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Brief Report on Commemoration of *Paschimbanga Divas*
Seminar on

পশ্চিমবঙ্গের ইতিহাস, সংস্কৃতি ও ঐতিহ্য

Organized by

NSS Unit-I in collaboration with IQAC, Government General Degree College, Mohanpur

Date: 20 June 2026

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Venue: Room No. 307

To commemorate *Paschimbanga Divas*, a seminar with the title “পশ্চিমবঙ্গের ইতিহাস, সংস্কৃতি ও ঐতিহ্য” was organized by NSS Unit-I in collaboration with IQAC, Government General Degree College, Mohanpur, on 20 June 2026 at 1:00 p.m. in Room No. 307. The programme aimed to create awareness among students about the rich historical legacy, cultural diversity, and vibrant heritage of West Bengal.

The seminar commenced with a welcome address by Dr. Md. Golam Murshid, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Government General Degree College, Mohanpur, & Convenor of the Seminar, who warmly welcomed the Officer-in-Charge, faculty members, and students. In his opening remarks, he emphasized the significance of observing *Paschimbanga Divas* and underscored the need to preserve and promote the state's glorious traditions and cultural heritage.

The programme was graced by the presence of Sri Ujjal Das, Officer-in-Charge, Government General Degree College, Mohanpur, who encouraged the students to develop a deeper understanding of the historical evolution and cultural richness of West Bengal. He stressed that knowledge of one's history and heritage is essential for fostering social harmony and cultural consciousness.

The keynote speakers of the seminar were Dr. Sayantan Bose, Assistant Professor, Department of History, GGDC Mohanpur, and Dr. Arup Palmal, Assistant Professor, Department of Bengali, GGDC Mohanpur. Dr. Sayantan Bose delivered an informative lecture on the history of *Paschimbanga*, tracing the historical development of Bengal from

ancient times to the present and highlighting the contribution of Bengal to the political, social, and intellectual life of India. He also discussed the significance of the formation of West Bengal and its role in shaping modern Indian society.

Dr. Arup Parmal, Assistant Professor, Department of Bengali, spoke on the culture and heritage of Paschimbanga. He eloquently highlighted the state's rich literary traditions, folk culture, music, festivals, and art forms. He emphasized the importance of preserving the composite cultural legacy of West Bengal and passing it on to future generations.

The seminar witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, faculty members, and non-teaching staff. The lectures were followed by an interactive session, during which students actively engaged with the speakers and shared their views on various aspects of the history and culture of West Bengal. The discussions provided a valuable platform for intellectual exchange and enhanced the participants' appreciation of the state's multifaceted heritage.

The programme concluded with a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the Officer-in-Charge, speakers, faculty members, students, and all those who contributed to the successful organization of the seminar. The event proved to be highly informative and inspiring and successfully fulfilled its objective of promoting awareness and appreciation of the history, culture, and heritage of West Bengal among the students of this college.

Some Images of the programme are given in the following page:

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Figure 1- Ujjal Das, OIC, inaugurated seminar

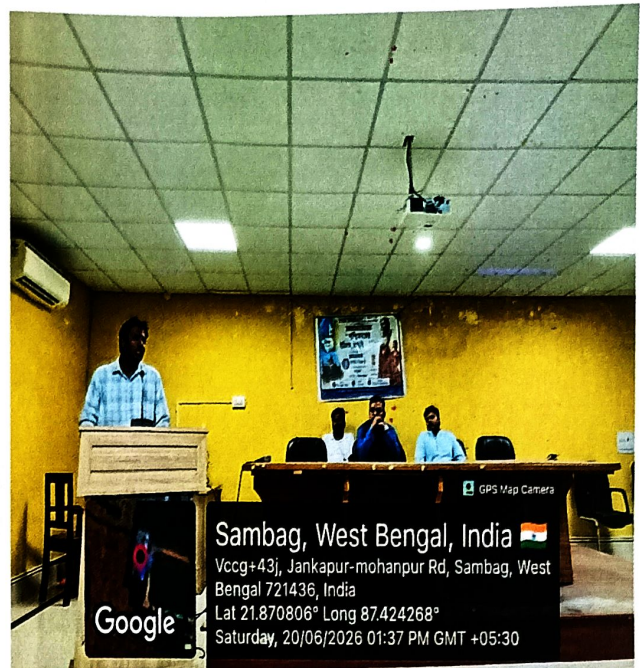


Figure 2- Dr. Sayantan Bose, Asst. Prof. in History, delivered lecture

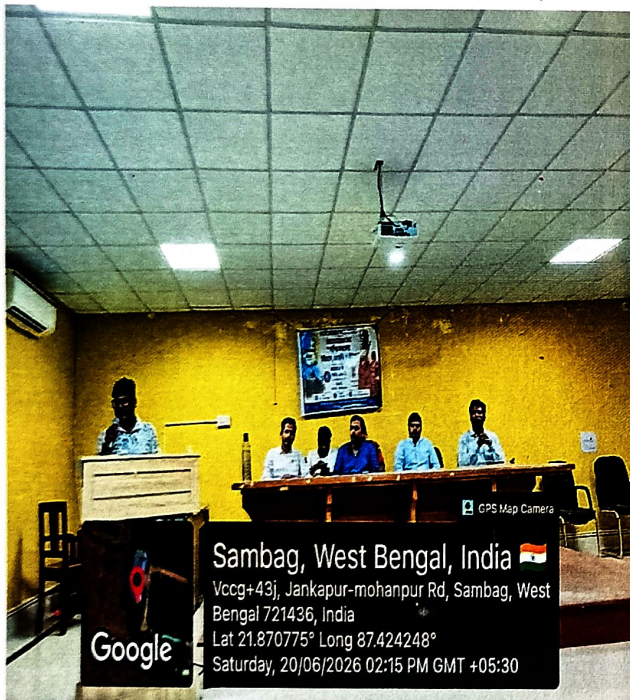


Figure 4- Dr. Arup Palmal, Asst. Prof. in Bengali, delivered lecture

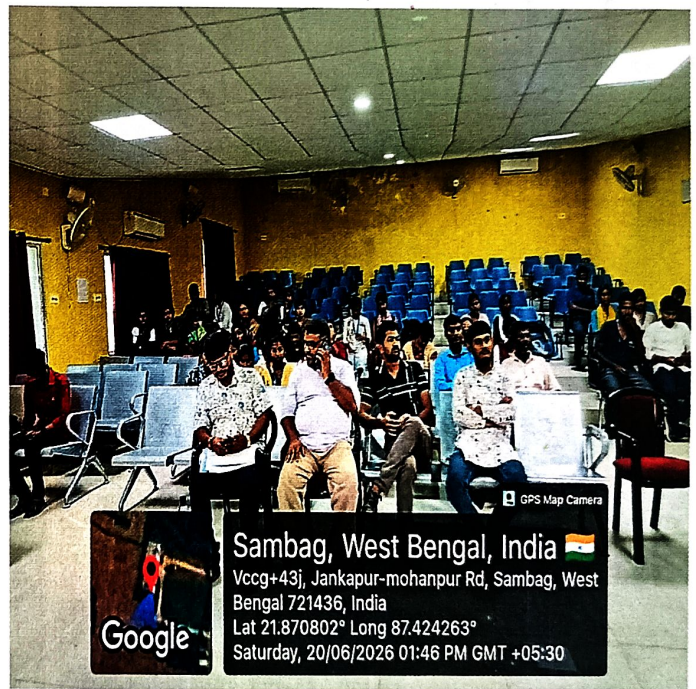


Figure 3- audience

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