Gangadharpur Mahavidyamandir Department of History Academic Session: 2024-2025 Education Tour Report

Tour Details

- Destination: Murshidabad
- Dates: 16th December 2024 to 18th December 2024
- Number of Participants: 5
- Accompanying Faculty Members: Dr. Biswajit Gayen

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Objective

The educational tour was organized to provide students with a firsthand experience of the historical significance of Murshidabad, which was the capital of Bengal during the Nawab regime. The tour aimed to enhance students' knowledge and understanding of the region's rich history and cultural heritage.



Itinerary

Day 1 (16.12.2024):

- Departure from Gangadharpur Mahavidyamandir at 8:00 am
- Arrival at Murshidabad at 11:00 am
- Visit to Hazarduari Palace
- Exploration of the surrounding area, including the Imambara and the Clock Tower



Day 2 (17.12.2024):

- Visit to the Katra Masjid
- Exploration of the Murshidabad Museum
- Visit to the Jafarganj Cemetery
- Interactive session with local historians and experts



Day 3 (18.12.2024):

- Visit to the Motijheel Park
- Departure for Gangadharpur Mahavidyamandir at 2:00 pm
- Arrival at the college at 5:00 pm



Observations and Outcomes

- Students demonstrated a keen interest in the historical sites and monuments, asking insightful questions and engaging in discussions with the accompanying faculty members.
- The tour provided students with a unique opportunity to experience the rich cultural heritage of Murshidabad, which will undoubtedly enhance their understanding of the region's history.
- The interactive session with local historians and experts added a valuable dimension to the tour, providing students with a deeper understanding of the local context and significance of the historical sites.



Recommendations

- The department should consider organizing similar educational tours to other historically significant sites in the region.
- The tour should be made an integral part of the department's curriculum, with specific learning objectives and outcomes.
- The department should explore possibilities of collaborating with local historians and experts to develop more comprehensive and engaging educational tours.



Conclusion

The educational tour to Murshidabad was a resounding success, providing students with a unique and enriching experience that will undoubtedly enhance their understanding of the region's history and cultural heritage.

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