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Message from HoD Desk



Department of Teacher Education is releasing the sixth issue of its Newsletter "The Preceptor". On this occasion, it is my pleasure to welcome everyone back for another eventful year in the Department. Our mission is to become a high performing school engaging all stakeholders in innovative pedagogical practices that are inclusive, integrated and meaningful. We strive for each

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A seminar on 'Research Perspectives in Knowledge Generation and Validation' was organized by the department on 13.09.2023. Dr. Dibakar Sarangi, Principal, Dr. PMIASE, Sambalpur acted as the chief speaker of the event. Dr. Sarangi has elaborated about how to produce valid knowledge in the context of research. He has also talked about the method of knowing employed knowledge, interpretation of evidences and generalizability of knowledge.

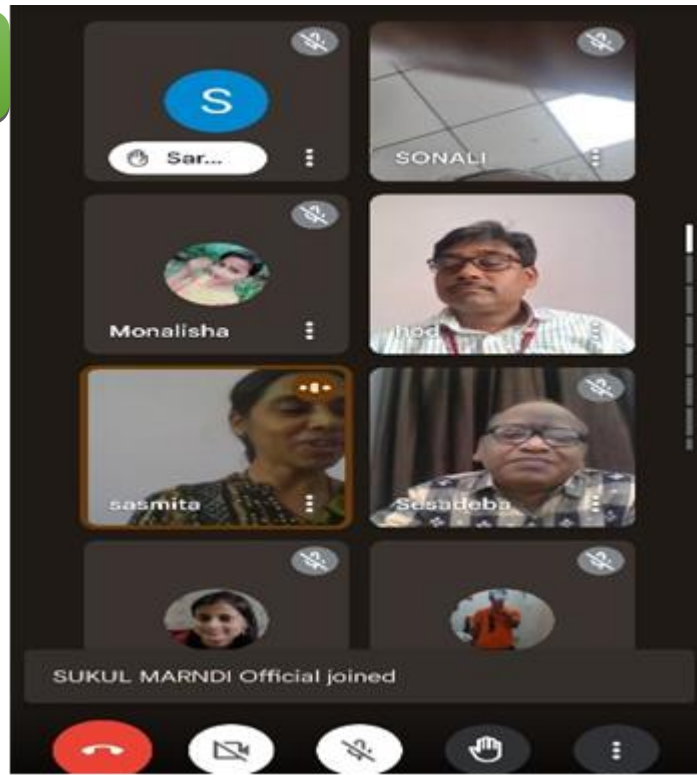


Seminar on 'Research Perspectives in Knowledge Generation and Validation'

Seminar cum workshop on “Writing a Research Proposal in Social Sciences”

A seminar cum workshop on ‘Writing Research Proposal’ was organized by Department on 30.09.2023 at 11.00 a.m. Dr.Sesadeba Pany, Associate Professor of Education, Central University of Punjab, Bathinda, India acted as the resource person. This seminar has been conducted through online mode via Google Meet.

He delivered a talk on steps of writing research proposal. He has explained each step for writing research proposal in a systematic manner with suitable examples. All the steps including identification of research problem, importance of review of related literature, rationale of the study, statement of the problem, objectives of the study, formulation of the hypothesis, design of the study etc. were discussed in a systematic manner.



Seminar on “Reflective Thinking for Futuristic Society”

Dr. Arti Srivastava, Senior fellow, at Ravenshaw University, Cuttack delivered a lecture on Reflective Thinking for Futuristic Society on 25.11.2023. Highlighting the importance of conscious mind for social transformation, Dr. Srivastava explained the strategies to improve reflective thinking among students. She also described the importance of Indian Knowledge System and its influence on reflective thinking.



The Department organized a seminar on “Language Across the Curriculum”. Prof. Manoj Kumar Pradhan, Principal, Govt. B.Ed. College Kalinga, Kandhamal stated that language is crucial for students’ academic success and beyond. By developing language skills in conjunction with subject specific knowledge, students enhance their understanding, critical thinking and communication abilities.

An Extramural lecture on Life Skill Education was organized for students. Dr. Manini Biswal, Assistant Professor of Education, RNIASE, Cuttack highlighted the essence of life skill education in our day-to-day life. Further, she also elaborated the life skills given by WHO which are Self-awareness empathy, critical thinking, creative thinking, decision making problem solving, effective communication, interpersonal relationship, coping with stress and coping with emotion.



A Workshop on Employability Skills from 19.02.2024 to 23.02.2024. It was conducted in collaboration with by Nandi Foundation, Calcutta. Through structured training modules and partnerships with educational institutions and NGOs, the program focuses on equipping participants with diverse set of skills such as communication, teamwork, problem-solving, digital literacy, and entrepreneurship. By bridging the gap between education and employment, the Mahindra Pride Classroom not only enhances participants' employability prospects but also fosters their socio-economic empowerment.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AND OUTREACH PROGRAMME



Students received certificates from the Guest of Honour for placing first position in the race relay competition.

The 9th Basant Utsav was held at the University Campus from April 22 to April 25, 2024. Students pursuing a B.Ed. degree also took part in this program and received department medals

Lipsa Das and Liki Das are receiving the certificate from the guest for holding first and second position respectively in the quiz competition.





Geetarani Moharana is receiving certificate for holding 3rd position in Mehendi and Rangoli competition

OUR TOPPER

Reetali Parida (Admission batch 2022-24) secured the highest mark in the final examination by securing 85.58%.

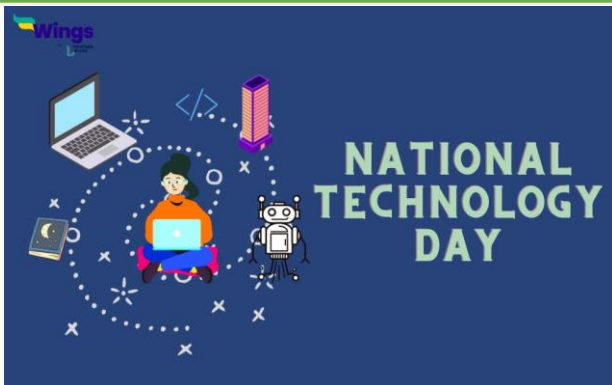


DDEVELOPMENT OF MODEL CURRICULUM UNDER THE AEGIES OF OSHEC



Dr. Sasmita Kar, HoD of the Department acted as a member of syllabus preparation committee under the aegis of Odisha State Higher Education Council and drafted UG syllabus as per the guideline of National Education Policy-2020.

EDUCATION STORIES



National Techonogy Day is celebrated every year on 11th May to commemorate the countr'y progress in varies technological advancement. The theme for 2024 NTD was "From Schools to Startups: Igniting Young Minds to Innovate".

Budget 2024 allocated Rs. 1.48 lakh crore on education, employment, and skilling. Affordable Higher Education Education loans of up to Rs. 10 lakh would be offered to students seeking higher education at domestic institutions.