

Celebration of Sesquicentennial Birth Anniversary of Sister Nivedita

BETHUNE COLLEGE

181, Bidhan Sarani, Kolkata-700006

Inter-college Debate, Essay & Poster Competition, 2016-17

All the UG students are cordially invited to participate.

General Guidelines

- **No entry fee for the competition.**
- **Eligibility :** All bonafide UG regular students of colleges / universities / IITs and (10+2) school students are eligible. More than one student can participate from each college/school.
- The decisions of the judges will be final.
- The details, rules etc. are subject to change.

Guidelines for Inter-college Debate Competition

- **Motion:** “*India is yet to fulfill Sister Nivedita’s vision of independence*”
- **Date:** 20th December, 2016 **Time:** 12.30 p.m. **Venue:** Bethune College
- Last date of entry: **18th December, 2016** through Email: studentsactivitycell.bethune@gmail.com
- The **medium** for the Debate competition would be either **English** or **Bengali**.
- Teams should comprise of **two** members (from the same college).
- One member of each team must speak 'For' the motion, while the other must speak 'Against'.
- Speakers will be allowed 3 minutes to present their argument. After all the speakers have presented their respective arguments, participants will be allowed 2 minutes for a rebuttal.
- More than one team can participate from a college.
- All participants must report 30 minutes before the commencement of the event. Late comers will be disqualified.
- Each team should bring with them a **forwarding letter from the Principal / Head of the Institution / Teacher-in-Charge, Student Affairs / H.O.D / Teachers Council Secretary**.
- A proforma of the forwarding letter is attached herewith.

Guidelines for Inter-college Essay Competition

- **Topic** : “*Nivedita and the youth of India: Then and Now*”
- Participants may write in either English OR Bengali OR Hindi.
- **Word limit** :1000- 1500 words
- More than one student can participate from a college.
- The essay must be submitted in **hard copy** at the desk in **Bethune College office** along with a **forwarding letter from the Principal / Head of the Institution / Teacher-in-Charge, Student Affairs / H.O.D / Teachers Council Secretary.**
- A proforma of the forwarding letter is attached herewith.
- Date of Submission: **7th January, 2017** between **12 noon to 4 pm**

Guidelines for Inter-college Poster Competition

- **Topic**: ‘Nivedita: Faces and Facets’
 - **Size of poster**: 24 × 36 inches
 - More than one student can participate from a college.
 - The poster must be submitted in **hard copy** at the desk in **Bethune College office** along with a **forwarding letter from the Principal / Head of the Institution / Teacher-in-Charge, Student Affairs / H.O.D / Teachers Council Secretary.**
 - A proforma of the forwarding letter is attached herewith.
 - Date of Submission: **7th January, 2017** between **12 noon to 4 pm**
- ✓ Website for all relevant information regarding the Inter-college Competition:
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All the participants should bring their College/School Identity cards with them on the day of the competition.