play a pivotal role in guiding our students towards a deeper understanding of the cosmos. Our academic offerings encompass physics courses for students pursuing Bachelor of Sciences degrees in Chemistry, Mathematical Science, and Electronics. Complemented by four state-of-the-art laboratories, the department ensures that our students have access to top-notch facilities for their practical learning experiences.

Furthermore, the department places great emphasis on enriching the knowledge of our students by regularly organizing visits to diverse laboratories and esteemed institutions. These excursions serve to broaden their horizons and foster a more comprehensive comprehension of the subject matter.

4.Dr. Mohammad Fahim Ansari5.Dr. (Ms.) Seema Rawat (Teacher-in-charge)

Department of Political Science

It offers a comprehensive study of various subjects encompassing five sub-disciplines, providing students with insights into the politics and societies of both India and the global community. The courses are designed to equip students with the necessary skills for in-depth analysis, covering areas such as Political Theory and ideas, International Relations, Comparative Politics, Indian Politics, and Public Administration.

Our department comprises a team of dynamic and accessible educators who not only immerse students in diverse issues but also guide them towards becoming proficient learners and achievers. Additionally, the department's society, known as 'Awaam,' actively organizes seminars, lectures, and cultural activities, in conjunction with the publication of a departmental magazine.

Thus, the Department of Political Science strives to cultivate an enriching and intellectually stimulating learning environment, enabling students to develop a profound understanding of political phenomena and contributing to their growth as well-rounded individuals.

- 1. Prof. Uma Shankar
- 2. Prof. Ravi Ranjan
- 3. Dr. Sonu Trivedi
- 4. Ms. Savita Singh
- 5. Prof. Sanjeev Kumar
- **Department of Psychology**

- 6. Dr. L. Bidhanchandra Singh
- 7. Dr. Md. Aftab Alam (Teacher-in-charge)
- 8. Ms. Manashi Misra
- 9. Dr. Vasudha Dhingra (On Leave)
- 10. Dr. Priya Mirza

The department stands as a highly renowned and esteemed division within the college, holding the distinction of being a trailblazer in introducing the study of psychology as an academic discipline at the University of Delhi. Under the tutelage of distinguished and devoted faculty members, students have the opportunity to learn from individuals renowned for their scholarly accomplishments and extensive expertise. In its commitment to fostering a comprehensive grasp of the subject, the department boasts a well-equipped library and state-of-the-art laboratory materials.

- 1. Prof. Khurshid Alam
- 2. Dr. (Ms) Nisha Jaiswal
- 3. Dr. D. Chao (Teacher-in-charge)

- 4. Dr. Gulgoona Jamal
- 5. Dr. Shyodan Singh
- 6. Dr. Satyendra Kumar Thakur

Department of Sanskrit

It offers a profound exploration into the realm of Sanskrit literature, providing valuable insights into our illustrious heritage and fostering the students' ability to discern and analyze both historical and contemporary perspectives. Our esteemed faculty, comprising dedicated educators and renowned scholars, ardently mentor and support our students' journey towards academic accomplishments.

Additionally, the department's literary society actively coordinates engaging events, such as the 'Shloka' recitation competition, designed to enhance cognitive faculties and refine verbal aptitude. Through these initiatives, we aim to nurture the intellectual and expressive prowess of our students, ultimately preparing them for success in their academic pursuits and beyond.

- 1. Prof. (Ms) Sharda Verma
- 2. Prof. (Ms.) Saraswati
- 3. Prof. (Ms.) Deepak Kalia (Teacher-in-charge)
- 4. Dr. Ramkishor Maholiya

Department of Urdu

The department holds a significant position as one of the college's most established departments. Renowned for its distinguished scholars and the noteworthy achievements of accomplished poets and scholars in the realm of Urdu literature, the department remains a source of pride for the institution. The Urdu literary society, known as 'Bazm-e-Adab,' actively orchestrates various cultural events, including Ghazal recitations, Bait-Baazi competitions, Mushairas, and seminars. Moreover, the department takes pride in its regular publication of the Urdu Magazine, which serves as a platform for promoting and preserving the essence of Urdu literary expression.

- 1. Prof. M. Jafar Ahrari
- 2. Dr. Mohammad Alam (Teacher-in-charge)
- 3. Dr. Hriday Bhanu Pratap

Department of Zoology

A team of reputed scholars and teachers lead the Zoology department. The department offers focused study of the structure, biology, development, physiology, ecology and evolution of animal life. Apart from theoretical understanding of the field the Zoology department enhances the knowledge base of the students through two well equipped laboratories and a museum. Students also enjoy and learn through educational field trips and festivals organized by the department's society 'Inheritance'.

- 1. Dr. Ilmas Naqvi
- 2. Dr. Anubha Das
- 3. Dr. Ragesh P.R.
- 4. Dr. B. Hareramdas (Teacher-in-charge)
- 5. Dr. Satish Ganta
- 6. Dr. Sunil Kumar
- 7. Dr. Amitabh Mathur

- 8. Dr. Ankur Maheshwari
- 9. Dr. Jyotsna Kumari
- 10. Dr. Parveen Gill
- 11. Dr. Usha Singh Gaharwar
- 12. Dr. Ranjeet Kumar Nirala
- 13. Ms. Velentina Brahma
- 14. Dr. Geetanjali Yadav

Ordinance XV-C Prohibition of Ragging (Complete details are available on UNIVERSITY OF DELHI website)

As per Ordinance XV-C of the University of Delhi and more recently as per Supreme Court order, ragging in any form is strictly prohibited within the premises of College/ Department/ Institution and any part of University of Delhi system as well as on public transport and elsewhere.

Any individual or collective act or practice of ragging constitutes gross indiscipline and shall be dealt with under this Ordinance. Ragging for the purposes of this Ordinance, ordinarily means any act, conduct or practice by which dominant power or status of senior students is brought to bear on students freshly enrolled or students who are in any way considered junior or inferior by other students and includes individual or collective acts or practices which: a. involves physical assault or threat of use of physical force;

b. violates the status, dignity and honour of women students;

c. violates the status, dignity and honour of students belonging to scheduled castes and tribes/OBC;

- d. expose students to ridicule and contempt and affect their self-esteem.
- e. entail verbal abuse and aggression, indecent gestures and obscene behavior.

Action shall be taken in accordance with the rules laid down by the College/University of Delhi against those who violate either of the above-mentioned ordinances.

College has constituted an anti-ragging committee. The details can be seen on the college website.

National Anti Ragging Help Line:1800-180-5522

Students can fill out their online undertaking on the link

https://www.antiragging.in/affidavit_registration_disclaimer.html (Students only)



Scholarships and Awards

Mirza Mahmood Beg Memorial Scholarship

Three scholarships of the value of Rs. 1400 each are awarded annually to the undergraduates who secure the highest percentage of marks in the college in the final year of University examination in:

- (1) Humanities and Social Sciences stream including Psychology but excluding Mathematics
- (2) Science stream including B.A. & B.Sc. (Hons.) courses in Mathematics
- (3) Commerce stream

Sri Narain Nigam Memorial Scholarship

There are three scholarships for the following categories of students obtaining the highest percentage of marks in the college in the second year of the University examination,

(1) Rs. 700 for a visually handicapped student

(2) Rs. 1100 for Humanities and Social Sciences stream including Psychology and

Commerce stream but excluding B.A. (Hons.) Mathematics

(3) Rs. 1100 for the Science stream, including B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) in Mathematics

Ved Kumar Gupta Memorial Scholarship

One scholarship of Rs. 1100 to a student securing the highest percentage of marks in college at the second year B.A. (Hons.) University examination in Political Science.

Kumar Shubham Memorial Scholarship

Four scholarships for the following categories of II-year students who obtain the highest percentage of marks in the following courses:

(1) Rs. 700 for a student in B.A. (Hons.) Psychology

(2) Rs. 350 for a student in Humanities & Social Sciences stream excluding psychology and B.A. (Hons.) Mathematics

(3) Rs. 350 for a student in the Science stream, including B.A./B.Sc. (Hons.) courses in Mathematics

(4) Rs. 350 for a Commerce Student

All India Entrance Scholarships

The University of Delhi conducts a competitive examination in the month of October for awarding scholarships of the value of Rs. 250 per month for three years. The firstyear students admitted to Bachelor with Honors Courses may appear for this examination. They may contact examination Branch VII, University of Delhi, on any working day between 9.30 a.m. and 12.30 p.m. after 1st August.

No student shall be awarded two scholarships in one academic session. In the case of overlapping, the decision of the Awards Committee shall be final.

Mrs. Harjinder Grover Memorial Award

Late Dr. (Mrs.) Harjinder Grover was a distinguished faculty member of the department of botany, Zakir Husain Delhi College. Dr. Grover was known for her strong command over the subject especially the embryology of plants and is still fondly remembered in the department for her kind and gentle demeanor. Botany Department awards a cash prize of Rs.1000/- each to second year toppers and Rs.600/- each to first year toppers from B.Sc. (Hons.) Botany and B.Sc. Life Sciences. The prize money is funded by the "Harjinder Grover Endowment Fund," which was instituted in her memory by her family and the laboratory staff of the department who graciously contributed to the fund an amount of money that she had left behind for them.

Shobha and Ravindra Nath Kaul Memorial Prize

A memorial prize was instituted in 2021, by Prof. Ratnum Kaul Wattal, Department of Botany in the memory of her parents. Out of the interest generated on the seed money an amount of Rs 2500/- each is given to the topper of B. Sc. (Hons) Botany and B. Sc life Science 3rd year every year. The cash prize is accompanied with a certificate.

S.P. Suri Memorial Award

Chemistry Department awards a medal, book, and certificate to the students securing first position in B.Sc. (Hons.) in Chemistry I, II & III years in the college. The award is instituted in the memory of the Late Mr. S.P. Suri, who established the Chemistry Department in the College and was on its faculty till 1987.

M.K. Gupta Proficiency Award Chemistry Department also gives proficiency awards to the students of B.Sc. (Hons.) Chemistry I, II, & III year who secure I, II, and III positions in the college. The award was instituted by Late Dr. M. K. Gupta, an Associate Professor in the Chemistry Department.

Gopa Dey Memorial Award

Bengali department has started the Gopa Dey Memorial Award of Rs. 1500/, Rs. 1000/- and Rs. 500/- each for B.A. (Hons.) students in Bengali II and III years who secure first, second & third positions in the college. The department will also award Rs. 1000/- to the B.A. (Hons.) student in Bengali II/III year for remarkable performance in sports and cultural activities.

Vidya Devi Education Fund

A fund of Rs. 5,51,000/- was created in 2015 for the benefit of students of the College belonging to economically weaker sections of the society by Mr. Ashok Kumar Sharma, Department of Commerce, in the name of his mother. 60% of the interest accrued out of the above fund will be used for payment of the admission fee of students of commerce for the 3rd semester onwards, and 40% of interest will be used towards payment for the purchase of books for students from any discipline.

Fee Concession

The College offers fee concessions to needy meritorious students. Please look at Office Notice Board for announcement /College Website in the month of August inviting applications. All eligible SC/ST, OBC, PWD students, etc., should submit their scholarship forms for the academic year by February. No fee Concession is available at the time of admission. All the students should deposit the full fee.

Staff Association Student Welfare Fund

This fund provides financial assistance to students in their second and third years based on merit-cum-need.

General Rules:

- Students must carry their Identity card at all times.
- Identity cards are not transferable and must be produced whenever demanded.
- Identity card is valid upto 30 June, 2023.
- In case the identity card is lost, the holder of the card must inform the college immediately in writing along with F.I.R. The duplicate card will be issued on a payment of Rs.200/-
- The students who secure admission on the basis of a specific medium (English/Hindi) shall not be permitted to change the opted medium of instructions, during the study.
- The students who secure admission on the basis of Sports/Extra Curricular Activities are required to pursue their respective sports/ Cultural Activity. In case of non-compliance, their admission shall be cancelled.

Dr. Nadira Arif is the Nodal Officer for Anti-Smoking Campaign (Delhi University is partnering with Delhi Police and World Lung Foundation South Asia in promoting a tobacco-free environment).

Chewing pan, pan masala, gutkha, etc. on the college premises is strictly prohibited and punishable.

We discourage the use of mobile phones particularly inside the College Auditorium.

Photography and videography using mobile phones are STRICTLY PROHIBITED in the Auditorium.

You are required to keep your mobile phone either SWITCHED OFF or on SILENT MODE in the classroom.

Use of Mobile phones, even for SMS is STRICTLY PROHIBITED in the classroom.

Important Notice

All the original certificates would be returned to the students after due verification as per the schedule which will be notified on the college website. If the students do not collect their original certificates as per the schedule, college will not be held responsible for the safety of the documents

Documents Required

The following documents in original as well as self-attested* photocopies (both sides) are required at the time of physical verification of documents:

(1) Class X Board Examination Certificate and Marks sheet (if not combined)

(2) Class XII Marks Sheet and Class XII Certificate (if not combined)

(3) Provisional Certificate of Class XII (In case class XII certificate is not issued)

(4) Character Certificate (Recent)

(5) SC/ST/EWS/CW/KM/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) Certificate, wherever required.

All the certificates should be issued by competent authority certifying that the applicant can claim reservation under a specific category. (the names of applicants claiming reservation under any category must match with the names that appear on their corresponding school board qualifying certificates; similarly, their parents' names must match in both sets of certificates).

(6)Transfer Certificate from School/College as well as Migration Certificate from Board/ University are required from those students who have passed from outside Delhi.

(7) Two passport size photographs, one of the candidates and another of his/her parents/guardian.

(8) Two Anti Ragging Undertakings, downloaded from any of the websites:

www.antiragging.in or www.amanmovement.org, duly signed one by the candidate and another by his/her parents.

The following documents in original as well as self-attested* photocopies (both side) are required at the time of admission to postgraduate courses:

- (1) Class X Board Examination Certificate and Marks sheet (If not combined)
- (2) Class XII Marks Sheet and Class XII Certificate (If not combined)
- (3) Provisional Certificate of Graduation
- (4) Separate Marks sheets of 1 Yr., II Yr. & III Yr. of Graduation
- (5) Character Certificate (Recent)

(6) SC/ST/EWS/CW/KM/OBC (Non-Creamy Layer) Certificate, wherever required.

All the certificates should be issued by competent authority certifying that the applicant can claim reservation under a specific category. (the names of applicants claiming reservation under any category must match with the names that appear on their corresponding school board qualifying certificates; similarly, their parents' names must match in both sets of certificates).

(7) Transfer Certificate from college as well as Migration Certificate from University is required from those students who have not passed from Delhi University.

(8) Two passport size photographs, one of the candidates and another of his/her parents/guardian.

(9) Two Anti Ragging Undertakings, downloaded from any of the websites www.antiragging.in or www.amanmovement.org, duly signed one by the candidate and another by his/her parents.

WARNING

*If any false attestation/falsified records are detected, the student will be debarred from attending any course in the university or its college(s) for the next five year and in addition, a criminal case under relevant section of IPC (viz. 470, 471, 474 etc.) will be initiated against him/her, to subject him/her to the requisite criminal proceedings.

Courses Offered (UG - Merit Based)	Number of Seats Offered					
	Total Seats	UR	SC	ST	OBC	EWS
B.A. Programme	385	155	58	29	104	39
B.A.(H) Arabic	29	12	4	2	8	3
B.A.(H) Bengali	29	12	4	2	8	3
B.A.(H) Economics	49	19	7	4	13	6
B.A.(H) English	58	24	9	4	16	5
B.A.(H) Hindi	49	19	7	4	13	6
B.A.(H) History	49	19	7	4	13	6
B.A.(H) Persian	29	12	4	2	8	3
B.A.(H) Philosophy	39	16	6	3	11	3
B.A.(H) Political Science	135	54	21	11	37	12
B.A.(H) Psychology	58	24	9	4	15	6
B.A.(H) Sanskrit	29	12	4	2	8	3
B.A.(H) Urdu	49	19	7	4	13	6
B.Com.	115	47	17	9	31	11
B.Com.(H)	211	85	32	16	57	21
B.Sc. Life Sciences	86	35	13	6	23	9
B.Sc. Physical Sciences	86	35	13	6	23	9
B.Sc.(H) Botany	42	17	6	3	11	5
B.Sc.(H) Chemistry	86	35	13	6	23	9
B.Sc.(H) Electronics	39	16	6	3	11	3
B.Sc.(H) Mathematics	96	39	15	7	26	9
B.Sc.(H) Zoology	49	19	7	4	13	6
Total	1797	725	269	135	485	183

WARNING

All the students are hereby informed that Section 67 of I.T. Act 2000 provides penalty for publishing or transmitting obscene material in electronic form. Anybody who publishes or transmits or causes to be published in electronic form any objectionable material or uses ithout due permission college logo or name shall be given punishment with imprisonment upto 5 years and fine upto Rs. 10 lakhs.

Course-Wise Fee Structure 2023-24

Course	First Year	Second Year	Third Year
B.A. (Programme)	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B. Com. (Prog.)	12030.00	11825.00	11825.00
B.Com.(Hons.)	12930.00	12725.00	12725.00
B.A.(Hons.) Arabic	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Bengali	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Economics	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) English	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Hindi	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) History	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Persian	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Philosophy	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Political Science	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A. (H) Psychology	14630.00	14425.00	14425.00
B.A.(Hons.) Sanskrit	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.A.(Hons.) Urdu	11730.00	11525.00	11525.00
B.Sc. PhysicalScience	14666.00	14061.00	14061.00
B.Sc. Life Science	14666.00	14061.00	14061.00
B.Sc.(Hons.) Botany & Zoology	15416.00	15211.00	15211.00
B.Sc.(Hons.) Chemistry	15366.00	15161.00	15161.00
B.Sc.(Hons.) Electronics	15466.00	15261.00	15261.00
B.Sc.(Hons.) Mathematics	15166.00	14961.00	14961.00

Course	Previuos Year	Final Year
M.A. Arabic	12599.00	11444.00
M.Com.	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. English	12599.00	11444.00
M.A.Hindi	12599.00	11444.00
M.A.History	12599.00	11444.00
M.A.Philosophy	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. Political Science	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. Psychology	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. Sanskrit	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. Persian	12599.00	11444.00
M.A. Urdu	12599.00	11444.00
M.Sc. Mathematics	12660.00	11505.00
M.Sc. Chemistry	12660.00	11505.00
M.Sc. Botany & Zoology	12660.00	11505.00

Post Admission

Once a candidate takes admission after payment of fees and completing other formalities, he/she becomes a student of the college subject to approval of his/her enrolment by the University. Then the student can take part in various activities of the college and can avail/use the various facilities available in the college. But he/she is also expected to observe various rules of the college and university.

Attending the Orientation Programme is compulsory for all newly enrolled students. Identity cards, Library cards and Timetable will be issued on the same day. Admission can be cancelled if a student does not report within a week after the academic session begins.

Ordinance XV-B Maintenance of Discipline

(Complete details are available on college & UNIVERSITY OF DELHI website)

As per ordinance XV-B of the University of Delhi, the following shall amount to acts of gross indiscipline:

a. Physical assault, threat to use physical force, against any member of the teaching and nonteaching staff of the Institution/Department and against any student within the University of Delhi.

- b. Carrying/use of, or threat to use any weapon.
- c. Any violation of the provisions of the Civil Rights Protection Act. 1976.
- d. Violation of the status, dignity and honor of students belonging to the scheduled castes and tribes/OBC.
- e. Any practice-whether verbal or otherwise derogatory to women.
- f. Any attempt at bribing and corrupting in any manner.
- g. Wilful destruction of institutional property, including defacing of premises.
- h. Creating ill-will or intolerance on religious or communal grounds.

Causing disruption in any manner of the academic functioning of the University system.

Warning

Any student found indulging in any act of indiscipline, using mobile speaker phone or headphone, smoking or consuming tobacco, pan, pan masala, gutkha etc. shall be issued warning and his/her identity card shall be punched. This would comprise the first warning. If the act is repeated, the second warning would be communicated to parents by registered post and the I-Card would be punched second time. A third-time repetition would warrant expulsion from the college.

Important Rules for a Student

Attendance Rules: College strictly follows attendance rules of UNIVERSITY OF DELHI and does not allow the students to appear in the examination who have shortage of attendance. Complete details of attendance rules are available on UNIVERSITY OF DELHI website. You can check your monthly attendance record on the college website: www.zakirhusaindelhicollege.ac.in.

College Administration

Principal: Prof. Narendra Singh Bursar: Prof. Mukesh Kumar Jain

Office Staff

Mr. Mohd. Zafar Kamal Administrative Officer Mr. Ayaz Ahmad Section Officer (Admin.) Mr. Shehzad Ahmad Senior Assistant (Accounts) Mr. Mohd Javed Asif Senior Assistant Mr. Sumit Kumar Singh Senior Assistant Mr. Ikramuddin Assistant Mr. Ikramuddin Assistant Mr. Md. Aasif Alam Assistant Mr. M. Nizam Ashraf Assistant Mr. Irshad Alam Assistant Mr. Mohammad Azam Assistant

Senior Library Staff

Dr. Imran Khan Librarian Mr. Naseem Raza Professional Assistant Mr. Brij Bhushan SPA Mr. Mohd. Zahid SPA

Senior Laboratory Staff

Botany	Chemistry	Physics & Electronics	Zoology
Mr. Mohd. Aquil	Mr. Harcharan Singh	Mr. Mohd.Yaqoob	Mr. Brijender Pal Singh
Mr. Mohd. Afzal	Mr. Mohd.Tayyab	Mr. Kamesh Kumar	Mr. Ahtasham
Mr. Triloki Nath	Mr. Ashok Verma	Mr. Javed Ali	Mr. Mohd. Saeed
Mr. Mohd Ibrahim	Mr. Anas Tasleem	Mr. Mohd.Yameen Khan	Mr. Lavkesh Jedia
Mr. Shakeel Khan	Mr. Irfanuddin	Mr. Rozuddin	Mr. Kunal Singh
Mr. Razzak Mohd	Mr. Ayaz Ahmad	Mr. Pappu Sen Thakur	Mr. Suhail Ahmed
Mr. Shamim	Mr. Bhagwati Prashad	Mr. GrijeshYadav	
	Mr. Mohd. Saleem	Mr. Ajay Singh	
	Mr. Janardhan	Mr. Bhupender Pal Singl	h
	Mr. Amit Kumar	Tasleem	

Museum Curator Ms. Tasneem Akhtar Gestetner Operator Mr. Som Dutt Psychology Mr. Birbal

Grievance Redressal Mechanism

Internal Complaints Committee

There is an Internal Complaints Committee in the college in accordance with the section 4(1) of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. Any girl student/member of the faculty/non-teaching staff may approach this committee for legal aid. Presiding Officer: Prof. Samta Goyal.

Right to Information

(Appellate Authority)

Mr. Mohd. Zafar Kamal (Public Information Officer)

Student Grievance Redressal Committee

As per UGC (Grievance Redressal) Regulations, 2019, the Grievance Redressal Committee consisting of the following members has been re-constituted in our college:

NameMobile No.E-mailProf. P.K. Shishodia(Convener) 9818257720 shishodiaprem@gmail.comDr. Sharmistha Sen 9899407868 sharmisthasenn@yahoo.co.inDr. Sharda Verma 9871124747 shardazhc@gmail.comDr. Dhiraj Kumar Singh 9868322749 dhiraj426@rediffmail.comDr. Shyodan Singh 9310647760 shyadan.singh@gmail.comDr. Deepak Kalia 8810625349 dsharma.kalia@gmail.comDr. Satish Ganta 9350544061 satishganta2001@yahoo.co.in

Dr. D. Chao 9810861530 daihocr@yahoo.co.in

Dr. Ragesh P.R. 9971928970 rageshpr@gmail.com

To register your grievance please mail to: grievanceadmission2022@zh.du.ac.in

Liaison Officer SC Dr. C.V. Babu

Liaison Officer ST Dr. D. Chao

Liaison Officer OBC Dr. Vinay Kumar

Liaison Officer EWS Prof. M.M. Raheman

Liaison Officer PwD Dr. Anita Katna



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