

## Institutional Distinctiveness

Srikrishna College is situated in an under-developed area. The students of this College are from different socioeconomic background. Among them, most of the students are from SC/ST/OBC and other backward communities. Many of them are first generation learners whose families never got an opportunity even to avail elementary. Having such students on the roll makes the teaching learning process of this College challenging. The current year pandemic situation makes it more challenging than ever. The College is trying its best to provide the students all the facilities during this lockdown period. Based on recent situation, the main objective of this College is to provide opportunity to the students to continue their studies from home.

The college has a very strong pool of talented teachers, who never fails to give their hundred percent to the students and always ready to keep themselves updated with the changing academic scenario. The College infrastructure is very strong and has three ICT-enabled classrooms. The entire campus is covered under high-speed wi-fi internet. The College library is one of the bests in the entire region. The College strictly maintains academic calendar, planning, student attendance, timely completion of courses and etc. Apart from all the regular undergraduate courses, the College has a study center that offers the M.A. degree courses through Open and Distance Education mode under the University of Kalyani. From 2019, the college also started postgraduate courses commenced through the Open and Distance Education mode under the Netaji Subhash Open University.

During home-based learning in the lock downtime, initially, several methods are adopted by college, for example, sharing information by WhatsApp, video-calls, and others online platforms. Individual G-Suite official mail ID has been created for all centrally in order to have a smooth functioning of all the cells, committees, departments, and all kinds of office correspondences. This G-Suit implementation enabled teachers to create their own classrooms where managing study materials and documents are easier. Using this facility all the departments are successfully distributing assignments, track student's attendance and progress, going for class tests, provide e-study materials, and facilitating interaction in a virtual world. The faculties are also helping the students to learn about multimedia technology and communications and a high degree of skill development.

Same as every year, faculty exchange programs, time to time feedback from students, parents, and teachers, academic audits, faculty development programs, conducting webinars, seminars, workshops, and student-centric events are regular activities of the college. The College has its own dedicated YouTube channel, where we organize the live-streaming of all the Webinars.

The college is trying to keep the campus clean and maintain all the safety protocols during this pandemic situation. The initiative is taken by the College to spread awareness among the students about Covid-19 and always remind them to stay at home as far as possible.

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