**7.1.8** Institutional efforts/initiatives in providing an inclusive environment i.e., tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socio economic and other diversities.

For the last seventy five years of its existence the college stands as a symbol of Religious and cultural harmony and Tolerance. Religious and cultural harmony while preserving the diversity is one of its main hallmarks. Students of all major religions Buddhists, Hindus, Christians, and Muslims are enrolled in this college. The college has never witnessed any events that are sectarian. The multicultural, multi ethno - religious and varied socio-economic stakeholders of this institution have created a unique culture of mutual respect and tolerance. The college has always maintained a secular ambience. During the admission the college admit students as per the reservation rules for ST,SC, OBC, EWS etc. Orientation program for the newly admitted students are held every year to explain the values, vision and mission of the institution. Among the values and mission of the institution tolerance and harmony towards cultural, religious, cultural, regional, linguistic, communal, socioeconomic and other diversities are given substantial importance. Different cultural programmes are organized on occasions such as Fresher's Welcome, International Women's Day, Teachers Day, and Farewell etc. Cultural dances, Songs, Poems recitation and literary talks are organized on 'Bhasa Diwas' and Bhanu Jayanti celebration. In 2023- 2024 on the occasion of it 75th Jubilee Celebration the college organized Sports meets and grand cultural program which included dance and drama highlighting the different cultural, ethnic, linguistic, regional diversities which Darjeeling Government College stands for the last 75 years of its existence. The uniqueness of this institution is palpable during cultural and extracurricular activities where students and staffs from diverse background participate together without any differences. The college promotes linguistic diversity; Nepali, English, Hindi and Bengali are spoken in the campus. The teachers and the students communicate in these languages. Students can write examination in these languages The College has also taken initiative to offer COP course in Tibetan Language and Culture for students and staffs since 2022. Apart from students many teachers have enrolled in this course to understand Tibetan language and Culture.

The institution has taken following initiative to promote an inclusive environment i.e., tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities in the year 2023-2024

Around 20 NSS, DGC Volunteers assisted NCC, DGC participating in march past/ Drill competition at Gorkha Stadium, Lebong on 13.08.2023 and 15.08.2023 during **Independence Celebration,2023** 





On 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023 NSS,DGC observed WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY and WORLD LITERACY DAY. The awareness was given through speeches, poems, dance and play.

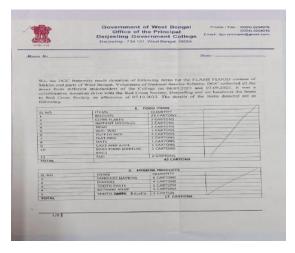






**NSS, DGC** organized a mega Relief materials collection for **Sikkim Flash Flood Victims** on 06.10.2023 and 07.10.2023. The NSS Unit received overwhelming support from each and every stakeholder of the college. The collected materials were handed over to Red Cross Society, Darjeeling for handling and distributing the items to the victims.

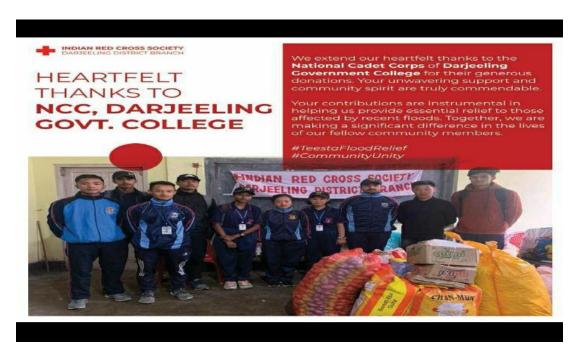








**NCC Cadets** also organized a donation relief camp for Sikkim flood victims on 10/10/2023 and were appreciated by the Red Cross Society Darjeeling.





Relief items collected by the cadets

INTERNATIONAL WOMENS DAY CLEBERATION- On 12<sup>th</sup> March 2024, the NSS Unit of the college celebrated International Women's Day in College with the staff and students of the college. The program was organized to promote gender equality, honoring women's achievement, raising awareness about women's issues, fostering a supportive and inclusive environment and encouraging female students to pursue their goals and aspirations.





On 5<sup>th</sup> August 2023 Darjeeling Government College witnessed its historic day marking another significant milestone of its 75 years of its existence. The celebration of 75<sup>th</sup> foundation day was inaugurated with an inaugural program.





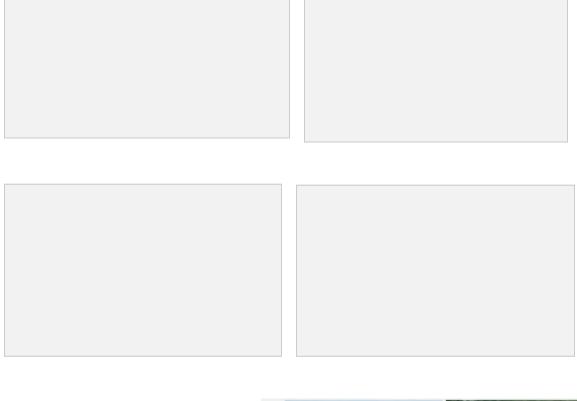
Inauguration of 75 years Jubilee celebration, 05.08.2023.

75 Years Jubilee Celebration 08th October – 11th October, 2023.

The college had organized two days inter college sports meet on  $8^{th}$  and  $9^{th}$  October 2023 at Gorkha Stadium, Lebong as a sequel to  $75^{th}$  Foundation Day Celebration followed by two days Grand Cultural Programme on  $10^{th}$  and  $11^{th}$  October at Bhanu Bhawan Chowrasta .

## Inter college sports meet on 8th and 9th October 2023

The 75th Foundation Day of Darjeeling Government College was celebrated with great enthusiasm and grandeur. A two-day sports program was organized on 8th and 9th October 2023. Students, teachers, non-teaching staff and students from colleges around Darjeeling actively participated in this sports day.





TWO DAYS GRAND CULTURAL PROGRAMME ON 10<sup>TH</sup> AND 11<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

The two days event had three cycles of performances prepared by the students and teachers. The entire performances had been divided into two halves, the first half had 310 students participating in 50 minutes long audio-visual performances which included dance and drama highlighting the different cultural, ethnic, linguistic, regional diversities which Darjeeling Government College stands for the last 75 years of its existence. Showcasing this cultural, ethnic, linguistic, communal, regional diversities, folk and cultural dance forms of these respective communities was performed called "Darjeeling Sarkaari Mahavidyalaya Koustubh Yaatra, Ek Sukhad Anubhuti".















Different Departments of the college organizes Teachers Day, Farewell to the outgoing batch.







Farewell program of Political Science Department, June 2024.

Teachers Day Celebration of Political Science Department,2023



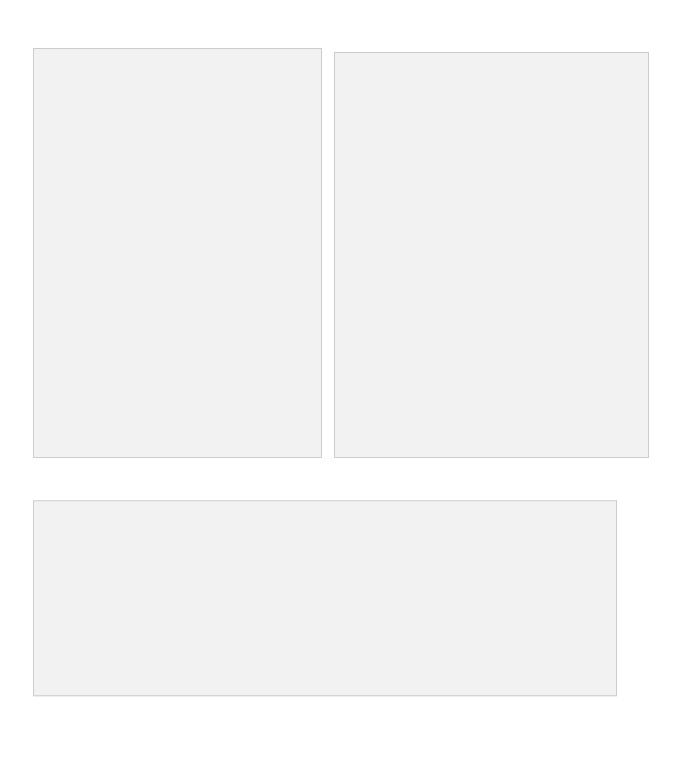
Teachers Day Celebration of History Department, 2023

Darjeeling Government College has been holding translation workshops in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Higher Education, New Delhi, Govt. of India for the promotion of Indian Languages.

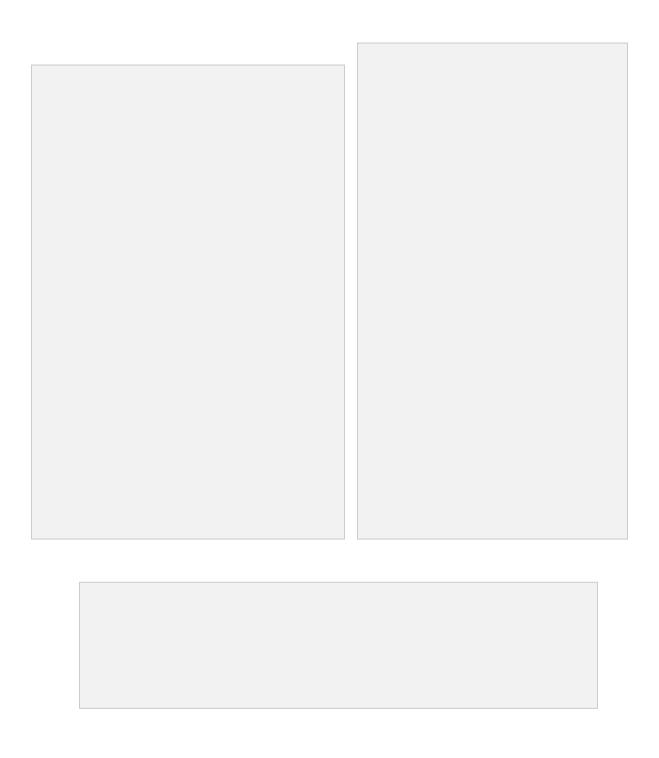
21<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024: Two Day National Seminar on "Application of mathematical science and Technological Terminology in **NEPALI** and **BENGALI** "at Darjeeling Government College by Department of Mathematics in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Higher Education, New Delhi, Govt. of India.



18<sup>th</sup> December,2023 to 22<sup>nd</sup> December, 2023 - National workshop to prepare **Trilingual** Fundamental Glossary of Mathematics **in Nepali Language**, hosted by PG Department of Nepali, Darjeeling Government College in collaboration with Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Higher Education, New Delhi, Govt. of India



06<sup>th</sup> November,2023 to 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 – 5 day Meeting to prepare **Trilingual** 'Fundamental Glossary of Political Science, History and Botany' in Nepali Language, from 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 to 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2023, held at Darjeeling Government College organized by Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Higher Education, New Delhi, Govt. of India.



## Wall Magazine

*HIMALI*, The Wall Magazine, 2024 of Darjeeling Government College started since 1954 was released on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2024 by Shri. Vijay Raj Shekhawat, Assistant Director, Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Ministry of Higher Education, New Delhi, Govt. of India.

The college has also taken initiative to offer COP in **Tibetan Language and Culture** for students and staffs even for outsiders who are registered to University of North Bengal since 2022.



Photographs of COP Tibetan Language and culture excursion, class, examination and visit to Tibetan Buddhist sites

NSS, DGC in collaboration with Regional Directorate of NSS, Kolkata very successfully organized YUVA SAMVAD- A youth Dialogue on theme INDIA @2047 on 18.03.2024. The event was a grand success wherein Programe Officers and 32 participants from 10 hill colleges took participation.

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