

BETHUNE COLLEGE

GOVT. of WEST BENGAL

181, Bidhan Sarani, Kolkata - 700 006

(Affiliated to the University of Calcutta)

Established in 1879 – The First Women’s College in India
Accredited by NAAC with Grade ‘A’ (in both 1st and 2nd Cycle)
NIRF Ranking (2021) : All India Rank 77 in College Category
Sponsored under DST-FIST and DBT-STAR College Scheme
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College Phone No. : 033-22411731 (PBX)

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UG ADMISSION 2022

INFORMATION BROCHURE

Admission to 3 year B.A. (Hons.)/B.Sc. (Hons.) (CBCS) Degree Course for the session 2022-23 under University of Calcutta

Online applications for admission will be received from 18th July, 2022 (from 10 a.m.) to 5th August, 2022 (upto 11.59 p.m.) through the website :

www.bethuneadmissions.ac.in

Visit the above website regularly for updated information.

Queries related to B.A./B.Sc. admission may be sent to :

bethunecollegeadmission@gmail.com

As per Govt. order no application fee is required to be paid by the applicants.

Validity of application is subject to fulfillment of minimum eligibility criteria and uploading of required documents within the stipulated date and time.

Applicants are required to fill up every field of the online application form carefully. No change is allowed after final submission of the online application. Admission is liable to be cancelled at the time of verification of documents for any incorrect entry.

Admission to the college is granted on the understanding that the student undertakes to conform in all respects to the rules and discipline of Bethune College and the University of Calcutta.

General Information and Requirement for Admission :

- Only Female candidates are eligible to apply.
- The college offers only Honours course at UG level. No General degree course is offered.
- A candidate who passed the Higher Secondary or its equivalent Examination (10+2 level) in 2022 to 2018 from any recognized Board is eligible to apply for admission to the B.A./B.Sc. (Honours) courses.
- **Candidates who passed in Vocational Stream are not eligible to apply for Honours Courses.**
- A candidate must have passed in English (full marks not being less than 100) in the previous qualifying examination to apply for B.A / B.Sc. (Honours) Courses.
- **A candidate may apply for a maximum of four Honours subjects.**
- Aggregate marks shall be calculated by adding the marks of the BEST FOUR subjects (at least 100 marks paper). Marks in compulsory Environmental Education / Studies will not be taken into account for calculation of aggregate marks.
- Admission will be conducted strictly on the basis of merit. The subject wise merit lists will be prepared based on corresponding INDEX MARK for all categories of students.
- **SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B candidates from only West Bengal are eligible for reservation benefits. SC/ST/OBC-A/OBC-B candidates from Other States will be treated as General Category candidates in the Merit List.**
- Admission to Semester-wise Three Year B.A./B.Sc. (Honours) Degree Courses of Studies in Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) under the University of Calcutta will be guided by Admission and Examination Regulations (Notification No. CSR/3/18 dated 07.05.2018) and Amendments thereof of the University of Calcutta.
- Admission to any course of the college is provisional and is subject to final approval of the University of Calcutta.
- Anti-ragging declaration as mandated by the UGC is to be submitted online by every student after admission, failing which the registration process will not be initiated.
- A Girls' Hostel of the College located at Karunamoyee, Salt Lake will be operative from this academic session. Application for Hostel will be taken separately after admission. The details will be available in the college website in due time.
- Merit Lists for all subjects, Admission Schedule and all Admission Notices will be published on the website www.bethuneadmissions.ac.in.

Reservation of seats :

- **Reservation Policy for admission shall be guided by the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission), Act 2013 and Rules, 2014.** Number of Reserved seats for Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe, OBC-A & OBC-B are shown against each Honours subject.
- 5% of seats are reserved in each category for Persons with Disabilities (PWD) candidates (with minimum 40% disability) in terms of G.O. No. 1084(20)-Edn(U)/EH/1U-89/13 dated 07.12.18 of Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal

Courses Offered :

The college offers the following Honours courses of studies in the B.A. / B.Sc. stream:

Honours subject-wise seats & the corresponding combination of Generic Elective subjects

Seat Matrix

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)							
HONOURS SUBJECTS	No. of Seats						GENERIC ELECTIVE SUBJECTS (Choose any two) *
	General	SC	ST	OBC-A	OBC-B	Total	
1. BENGALI	21	8	2	4	3	38	a) SANSKRIT b) PHILOSOPHY or POLITICAL SCIENCE or PSYCHOLOGY c) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES
2. ENGLISH	25	10	3	5	3	46	a) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES b) PHILOSOPHY or PSYCHOLOGY or POLITICAL SCIENCE
3. HISTORY	21	8	2	4	3	38	a) ENGLISH or BENGALI or HINDI or SANSKRIT b) POLITICAL SCIENCE or PHILOSOPHY
4. PHILOSOPHY	21	8	2	4	3	38	a) ENGLISH or BENGALI or HINDI or SANSKRIT b) POLITICAL SCIENCE c) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES
5. POLITICAL SCIENCE	21	8	2	4	3	38	a) ENGLISH or BENGALI or HINDI b) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES c) PHILOSOPHY or ECONOMICS
6. SANSKRIT	22	9	2	4	3	40	a) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES b) BENGALI c) PHILOSOPHY or POLITICAL SCIENCE
7. HINDI	12	4	1	2	1	20	a) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES b) PHILOSOPHY or PSYCHOLOGY or POLITICAL SCIENCE c) ENGLISH
8. PSYCHOLOGY (B.A.)	12	4	1	2	1	20	a) ENGLISH or BENGALI or HINDI or SANSKRIT b) HISTORY or WOMEN'S STUDIES

Bachelor of Science (Honours)							
HONOURS SUBJECTS	No. of Seats						GENERIC ELECTIVE SUBJECTS
	General	SC	ST	OBC-A	OBC-B	Total	
1. BOTANY	19	8	2	4	3	36	(a) CHEMISTRY (b) ZOOLOGY.

2. CHEMISTRY	21	8	2	4	3	38	(a) MATHEMATICS (b) PHYSICS
3. COMPUTER SCIENCE	13	5	1	2	2	23	(a) MATHEMATICS (b) PHYSICS/ STATISTICS
4. ECONOMICS	19	8	2	4	3	36	(a) MATHEMATICS (b) POLITICAL SCIENCE/ STATISTICS/ COMPUTER SCIENCE
5. MATHEMATICS	19	8	2	4	3	36	(a) PHYSICS (b) CHEMISTRY/ COMPUTER SCIENCE/ STATISTICS
6. PHYSICS	19	8	2	4	3	36	(a) MATHEMATICS (b) CHEMISTRY/ COMPUTER SCIENCE/ STATISTICS
7. ZOOLOGY	19	8	2	4	3	36	(a) CHEMISTRY (b) BOTANY
8. PSYCHOLOGY (B.Sc.)	12	4	1	2	1	20	(a) ZOOLOGY and BOTANY OR (b) HISTORY/ WOMEN'S STUDIES and ECONOMICS/ STATISTICS
9. STATISTICS	10	4	1	2	1	18	(a) MATHEMATICS (b) COMPUTER SCIENCE/ ECONOMICS/ PHYSICS

Reserved Seat for PWD candidates : In English Honours – 2 seats (1 from General Category and 1 from SC Category). In all other subjects – 1 seat from All Category

Some special criteria :

- To take STATISTICS as a Generic Elective subject a candidate must secure at least 70% marks in Mathematics at 10+2 level.
- To take ENGLISH as a Generic Elective subject a candidate must secure at least 60% marks in English at 10+2 level.
- If a candidate wish to take COMPUTER SCIENCE as a Generic Elective subject she must pass in Mathematics and Physics/Statistics/Computer Science at 10+2 level.

Minimum Eligibility Criteria and Formula for INDEX MARKS calculation:

For GENERAL Category students				
HONOURS SUBJECT	Subject(s) Required at 12 th level	Minimum Eligibility		Formula for INDEX MARK
		Aggregate	Subject Marks	
Bengali	Bengali, English	55%	Bengali - 60% English - 50%	Aggregate(%) + 2×Bengali(%)
English	English	75%	English – 85%	Aggregate(%) + 2×English(%)
History	English	50%	English - 50%	Aggregate (%) + Bengali/ English (%) (whichever is higher)

Philosophy	English, Philosophy / Psychology/ Political Science/ Sociology/ Mathematics/ Education	50%	Philosophy/Psychology / Political Science/ Sociology/ Mathematics/ Education – 55% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Philosophy/Psychology/ Political Science/ Sociology/ Mathematics/ Education (%) (whichever is higher)
Political Science	English	50%	English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Bengali/ English (%) (whichever is higher)
Psychology	English	60%	English – 60%	Aggregate (%) + 2 x English (%)
Sanskrit	Sanskrit, English, Bengali	50%	Bengali – 55% English – 50 %	Aggregate (%) + Sanskrit (%)
Hindi	Hindi, English	50%	Hindi – 50% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Hindi (%)
Botany	Botany / Biology, Chemistry & English	60%	Botany / Biology – 65% Chemistry – 55% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + 2 x Botany / Biology (%) (whichever is higher) + Chemistry (%)
Chemistry	Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics & English	60%	Chemistry – 65% Mathematics – 60% Physics – 50% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Chemistry (%) + Physics (%) + Mathematics (%)
Computer Science	Mathematics, Physics/ Comp. Sc./ Statistics & English	60%	Physics/ Computer Science/ Statistics – 60% Mathematics – 60% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Mathematics (%)
Economics	Mathematics & English	60%	Mathematics – 65% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + 2 x Mathematics (%) + 2 x English (%)
Mathematics	Mathematics, Physics & English	60%	Mathematics – 65% English - 50%	Aggregate (%) + 2 x Mathematics (%)
Physics	Physics, Mathematics & English	60%	Physics – 65% Mathematics – 60% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + Physics (%) + Mathematics (%)
Zoology	Zoology / Biology, Chemistry & English	60%	Zoology/Biology – 65% Chemistry – 55% English – 50%	Aggregate (%) + 2 x Zoology / Biology (%) (whichever is higher) + Chemistry (%)
Statistics	Mathematics, English	60%	Mathematics – 65% English - 50%	Aggregate (%) + Mathematics (%)
For SC, ST, OBC-A and OBC-B Category				
All Honours Subjects	Same as above.	40% marks in aggregate or 40% marks in the subject or related subject.		Index marks formula is same as mentioned above for each subject

The College reserves the right to modify the above criteria as and when necessary. Please follow the website regularly for updated information.

Special condition (as per Admission and Examination Regulations (CSR/3/18 dated 07.05.2018) of the University of Calcutta) which is applicable to all categories of applicants :

A candidate shall be allowed to take up the subject under heading “A” if she had passed the subject(s) under heading “B” at the previous qualifying examination.

A	B
Mathematics	Mathematics/Business Mathematics
Statistics	Statistics/Business Mathematics/Mathematics
Physics	Physics and Mathematics
Chemistry	Chemistry
Botany	Biology/Botany/Bio-Technology
Zoology	Biology/Zoology/Bio-Technology
Computer Science	Mathematics and any one of Physics/Statistics/Computer Science

Fees to be paid at the time of Admission (including 4 months Tuition Fee) :

B.A. (Hons.)	Rs. 1881.00 (except Psychology as Hons. or Generic Elective subject)	Rs. 1896.00 (with Psychology as Hons. or Generic Elective subject)
B.Sc. (Hons.)	Rs. 2071.00 (Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Psychology (B.Sc.), Mathematics, Computer Science, Statistics & Economics Honours)	

CERTIFICATE COURSES :

1) DIPLOMA IN COMPUTER APPLICATION

A 2 year DIPLOMA in COMPUTER APPLICATION is conducted by WEBEL INFORMATICS LIMITED – A Govt. of West Bengal Undertaking for all newly admitted students (classes held according to routine within college hours). **All students are advised to take admission in this course.** A course fee of Rs.1200/- per annum (Rs. 2400/- for the entire course) is charged for the course.

2) ETHICS AND VALUE EDUCATION

A compulsory 30 hours certificate course on ETHICS AND VALUE EDUCATION is conducted for all students of 1st and 2nd semester. The objective of this course is to create awareness, conviction and commitment of the students to social and moral values for improving the quality of life. A certificate is awarded to the students on completion of the course. A nominal course fee of Rs. 100/- is charged for this course.

3) CERTIFICATE COURSE ON “BANGLAR BRATOCHARI” has been started from 2021. Students can join the course with a nominal fee of Rs.100/- per year.

Some important College Rules :

- 1) The College strictly abides by the attendance norms of the University of Calcutta as follows :
- 2) End Semester Examinations will be held for 80% of the total marks in each paper and Internal Assessment shall be for 20% of the total marks of each paper/subject/module. 50% of the total marks assigned to Internal Assessment (i.e., 10 marks for a full paper of 100 or 5 marks for a Module of 50, as the case may be) will be assessed on the basis of Internal Examination and remaining 50% will be assessed based on the class attendance (No marks for below 60% attendance, 6 marks for attending 60% or above but less than 75% of the number of lectures delivered; 8 marks for attending 75% or above but less than 90% of the number of lectures delivered; and 10 marks for attending 90% or above of lectures delivered and such attendance will be calculated from the date of commencement of classes or date of admission whichever is later).

Students with attendance below 60% cumulatively in all courses in a semester are not eligible to appear in that end Semester Examination.

- 3) It is mandatory to attend online classes whenever arranged by the departments due to various reasons.
- 4) If a student remains absent continuously for more than ten days without a valid reason and without prior permission or intimation her name may be struck off from the college register.
- 5) Parents/Guardians are expected to attend Parent-Teacher Meetings arranged by the Department/College time to time.
- 6) Students of Botany and Zoology Honours are required to participate in compulsory excursion as per University curriculum.
- 7) Every student must carry her Identity card (to be issued after admission) inside the college campus. Loss of identity card should be immediately reported to the authority.
- 8) Students are not allowed to use MOBILE PHONES during Class Lecture and Practical Classes.
- 9) Students are expected to show polite and respectful behavior to the teachers, non-teaching staff and fellow students.
- 10) Students are expected to be decently dressed within the College campus.
- 11) College property, furniture, laboratory equipment, glassware, library books etc. must be handled with utmost care.
- 12) Students are required to check the Departmental & Students' Notice Board, and College Website regularly.
- 13) **RAGGING in any form is a punishable offence. Any incidence of RAGGING should be immediately brought to the notice of the Authority.**

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