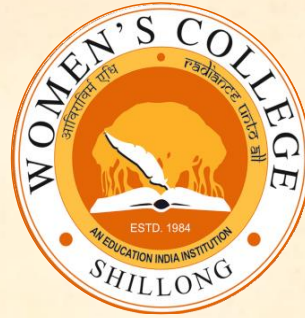


PROSPECTUS 2024



Women's College

(An Educational India Institution)

Established:1984

Re-accredited by NAAC in 2020 (Third Cycle)

Upper New Colony, Laitumkhrah, Shillong- 793003, Meghalaya

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INSTITUTIONAL PROFILE



Name of the College	Women's College
Year of Establishment	1984
Motto	<i>Abirabirma Edhi</i> (Radiance unto All)
Place	Upper New Colony Laitumkrah, Shillong 793003
State	Meghalaya
Affiliating University	North Eastern Hill University, Shillong
Financial Category	Grant-in Aid
Type of College	Private
No. of Programmes	UG: 02 – BA & BSW
UGC recognition	UGC) section 2f and 12(B) of the UGC Act of 1956
President, Governing Body	Shri Siddhartha S. Dey
Rector	Dr. Rajesh Dev
Principal	Dr. Ratnadeep Roy
Vice- Principal	Ms. Mayashree B. Das
Office Contact No	0364-2221618
College Website	https://womenscollege.ac.in/
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From Principal's Desk

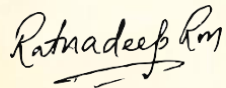
Welcome to Women's College. I am proud to introduce you to Women's College, Shillong. Established in 1984 and managed by Education India Trust, the college aims to impart quality higher education to the girls of the Northeast—a region plagued by the twin blights of lack of access and opportunity. Our well-placed alumni in India and abroad attest to the role we play in empowering our students with the values and skills to realise their full potential as responsible members of society.

Helped by its locale in the beautiful town of Shillong, the College attracts students not just from Meghalaya and its adjoining regions but also from neighbouring countries. This diversity not only enriches our worldview and promotes empathy and tolerance, but it also engenders a fertile ground for cross-pollination of ideas. In other words, it creates a conducive atmosphere for academics, which is buttressed by our cadre of talented and accomplished faculty. At present, we offer courses in the Humanities and Social Work.

In the spirit of holistic education, our students are encouraged to take part in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. The laurels they have brought to the college are a testament to their enthusiasm for participating in these activities. As an institute, we took multiple initiatives to implement the National Education Policy – 2020, popularly known as NEP-2020. One of the various initiatives was the introduction of training in multiple skills courses to imbue the students with necessary employment-oriented skills. To help students develop their mental faculties, we regularly conduct seminars and workshops in which they are encouraged to participate.

Thanks to the infusion of grants from state and central bodies, the college's infrastructure has been augmented. We are the only ad-hoc grant-in-aid college to have been accredited thrice by NAAC.

Should you consider joining us as a student, rest assured that Women's College, Shillong, not only moulds minds but also transforms lives.



(Dr. Ratnadeep Roy)
Principal

Our Vision

We aspire to develop our institution as a centre of quality learning focused on empowering women, particularly the tribal women of the region and beyond, by integrating our academics with research-oriented and innovation-driven exercises designed to make it a truly enriching experience. We aim at evolving as a centre of excellence in women's education engaged in the task of imparting professionally relevant and academically sound learning ambience that would shape young minds into accomplished individuals of integrity, competence, and confidence, always ready to meaningfully engage themselves in attending to the multifaceted challenges of life in a rapidly transforming socio-cultural environment with compassion and understanding.

Our Mission

Our inspiration and dedication are steered by the spirit of our motto, "*Abirabirma Edhi*" ("Radiance Unto All"), which means an elaboration of the luminous sphere present in all individuals. Rather than acting merely as a pedagogical laboratory, our mission aims at helping students discover their true essence that they may gainfully employ in striving for a quality life. We believe institutes are centres that equip students with introductory lessons to develop a holistic perception of life and prepare them to face the real world confidently. Being alive to the rapidly evolving socio-economic environment, the institute constantly emphasises the need to monitor the nature of lessons imparted. In a country that long ignored the concerns of women and their education, the founders of this institute envisioned the development of a centre of women's education that would cater specially to the needs and aspirations of the women from this region as well as from beyond it. The institute seeks to promote a culture that respects the poly-dimensional psyche and personality of our vast country and the feeling that a common destiny binds us with the rest of the country. The institute seeks to instil and sustain this spirit among the women, who, it feels, are fundamental binders of any society.



OUR INSTITUTION



Established in 1984, Women's College, Shillong is an Education India Trust-sponsored institution dedicated to women empowerment, particularly within the Northeast's tribal communities. Affiliated to North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), the college offers a comprehensive curriculum, including a Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) program. It attracts a diverse student body, transcending national borders. The college operates under a semester system and is recognised by the UGC Act (1956); it is to be noted that the college has introduced the FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUTE PROGRAMME (FYUP) system as mandated by NEP 2020. The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has accredited the institution

thrice, a testament to the institution's commitment to consistently providing a standard of education. Recognising the need for holistic development, the institution is committed to fostering the overall growth of its students. This commitment is realised through a comprehensive approach, encompassing a well-equipped computer facility, a dedicated skills development hub, value education aligned with NEP requirements, and a digitised library offering a vast collection of e-resources for efficient access to information. Further enriching the learning experience, the college promotes social responsibility through NCC and NSS units while complementing the curriculum with seminars, workshops, guest lectures, skill development programs, debates, sports, and cultural events, cultivating a vibrant learning environment.

NAAC ACCREDITATION- Cycle 3

In January 2020, the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) re-accredited the college and placed it in Grade B. This institute is the first and only college in its category of grants-in-aid colleges in the State of Meghalaya to get assessed and accredited by the national body in March 2007.

Institutional Collaborations:

The institute has partnered with various organisations through MoUs to enhance the educational experience for its students. The list of MoUs signed by the institute is as follows:

- MoU with Miranda House College, University of Delhi: The students will get the needed exposure by becoming part of student exchange programmes.
- MoU with Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi: Students will gain access to Central Sanskrit University's resources through various educational programmes in Sanskrit.
- MoU with Japan Foundation, New Delhi: Students will have the opportunity to learn Japanese through a certificate course and participate in various programmes that will help them broaden their perspective on global culture.
- MoU with Image Hut, Guwahati: This MoU facilitates the institution's establishment of a full-fledged professional course in photography, which will allow students to hone their skills in photography.

OUR MAJOR AMENITIES

- Hostel
- Remedial Coaching
- Student Mentoring
- Students Counsellor
- Students Council
- Career and Placement Cell
- Campus Interviews
- Skill Enhancement Courses
- NSS & NCC Programmes
- Red Ribbon Club
- Visiting Doctor
- Radio-tagged Library
- Wi-Fi enabled campus
- Anti- Ragging Cell
- Women's Cell
- Alumni Association

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- **NSS:** The college's NSS unit participates in various rural developmental works. The NSS unit's adoption of Mawblang and Mawlai villages and adjacent villages such as Umtung and Mawkyrdep is a significant step towards connecting the college with the rural world. The NSS Cadets have made us proud by being selected to participate in the Republic Day Parade in New Delhi in 2023.
- **NCC:** The college's NCC cadets participate in various national, regional, and state-level activities, such as competitions, integration camps, etc. A number of them have won many awards and have also cleared the B-level certification test.
- **SPORTS ACTIVITIES:** Students are encouraged to participate in various sporting activities organised by the College and other institutions.
- **RED RIBBON ACTIVITIES:** The club organises programmes to create awareness amongst the students of the college about the issues related to HIV, AIDS and related problems.
- **DRAMATICS SOCIETY:** The Dramatics Society of Women's College provides a platform for students to explore their interest in theatre and acting. By participating in productions, workshops, and competitions, students can develop their acting skills, gain stage confidence, and collaborate creatively with others. The society can also help students find their voice and express themselves through dramatic performance.
- **LITERARY CLUB:** The Literary Club of Women's College provides a welcoming space for students passionate about literature. It fosters a love of reading and writing while honing critical thinking and communication skills. Through events, discussions, and workshops, the club helps students develop their creativity and gain confidence in expressing themselves

OTHER ACADEMIC INITIATIVES:

- **SKILLS DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES:** The College has introduced a wide range of Certificate Courses to boost the students' knowledge in specialised areas and strengthen their core skills, creating opportunities for them in the future. Moreover, regular workshops and lectures by eminent personalities are organised to further enhance their interest in this direction.
- **ANNUAL STUDENTS' SEMINAR:** The Students' Seminar is organised annually to enable students to engage in research-oriented activities and encourage public speaking through presentations. The best participants are also awarded.
- **NATIONAL and INTERNATIONAL SEMINARS /WORKSHOPS /CONFERENCES /PATHER NEL DISCUSSIONS:** Seminars, Workshops, Conferences, and Panel Discussions on contemporary and relevant issues are organised, and students are encouraged to participate to enhance their academic excellence.

SUBJECT-SPECIFIC SUMMER SCHOOLS: Subject-specific Summer School programmes offer students a valuable opportunity to deepen their understanding and sharpen their skills in a particular academic area.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

DEGREE COURSES

The College is affiliated with North Eastern Hill University (NEHU), Shillong. It offers Degree Programmes in the Humanities and Social Work. Bachelor of Social Work is a professional course for students desirous of working in the development and welfare sectors.

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCES

Our students' academic performance has always been good. Students have regularly figured in the rank holders list of various University Examinations, and the overall success rate of our students in the examinations conducted by North Eastern Hill University has been above the pass percentage of the University.

1st Semester Subject Combination (FYUG)

<i>Course</i>	<i>Course code</i>	<i>Paper</i>	<i>Credit</i>
Major /Core Course (Any One)	ANTHROPOLOGY	1	4
	ECONOMICS		
	EDUCATION		
	ENGLISH		
	HISTORY		
	PHILOSOPHY		
	POLITICAL SCIENCE		
	SOCIOLOGY		
	PSYCHOLOGY		
	SOCIAL WORK (ONLY FOR BSW)		
Minor / Core Course (Any One)	ANTHROPOLOGY	1	4
	ECONOMICS		
	EDUCATION		
	ENGLISH		
	HISTORY		
	PHILOSOPHY		
	POLITICAL SCIENCE		
	SOCIOLOGY		
	PSYCHOLOGY		
	SOCIAL WORK (ONLY FOR BSW)		
Major and Minor must be from two different subjects			

Skill Enhancement Course (Any one)	SEC 130: CYBER SECURITY	1	3
	SEC 132: PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT		
Multidisciplinary Course (Any One)	MDC 111: CULTURE AND SOCIETY	1	3
	MDC 112:FUNDAMENTALS OF COMPUTER SYSTEMS		
	MDC 116: INTRODUCTION TO NATIONAL CADET CORPS		
	MDC 118: MATHEMATICS IN DAILY LIFE		
	MDC 119: PHILOSOPHY OF CULTURE		
Value Added Course (Compulsory)	VAC 140: ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	1	3
Ability Enhancement Course (Any One)	AEC 120: ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH	1	3
	AEC 122: MIL-I:BANGLA BHASHA-BIGYAN		
	AEC 124: MIL-I: KALITERESHOR KHASI BAD KAKYLLA-KTIEN		
	AEC 125: MIL-I:MIZO LANGUAGE AND TRADITIONAL CULTURE		
	AEC 127: MIL- HINDI		

Eligibility

- Applicants seeking admission in B. A Course is required to qualify for any recognised board's 10 + 2 examination/Equivalent.
- Applicants seeking admission to the BSW Course must qualify for the 10 + 2 examination/Equivalent conducted by any recognised board. Students who have completed a Degree examination in any other programme are also eligible for admission to this course.

Documents required while applying:

Each Application must be accompanied by

- a) Class X mark sheet (self-attested)
- b) Class XII-mark sheet (self-attested)
- c) A recent passport-size photograph of the candidate

Documents Required for Admission-

After selection, the following documents are to be presented

- A testimonial of character from the Principal of the school/college last attended
- A self-attested copy of the class x mark sheet
- A self-attested copy of the last examination passed (Class XII)
- A recent passport-size photograph of the student
- The original transfer certificate from the institute last attended
- A self-attested ST certificate for tribal students
- The original migration certificate for students coming from Boards/Universities other than the Meghalaya Board of School Education is to be handed over to the office within one month from the date of admission
- Students with disability are required to produce a disability certificate
- The original mark sheet is not to be handed to the office

Seats Available

- The College admits a maximum of 570 students in the first semester (B.A)
- The College admits a maximum of 75 students in the first semester (B.S.W)

FEE STRUCTURE FOR B.A. 1st SEMESTER – 2024

1st Installment

SL. NO.	HEADS	AMOUNT
1	Admission fee	₹ 1,000.00
2	Tuition fee (June' 24 to Nov' 24)	₹2,100.00
3	College fee (June' 24 to Nov' 24)	₹2,100.00
4	Session fee (June' 24 to Nov' 24)	₹10,685.00
5	NEHU Registration fee	₹250.00
6	University Enrolment fee	₹200.00
7	Examination center fee	₹200.00
7	University 1 st Semester Exam Fee	₹1,200.00
8	College ID Card	₹ 100.00
Total fees to be paid during admission time		₹17,835.00

FEE STRUCTURE FOR B.A. 1st SEMESTER – 2024

2nd Installment

To be paid by November 2024

Sl No	HEADS	Amount
1	Admission fee	₹ 1,000.00
2	Tuition fee (Dec, 23 to May' 24)	₹2,100.00
3	College fee (Dec, 23 to May' 24)	₹2,100.00
4	Session fee (Dec, 23 to May' 24)	₹10,685.00
5	University Enrolment fee	₹ 200.00
6	University 2 nd Semester Exam Fees	₹ 1,200.00
7.	Examination center fee	₹200.00
Total:		₹17,485.00

N.B.

- Students must produce payment receipts to the college office after payment
- Practical Fees for VTC will be implemented from 3rd Semester

FEE STRUCTURE FOR B.S.W 1st SEMESTER – 2024

1st Installment

SL. NO.	HEADS	AMOUNT
1	Admission fee	₹1,000.00
2	Tuition fee (June'24 to Nov' 2024)	₹15,000.00
3	Session fee (June'24 to Nov' 2024)	₹3,250.00
4	University Registration fee	₹250.00
5	University Enrolment fee	₹200.00
6	Examination Center Fee	₹200.00
7	University 1 st Semester Exam fee	₹1,200.00
8	College ID Card	₹100.00
Total fees to be paid during admission time		₹ 21,200.00

FEE STRUCTURE FOR B.S.W 1st SEMESTER – 2024

2nd Installment

To be paid by November - 2024

S1 NO	HEADS	AMOUNT
1	Admission fee	₹1,000.00
2	Tuition fee (Dec 23 May' 24)	₹15,000.00
3	Session fee (Dec 23 May' 24)	₹3,250.00
4	University Enrolment fee	₹200.00
5	Examination Center Fee	₹200.00
6	University 2 nd Semester Exam Fees	₹1,200.00
Total:		₹20,850.00

NB

Student must produce their payment receipt to the college office after payment.

EVALUATION AND MONITORING PRACTICES

Evaluation and monitoring are crucial, and the institute takes all care to ensure its students' academic and overall progress. The evaluation of academic progress is carried out through:

- ❖ Assignments & Internal Tests
- ❖ End Semester Examinations
- ❖ Group Discussions
- ❖ Projects

Note: Students admitted to the BSW course must attend mandatory field work schedules as may be fixed by the College since these field works are an integral part of the professional training as per the course curriculum design. The overall progress of each student is monitored using ward sheets. Parents are informed of relevant matters concerning their children through parent-teacher meetings.

SKILLS HUB

(6 MONTHS CERTIFICATE COURSES)

NEP 2020 focuses on skill development programmes that support beginners by bringing innovative skills and technologies for a better lifestyle, which would create sustainable and visible social impact in the long run.

Students can choose from a wide array of Certificate Courses the college offers besides the standard academic programmes prescribed by the university. Students are expected to opt for at least one such course in a year based on their choice of interests, which would help boost their knowledge in specialised areas and strengthen their core skills to create opportunities for them in the future. These courses are open to anyone, including the students of this college.

The courses are as follows:

- ❖ Basic Accounting: Key Concepts and Principles
- ❖ Code your website
- ❖ Geriatric Care: Planning and Management
- ❖ Photography: Learning the Basics
- ❖ Sound Art: Beginning Guide to Guitar
- ❖ Learning to speak Hindi
- ❖ Content Writing in English
- ❖ Foundation of Baking

Code of Conduct for the Students:

1. Use of drugs, chewing betel nut and tobacco is strictly prohibited within the college premises.
2. Cell phone use on campus is barred by law, and any violation will result in penal action.
3. Sobriety and modesty in matters of dress and general behaviour must be maintained.
4. Conduct must foster and preserve communal harmony in letter and spirit.
5. Littering, damaging, and/or defacing property is a punishable offence, and monetary compensation will be charged if you are found indulging in such acts.
6. While on campus, students must wear their duly signed College Identity Card without fail.
7. Students whose attendance falls below 75% of the total classes would be debarred from appearing in the University examination.
8. Students must submit their Migration Certificates within fifteen (15) days from admission.
9. Students would have to produce a No Outstanding Certificate from the college library before being allowed to fill in the end-semester examination forms.
10. Students are required to make formal requests for the issuance of a Transfer Certificate (TC) (if needed). The issuance of a TC is subject to the applicant clearing all dues.
11. The college authority shall not be responsible for any misconduct /misbehaviour outside the college premises. The institute expects its students to remember that non-compliance with the rules and regulations, violation of any of the conduct norms, and any act of indiscipline are liable to attract penal action in terms of fine and/or even expulsion from the college if the college's Discipline Committee decides so.

NOTE:

Strict adherence to the college rules and regulations is a must, and any violation of these may even lead to the expulsion of the student concerned.

ANTI-RAGGING NORMS

In exercise of the powers conferred by Clause(g) of Sub-Section (1) of Section 26 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956, the University Grants Commission hereby makes the following Regulations, namely: Title, commencement and applicability:

These regulations shall be called the "UGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions 2009".

They shall come into force with immediate effect.

They shall apply to all the universities established or incorporated by or under a Central Act, a Provincial Act or a State Act, to all institutions deemed to be universities under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956, to all other higher educational institutions, including the departments, constituent units and all the premises (academic, residential, sports, canteen, etc.) of such universities, deemed universities and other higher educational institutions, whether located within the campus or outside and to all means of transportation of students whether public or private.

To root out ragging in all its forms from universities, colleges and other educational institutions in the country by prohibiting it by law, preventing its occurrence by following the provisions of these Regulations and punishing those who indulge in ragging as provided for in these Regulations and the appropriate law in force.

Measures for prohibition of ragging at the Institution level:

The College shall strictly observe the provisions of the Act; thereby, ragging in all its forms shall be banned in the entire institution.

The institution shall take strict action against those found guilty of ragging and/or abetting ragging.

PAYMENT OF FEES

1. The Semester Fees are to be cleared at the time of admission.
2. All fees and dues payable to the college must be paid online. Refer to pages 9 and 10.
3. Student Identity Cards and the Bill Book shall be procured from the designated office counter on cash payment.
 - i. Identity Card 100/-
 - ii. Bill Book 100/-
4. All college fees are subject to revision as and when such need arises.
5. Students obtaining 45% and above are awarded a degree with honours. Students obtaining less than the stipulated 45% are awarded a Simple Pass Degree.

Library caution money will be refunded to students only after successful completion of the course. The refund will be issued against the application produced by the student, along with a photocopy of the identity card and the college bill book, within six months of the declaration of the final semester results.

If any student loses her ID card and/or Bill Book, a duplicate card and/or Bill Book may be issued, subject to verification of records and payment.

Sd/
(Dr. Ratnadeep Roy)

EVENTS WE CELEBRATE

- Republic Day
- International Women's Day
- Rabindra Jayanti
- World Environment Day
- Independence Day
- Pandit Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar Annual Endowment Lecture
- Gandhi Jayanti
- College Week
- Annual Students' Seminar
- Guest Lectures
- Students Exchange Programmes
- Literary Competitions
- Activities by different Clubs

OUR NOTABLE ALUMNAE:

The positive and responsive outlook of our Alumna Association supports the institution in realising its vision and mission by extending its help and assistance in specifically identified domains of activities. Some of our alumni

1. Sutopa Acharjee Advocate at Gauhati High Court ; Meghalaya High Court; Shillong Bar Association	2. Phida Marwein Sub-Inspector, Taxation, KHADC	3. Bobby Mahanta Principal, Balurghat B.Ed. College, West Bengal.	4. Aitihun K. Lyngdoh Mawnai Supervisor 181 Women Helpline Office of Directorate of Social Welfare, Meghalaya	5. Elphida Dohling Helpline Manager 182 Women Helpline Office of Directorate of Social Welfare, Meghalaya
6. Wansuklang Surong Additional Programme Officer Block Development Office Mawrynhkneng Block	7. Teresa Khawzawl Department of Anthropology Assistant Professor Cotton University, Guwahati	8. Pheiga Amanda Research Fellow Tata Institute of Social Science, Mumbai	9. Patricia Dohtdong Research Fellow Tata Institute of Social Science, Mumbai	10. Leonai Margaret Director, MOSONIE Sociology Economic Foundation, Ri Bhoi Meghalaya
11. Asane Christy Asst. Manager (CSR), HR Bharat Petroleum Corporation Ltd. Mumbai	12. Fidei Biakmawii Nongrum Project Manager, Incubation and Entrepreneur Development Meghalaya	13. Mel Kharbihkhiew District Coordinator at District Level Centre for Women O/o DC Nongpoh	14. Marigold Papiah Department of Medical Health & Family Welfare Meghalaya	15. Rangya Gachui Asst. Prof. Department of Anthropology Visva-Bharati University Santiniketan, West Bengal

<p>16. Mayuri Karna Coordinator- Programme and Innovation at CRETE, Ranchi, Jharkhand</p>	<p>17. Nahida Khan Vice Principal Preparatory Section Majortila College Sylhet, Bangladesh</p>	<p>18. Sutapa Sarkar Senior Statistical Officer (SSO), Central Water Commission At SI-Gr I, Central Water Commission</p>	<p>19. Anita Kharpor Director & Joint Secretary, Government of Meghalaya</p>	<p>20. Melisa Kharपुरi Compiler Department of Art & Culture, Government of Meghalaya</p>
<p>21. Angela Rangad Social Activist Leader of TUR (Thma U Rangli-juki)</p>	<p>22. Pichano Kikon SDO (Civil) Kohima</p>	<p>23. Rakhi Ghosh Entrepreneur, Marketing and Branding Professional, Founder and Director at Uqrious Group</p>	<p>24. Aimebanri Nongkhlaw External Expert in Monitoring & Evaluation LLLMP, East Khasi Hills, MBMA</p>	<p>25. Pauline Tegite Sangma Soft Skills & English Trainer, Indian Institute of Skills Development (IISD) Project of DDUGKY Narengki Guwahati, Assam</p>
<p>26. Wandashusha Ripnar Indian Institute Skills of Development (IISD) as Counsellor under DDU, GKY, and Technical Internship Training Programmes (TITP) MSSDS, NSDC</p>	<p>27. Lavinia Khonglam Asst. Manager I/c Enterprise Facilitation Centre, Mawpat</p>			

MERIT LIST 2023 (B.A.)

SL. NO.	ROLL NO.	NAME	MARKS	SUBJECT	RANK
1.	A2010570	JASMINA BEGUM	562.0	ANTHROPOLOGY	FOURTH
2.	A2010568	KAJULI SWARGIARY	553.0	ANTHROPOLOGY	FIFTH
3.	A2010569	SEBIKA DEBBARMA	523.0	ANTHROPOLOGY	SEVENTH
4.	A2010565	ROIPAN KANGLOM	492.0	ANTHROPOLOGY	EIGHTH
5.	A2010567	EVANSARA DKHAR	492.0	ANTHROPOLOGY	EIGHTH
6.	A2010738	DEITILIN KHARTHANGMAW	568.0	ENGLISH	TENTH

Merit List 2023 (B.S.W.)

1	W2000198	MISTINA KHARLYNGDOH	674	4
2	W2000156	ARTYMIS SUTNGA	653	7
3	W2000183	IBAPDIANGHUNSHISHA LANGRIN	649	9
4	W2000226	VANLALNUNPUII TLAU	647	10

STUDENTS' VOICES

“Times have changed where education is not only based on grades but also on character development. Women’s College, Shillong, is an encouraging institution where the teachers inculcate knowledge with invaluable insights. The environment is like a catalyst which enhances one’s social awareness and evolves their perspective.”

C.Tep, (Nagaland).

“My experiences in this college were unique. It gave me a home away from home. I am from a different country, but the college's approachable teachers and exceptional learning environment made me feel at home.”

Monabiya Chawdhury (Bangladesh)

“I chose this college because it has the reputation of having a very dedicated group of teachers who take care of the students and have a deep understanding of their needs. Joining this college was one of the best decisions of my life.”

G.Chunchun (Manipur)

“I have chosen Women’s College because it prioritises creating a safe and inclusive space where I can thrive in a holistic manner.”

Hasna Reang (Tripura)

“I selected this college for its calm and serene location. The campus ambience fosters a superior learning environment, and the empathetic and dedicated faculty contribute to the positive overall experience.”

Labari Lyngdoh (Meghalaya)

DEFINITIONS

Programme: NEHU offers a four-year undergraduate programme (FYUP). There will be two UG programmes, viz.

- i) UG degree programme with a single major,
- ii) Multidisciplinary

UG programme.

Discipline: As defined by UGC. Five broad disciplines are

- (i) Natural and Physical Sciences,
- (ii) Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Sciences,
- (iii) Library, Information, and Media Sciences,
- (iv) Commerce and Management, and
- (v) Humanities and Social Sciences.

Subject: The branches within a discipline. For example, Botany, Zoology, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Chemistry, Physics, Biophysics, Astronomy and Astrophysics are subjects in Natural and Physical Science disciplines.

Courses: Courses are the papers required to complete a programme. For a 3-year UG degree, a student must earn 120 credit hours. A FYUP requires a total of 160 credit hours. Course number indicates the difficulty level of the course as shown below:

100 -199= Introductory level courses

200 -299 = Intermediate level courses

300 -399 = High level courses

400-499 = Advance level courses

Core courses: The course related to basic disciplines. For FYUP with a single major, 80 credits must be earned from the major and 20 credits from the minor discipline. For the Multidisciplinary FYUG programme, 72 credits from the core courses must be earned from three or more subjects with a minimum of 12 credits from one subject to get a 3-year UG degree.

Credit: Weightage of a course with defined contact hours. To be awarded the defined credits, a student must clear a course with a minimum 'P' letter grade and a grade point of 4. A student with grade points ranging from 4 to 10 will earn the same credit for a given course. 40% of the credits in any category may be earned through online courses approved by the Board of Studies (BOS) as per the existing UGC regulations. No course with a practicum can be earned online.

Exam weightage: As per NEHU rule.

1. UG degree programme with single major Major: The Major is a subject in a core discipline. In the Major, students must earn 60 credit hours in 3 years and 80 credits in 4 years.

Minor (core course): The Minor (core course) is a subject in a core discipline. In the Minor (core course), students must earn 12 credit hours in 3 years and 20 credit hours in 4 years. Minor discipline helps a student to gain a broader understanding beyond the major discipline.

Honours: The discipline of focus where a student must earn 92 credit hours in the discipline out of a total of 160 credit hours of the programme. Only those students who secure a minimum of 75% marks in the MAJOR subject will be allowed to take a Research Project/Dissertation and be awarded “UG Honours with Research” upon securing the required credits. The remaining students must opt for advanced courses to be awarded a “UG Honours.”

Honours with Research: An Honours with 92 credit hours in the discipline, including 12 credit hours from research project/dissertation.