## Gangadharpur Mahavidyamandir

Department of History Academic Session: 2018-2019 Education Tour Report

On 24<sup>th</sup> February 2019, the teachers and the students of the department of History had paid a visit to the Indian Museum in Kolkata. They were informed that this Museum was founded by Asiatic Society of Bengal in Kolkata, in India 1814 and then it was called Imperial Museum at Kolkata in British India era. They were wondered to see rare collections of antiques, armories and ornaments, fossils, skeletons, mummies and Mughal paintings. As our subject History dealing with the past events and culture of our ancestors, our students have enjoyed this small tour a lot. They have got an opportunity to see sin sections comprising thirty-five galleries of cultural and scientific artifacts namely Art, Archaeology, Anthropology, Geology, Zoology and Economic Botany. Many rare and unique specimens both Indian and trans-Indian relating to humanities and natural science are presented and displayed in the galleries of this sections.





**POST STUDY TOUR PLAN:** The Department had assigned a project to the students who visited the Indian Museum and was a part of the study tour that they must prepare a write up over their experience of the tour including pictures making the project colourful and interesting. Since six students took part in the study tour, the Department has asked for the write up each of which must contain at least 2000 words and these entire write ups would be initially preserved in a project file, though the Department would take initiatives so that it be compiled in to a monogram. The Departmental faculty members who were a part of the study tour would also provide their write up in that monogram.

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