

WILLIAMNAGAR GOVERNMENT COLLEGE

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Prospectus

Affiliated to

North Eastern Hill University

UNDER GRADUATE COURSE



College Staff on Independence Day celebration



Football Team – Girls



Football Team – Boys



Fashion show at college – 1



Fashion show at college – 2



NDRF Mock Drill session at college



Organizing Career Counselling for students



From Principal's Desk

Present day world and its changing scenario calls for an ever expanding higher education across the globe. Higher education envisages the creation of a knowledge based society thereby stimulating cooperation, competitiveness, and productivity for a progressive and humane social order. Opportunities for promotion of knowledge, skills and employment are also seen to be growing manifold for the youth worldwide with the higher education. NEP 2020 is coming up to overhaul the Indian education system to address present-day world requirements of students and making it a holistic experience.

Williamnagar Government College, the premier educational institution of the district of East Garo Hills for college education has continuously been striving to offer best possible learning opportunities in all curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular fields and is able to promote enthusiasm and love for knowledge, skills and wellbeing of self and the society in students.

As the college is set to begin a new session, I thank you all for taking interest in Williamnagar Government College and invite all aspiring students to take admission into the degree course offered by the college. I wish students good luck in their admission process and look forward to you in becoming active, and responsible members of the college.

Principal
Shri Rajiv K. Marak
Williamnagar Govt. College
Williamnagar

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VISION

To foster intellectual growth and develop responsible citizens of the society.

Core Vision:

- To provide academic opportunity to the poor sections of students of the society.
- To provide leadership opportunity to the students at large.
- To provide employability to students.

MISSION

To ensure educational, social, and cultural values in the society.

Core Mission

- To empower students with access, equity, and quality in higher education.
- To provide values, skills, and outcome- based education to students as envisaged in NEP 2020.
- To incorporate State Education Policy 2018 and National Policy on Education 2020.

THE COLLEGE EMBLEM & MOTTO

The college emblem holds a wealth of meaning. The open book indicates learning, knowledge and education, which is the primary objective of the institution. The blazing torch denotes enlightenment, gained from the education. The figures of two person holding the torch, indicates the learners of the institution who worked in unison for the enlightenment and prosperity of the institution and the society, at large and all the while, beckoning everyone to light the torch of knowledge. Below the open book is inscribed on a ribbon, "LET US BECOME ENLIGHTENED", which is the motto of the college. These are surrounded by a circular band, in which is inscribed the name of the college.



PROFILE OF THE COLLEGE

Williamnagar Government College (previously known as Williamnagar College) was started in 2000, out of the acute necessity of a good educational institution for higher education within the reach of the common people in East Garo Hills, by the combined effort of the general public, senior citizens, NGO's and student leaders. A Governing Body consisting of members along with the Principal and eight Teachers helped it run till 2009 which was then taken over by the government on the 18th February, 2009.

The main objective of the institution has been to provide all aspiring students opportunities to pursue quality education and learn to become responsible and productive citizens.

The college is located at the centre of Williamnagar town. The college building comprises an office, a library, a Teachers' Common Room, two Students' Common Room and a few numbers of classrooms. The construction of a new academic block along with hostels for boys and girls is undergoing.

The college is affiliated to the North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), and offers courses for the undergraduate level in Arts Stream.

IGNOU (Indira Gandhi National Open University) Study Centre has been operating in the College for courses in the Distance and Correspondence mode at Undergraduate and Postgraduate level.

The college has been provided with examination centres for UG regular courses under NEHU and courses under IGNOU.

COURSES OF STUDIES

At present, the college offers Undergraduate courses (UG) in Arts Stream only. The duration of the UG course is three years (six semesters). The college presently offers the following subject:

1. English, MIL (Garo)/Alternative English, Elective Garo, Economics, History, Political Science, and Education.
2. English, MIL/Alternative English and Environmental Studies are compulsory subjects for Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) Course.

STRUCTURE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS)

Undergraduate Honours Degree Programme in the Semester System

- ★ The University (NEHU) to which the college is affiliated has introduced Semester system at the Under Graduate level from the academic session 2015-16 starting with B.A. 1st Semester. The college holds its own internal examinations before each final semester examination.
- ★ The duration of this courses comprised of six semester spread over three academic year.

SALIENT FEATURES OF THE UG HONOURS DEGREE PROGRAMME IN THE SEMESTER SYSTEM

1. Admission Criteria:

- Students who have passed +2 (Higher Secondary) course in their respective stream or an equivalent examination from a recognized board in India or abroad which is recognized by NEHU or University Grants Commission shall be eligible for admission into the first semester of B.A. Honours Degree Course.
- Students who have passed +2 (Higher Secondary) or an equivalent examination in any stream recognized as above has the option to change/come over to Arts stream.

2. Registration:

Students shall have to register themselves under the affiliating university (NEHU) within one semester of their enrolment.

3. Transfer:

No inter-college transfer among the colleges shall be allowed beyond the first semester examinations. Other transfers shall be allowed only on merit of each case.

4. Change of Centre of Examination:

- A student shall apply to the Controller of Examination through the Principal of the college duly endorsed by the Principal of the centre to which the change is being sought.
- A prescribed fee shall be deposited by NEHU challan payable to North Eastern Hill University and the instrument of payment shall be attached to the application form.
- Change of examination centre is not permitted to a centre/college to which the affiliation of the subject/course has not been given by the university.

5. Duration of the B.A. Honours Degree Examination:

- The B.A. Honours Degree Course will comprise of six semesters spread over three academic years.
- A semester comprises a half-yearly programme or term of studies.
- The First, Third and Fifth Semesters will be odd semesters, while the Second, Fourth And Sixth Semesters will be even semesters.

6. Conduct of Examination:

- At the end of each semester, there shall be a final examination as per the semester academic calendar given below.
- Evaluation in each course shall be on the basis of performance through continuous assessment at the end semester examinations. The weightage assigned to the continuous assessment and end semester examination shall be in the ratio 1:3
- The pattern and schedule of continuous assessment and evaluation thereof shall be such as laid down in the relevant Regulation.
- Students shall be allowed to proceed to the next semester irrespective of failed papers/arrear papers subject to payment of fees and fulfilment of other prescribed conditions laid down by the university.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR UNDER GRADUATE SEMESTER COURSE

| S.N. | Academic Activity | Date/ Period |
|------|--|--|
| 1 | Odd Semester Classes begin | 1 st August, 2022 |
| 2 | Odd Semester Theory Examinations begin | 18 th November, 2022 |
| 3 | Odd Semester Examinations for all Courses end | 15 th December, 2022 |
| 4 | Winter Break begins | 19 th December, 2022 |
| 5 | Institution reopens | 5 th February, 2023 |
| 6 | Regular Classes for Even Semester begin | 5 th February, 2023 |
| 7 | Results of all Odd Semester Examinations by | 15 th February, 2023 |
| 8 | Even Semester Examinations begin | 22 nd May, 2023 |
| 9 | Theory for Arts Courses begin | 25 th May, 2023 |
| 10 | Even Semester Examinations for all Courses end | 15 th June, 2023 |
| 11 | Semester Break | 16 th - 30 th June, 2023 |
| 12 | Results of all Final Semester Examinations by | 10 th July, 2023 |
| 13 | New Admission completed by | 25 th July, 2023 |
| 14 | Odd Semester Classes begin | 1 st August, 2023 |

N.B. This Academic calendar is as per *NEHU Notification No. F.28-6/Acad/AC/2022-1532, Dated: 22nd Sept. 2022*. Students are advised to verify the dates and download the latest academic calendar from the website of the affiliating university NEHU (North Eastern Hill University), Shillong as and when the same is posted/uploaded.

7. Subject Combination:

A student shall be allowed to opt for the honours course in a subject given below and to corresponding elective subjects from the given combination below

| Sl. No. | Elective Honours | Elective Subject Combinations (Available in the college at present) |
|---------|-------------------|---|
| 1. | English | History, Education |
| 2. | Garo | Education, History, Political Science |
| 3. | Political Science | Education, History, Economics |
| 4. | Education | History, Political Science, Garo Elective |
| 5 | Economics | History, Political Science |
| 6 | History | Economics, Political Science, Education |

N.B. Choose any two subjects from the given subject combination

8. Distribution of Marks/Papers semester wise in B.A. Honours course:

Distribution of Marks/Papers over six semesters in respect of Honours Papers, Elective combination Papers and other compulsory Papers are shown in table given below.

| TABLE SHOWING DISTRIBUTION OF PAPERS AND MARKS FOR THE ARTS STREAM | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| Semester/subject/Papers | Sem.- I | Sem.- II | Sem.-III | Sem.-IV | Sem.-V | Sem.-VI | Total Marks |
| English | - | - | - | 100 | 100 | - | 200 |
| Environmental studies | - | - | - | - | - | 100 | 100 |
| MIL/Alternative English | - | - | - | 100 | - | - | 100 |
| Elective 1 | 100 | 100 | 100 | - | - | - | 300 |
| Elective 2 | 100 | 100 | 100 | - | - | - | 300 |
| Elective (Honours) | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 200 | 200 | 800 |
| Total Marks | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 300 | 1800 |

9. Course Outline

- i. **Compulsory subject:-** English, Alternative English or Modern Indian Language (MIL), and Environmental Studies.
- ii. **Honours Elective subject:-** as listed in the Honours Elective column.
- iii. **Elective subject:-** any two subjects are to be taken from the above given combination.

10. Improvement facility:

- i. The facility for improvement will be extended to a student securing less than 45% marks in any of the papers.
- ii. No forfeiture condition shall be applied to the candidate.
- iii. In case of improvement in the marks, the student will be required to surrender his/her original mark sheets and the improved mark sheets shall be retained by the student.
- iv. Student availing improvement facility shall not be eligible for ranking.

N.B. Students are advised to check other details from the website of the university.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- To engage students in purposeful activities, the college provides opportunities for participation in N.S.S. and N.C.C. programmes.
- For an all-round development of the students, the college promotes sports activities, seminars/lectures/workshops/study tours etc. and other co-curricular activities.
- The college also encourages the students to participate in sports and games organised by the University, State and local bodies. Students' welfare, Community activities, etc, are also given due importance in the corporate activities of the college.
- Different programmes related to students' welfare under RUSA are also being organized.

FEE STRUCTURE – 1st SEMESTER

| | | |
|--|--|-------------------|
| 1. | Admission Fee (NEHU –UG @ Rs. 40/-) | Rs. 40/- |
| 2. | Monthly Tuition Fee (NEHU – UG @ Rs. 40/-x 12 = Rs. 480/- | Rs. 480/- |
| 3. | Games and sports Fee | Rs. 170/- |
| 4. | Magazine Fee | Rs. 40/- |
| 5. | Library Fee (1 st and 2 nd Semester) | Rs. 350/- |
| 6. | College Development Fee | Rs. 900/- |
| 7. | Internal Examination fee | Rs. 200/- |
| 8. | Common Room Fee | Rs. 40/- |
| 9. | Identity card fee | Rs. 70/- |
| 10. | Registration Fee (NEHU-UG) | Rs. 200 |
| 11. | Enrolment Fee (NEHU-UG) | Rs. 150/- |
| 12. | Electricity fee | Rs. 30/- |
| Total: Rupees Two Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy only | | Rs. 2670/- |

FEE STRUCTURE – 3rd and 5th SEMESTER

| | | |
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| 1. | Admission fee (NEHU-UG @ Rs. 40/-) | Rs. 40/- |
| 2. | Monthly Tuition Fee (NEHU-UG @ Rs. 40/-x 12= Rs. 480/-) | Rs. 480/- |
| 3. | Games and sports Fee | Rs. 170/- |
| 4. | Magazine Fee | Rs. 40/- |
| 5. | Library Fee | Rs. 350/- |
| 6. | College Development fee | Rs. 900/- |
| 7. | Internal Examination Fee | Rs. 200/- |
| 8. | Common Room Fee | Rs. 40/ - |
| 9. | Identity Card Fee | Rs. 70/- |
| 10. | Enrolment Fee (NEHU-UG) | Rs. 150/- |
| 11. | Electricity Fee | Rs. 30/- |
| Total : Rupees Two Thousand Four Hundred and Seventy only | | Rs. 2470 |

LIBRARY



The college is equipped with a separate library which aims at providing best academic assistance to the student community of the college. At present, the library holds more than 10000 volumes of books and has subscribed to a number of magazines and few journals. Students are also provided with computers which have internet facilities that enable them to search reading materials related with their course of studies. Students, teachers and staffs can have open access to the resources of the library.

IQAC (INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL)

To monitor and regulate the teaching-learning, infrastructure, library, IT facilities, extra-curricular activities etc. on quality parameters as per the standards set by affiliating University, NEHU (North-Eastern Hill University) and the NAAC (National Assessment and Accreditation Council), Bangalore; a committee named as above has been constituted recently.

This committee has already started working and is preparing the college for Assessment and Accreditation by NAAC. It works on active coordination and cooperation among the departments, sections and staff of the institution and stimulates work culture and professional ethics contributing to the overall development of students in particular and the society in general.

GENERAL NORMS OF THE COLLEGE

- Students are required to attend a minimum of 75% of the total classes taken during an academic year/session, failing which they forfeit the chance to appear in the Final examination of the college.
- Students must not be absent from class or any other important programme organized intended for their welfare without valid reasons. A leave of absence countersigned by parents/guardians must be produced on the first day of his/her return.
- Identity card will be issued to each student and should be brought to the college daily.
- Mobile phones are not to be used within and outside the class room.
- Students should not litter the compound with chewing gum, chips packets or unused papers and plastics. Empty plastic bottles and any unused items should be thrown in the garbage bin or basket kept for the purpose.
- Smoking, drinking/consumption of alcohol and drugs are strictly prohibited in the college campus.
- Ragging is a punishable crime. Any student/group of students caught indulging in ragging or intimidation of any sort will be expelled forthwith. As per U.G.C. Rules every student is now required to register themselves online with anti-ragging; commitment.
- Communal harmony is to be preserved and fostered by words and deeds. Students found engaging in activities which are detrimental to college shall be liable for immediate expulsion from the college.
- All the above rules are binding and anyone found violating any of these rules, appropriate action will be taken against him/her.

DRESS CODE

- All students, both boys and girls should come to the college in decent and clean dresses.
- Boys should not wear short pants; hair should be cut short.
- They also should not wear earrings, T-shirts with objectionable/vulgar words printed on them.
- Girls should not wear short pants, low-necked tops/blouses, transparent or very short and tight fitting dresses.
- They should not wear face rings, nose rings and lip rings.

GRIEVANCES AND REDRESSAL MECHANISM

Grievances and Redressal Committee has been formed in the college to look into the grievances of the students (online and offline) regarding their admission and other related academic activities in the college. Further information may be obtained from the concerned committee.

ADMISSION PROCESS

- Application Form along with Prospectus may be obtained from the College Office on the notified working days, on payment of Rs. 150 only in cash.
- Reservation Policy of Government of Meghalaya for admission as followed by other government colleges of the state shall apply.
- Application form, complete in all respect along with the relevant documents (Mark sheet, Certificate, etc.) should be submitted in person to the office of the Principal, Williamnagar Govt. College, Williamnagar within the stipulated time and date.
- Candidates will be required to produce Original Mark sheet(s), Certificate(s) and other relevant document(s) at the time of Selection/verification and Interview for admission.
- Application Form that is incomplete & submitted after the last date will be rejected.
- Mere issue of the Application Form will not guarantee admission to the college.
- The maximum number of seats in each department for B.A. 1st semester is hundred (100).
- Admission will be given purely on the basis of Merit.

FACULTY MEMBERS (as on 1st April 2023)

Principal: Shri Rajiv K. Marak

TEACHING STAFF

| Sl. No. | Name of Faculty | Designation | Departments |
|---------|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1. | Dr. Pyallie D. Sangma | Asst. Professor | Economics |
| 2. | Shri. Salkam Leezer S. Momin | Asst. Professor | Economics |
| 3. | Smt. Balkari B. Sangma | Asst. Professor | Economics |
| 4. | Smt. Bandakerlin Lyngdoh | Asst. Professor | Economics |
| 5. | Shri. Artis Lincton Sohshang | Asst. Professor | Economics |
| 6. | Dr. Om Prakash Khadka | Asst. Professor | Education |
| 7. | Smt. Chonje Ch. Marak | Asst. Professor | Education |
| 8. | Smt. Nokmera K. sangma | Asst. Professor | Education |
| 9. | Smt. Preityna M. Marak | Asst. Professor | Education |
| 10. | Smt. Review Kharumnuid | Asst. Professor | Education |
| 11. | Smt. Tojeli K. Sangma | Asst. Professor | English |
| 12. | Smt. Sonabell W. Momin | Asst. Professor | English |
| 13. | Dr. Cheric D. D. Sangma | Asst. Professor | English |
| 14. | Smt. Banrishisha Mawnai | Asst. Professor | English |
| 15. | Smt. Pynhunmiki Susngi | Asst. Professor | English |
| 16. | Smt. Doriel Ch. Marak | Asst. Professor | Garo |
| 17. | Smt. Sengchi R. Marak | Asst. Professor | Garo |
| 18. | Shri. Sengrik M. Sangma | Asst. Professor | Garo |
| 19. | Smt. Peary Dokgre Marak | Asst. Professor | Garo |
| 20. | Dr. Bilnang K. Sangma | Asst. Professor | Garo |
| 21. | Shri. Rikrak D. Momin | Asst. Professor | History |
| 22. | Smt. Beatrice M. Sangma | Asst. Professor | History |
| 23. | Shri. Wilkins Wilber D. Shira | Asst. Professor | History |
| 24. | Shri. Robert Basumatary | Asst. Professor | Pol. Science |
| 25. | Smt. Greashina R. Marak | Asst. Professor | Pol. Science |
| 26. | Smt. Eubina Sungoh | Asst. Professor | Pol. science |
| 27. | Shri. Sitshall Lyngkhoi | Asst. Professor | Pol. Science |
| 28. | Dr. Antarwell Warjri | Asst. Professor | Pol. Science |

NON TEACHING STAFF

| Sl. No. | Name | Designation | |
|---------|---------------------------|------------------|--|
| 30 | Shri. Savanth Star Dkhar | Deputy Librarian | |
| 31 | Shri. Tangkaram R. Marak | LDA | |
| 32 | Shri. Jomen T. Sangma | Peon | |
| 33 | Shri. Prodip Ch. Sangma | Chowkidar | |
| 34 | Shri. Kreditson D. Sangma | Peon | |
| 35 | Shri. Joidul D. Sangma | Cleaner | |

