

Departmental Profile

# DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

SIKKIM GOVERNMENT COLLEGE, KAMRANG, NAMCHI - 737126

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## **VISION**

- ❑ To emerge as a center of excellence in English studies, promoting lifelong learning and personal growth.
- ❑ To create a dynamic learning environment that reflects the diversity of languages, cultures, and perspectives.
- ❑ To engage with the local community through literary events, workshops, and outreach programs.

## **MISSION**

- ❑ To provide students with a comprehensive education in English language, literature, and culture.
- ❑ To cultivate critical thinking, analytical skills, and effective communication.
- ❑ To inspire creativity, imagination, and intellectual curiosity. To prepare students for careers in teaching, writing, journalism, and beyond.



# FACULTY MEMBERS OF THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT



**Dr. Laxmi Rai**  
Assistant Professor,  
HOD, English Department



**Mr. Yon Tshering Lepcha**  
Assistant Professor, English  
Department



**Dr. Yashoda Pradhan**  
Assistant Professor, English  
Department



**Ms. Simran Hangma Subba**  
Assistant Professor, English  
Department



## FACULTY MEMBERS QUALIFICATION, EXPERIENCE AND PARTICIPATION.

NAME	QUALIFICATION	EXPERIENCE	PARTICIPATION
DR. LAXMI RAI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; M.A. FROM PUNE UNIVERSITY</li> <li>&gt; M.PHIL.FROM MADHURAI KAMRAJ UNIVRSITY</li> <li>&gt; P. HD FROM NIT UNIVERSITY</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; SHE HAS 24 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; HAS BEEN A PART OF PAPER SETTING AND EVALUATION, AND ACTIVE MEMBER IN ADMISSION COMMITTEE, EXAM COMMITTEE ETC AND ALSO ATTENDED MANY SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS.</li> </ul>
MR.YON TSHERING LEPCHA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; M.A FROM HNB GARHWAL UNIVERSITY UTTARKHAND.</li> <li>&gt; M.PHIL FROM MADHURAI KAMRAJ UNIVERSITY.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; HE HAS 19 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; HAS BEEN A PART OF PAPER SETTING, MODERATION AND EVALUATION, AND ACTIVE MEMBER IN ADMISSION COMMITTEE ETC. HE HAS ATTENDED MANY SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS.</li> </ul>
DR. YASHODA PRADHAN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; SLET</li> <li>&gt; M.A FROM HNB GARHWAL UNIVERSITY</li> <li>&gt; PH. D FROM HNB GARHWAL UNIVERSITY</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; SHE HAS MORE THAN 9 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; HAS BEEN A PART OF MANY SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS.</li> </ul>
MS. SIMRAN HANGMA SUBBA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; M.A FROM SIKKIM UNIVERSITY</li> <li>&gt; NET</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; SHE HAS 6 MONTHS OF EXPERIENCE.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>&gt; HAS BEEN A PART OF MANY SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS.</li> </ul>



# INTRODUCTION

The Department of English at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, is a vibrant and dynamic hub of literary and linguistic exploration. With a commitment to academic excellence, critical thinking, and creative expression, we foster a community of scholars, thinkers, and writers.



Link for Departmental QR Wall Magazine

<https://sgcnamchi.com/wp-content/uploads/2025/01/ENGLISH.pdf>



## HISTORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

- ❑ The English Department made a humble beginning in the year 1995 during the initial phase i.e. the year 2000, the faculty members were Ms. Patsy Shanker and Dr. Sarita Sharma.
- ❑ At the end of the year 2000, Dr. Laxmi Rai joined the Department, in 2001 Mr. Uttam Kumar Upadhaya became a part of the department.
- ❑ Department was headed by Dr. Laxmi Rai and Mr. D.K Rai as a part time faculty in 2004, Mr B.C Rai also joined as part time faculty member.
- ❑ In 2008 Dr. Laxmi Rai, Mr. Uttam Kumar Upadhaya Ms. Norbu Doma Bhutia, Mr. Yon Tshering lepcha, Mr. Manoj Bhagat , Ms. Jyoti Chettri and Ms. Pavitra Sharma were the faculty members.
- ❑ In 2018 Mr. Tshering Namgyal Bhutia became the head of the department. In 2023 Dr. Laxmi Rai became the head of the department.



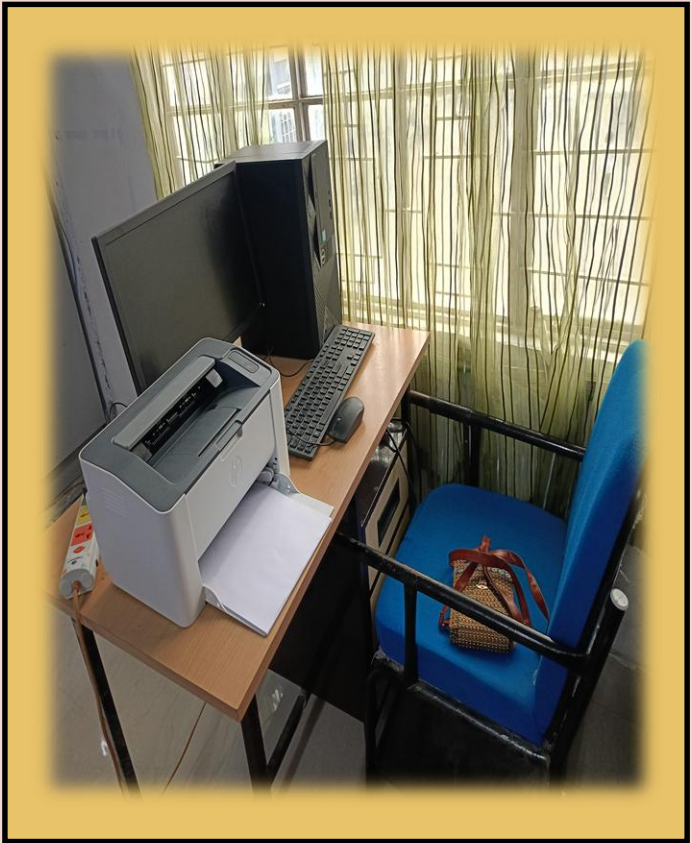
## SYLLABUS (UG)

### BA HONOURS IN ENGLISH

Semester	Paper Code No	Papers	Credits	Marks
I	ENG-UG-E101	History of English Literature	4	100
II	ENG -UG- E201	Rhetoric & Prosody and the Literary Forms	4	100
III	ENG -UG- E301	Indian Writing in English	4	100
IV	ENG -UG- C401	Renaissance to Restoration	4	100
	ENG -UG- C402	Augustan to Romantic	4	100
V	ENG -UG- C501	Victorian and Modern Literature	4	100
	ENG -UG- C502	Literary Criticism	4	100
VI	ENG -UG- C601	Writings in English from Northeast India	4	100
	ENG -UG- C602	Texts of Popular Culture <b>(Option A)</b>	4	100
	ENG -UG- C603	American Literature <b>(Option B)</b>	4	100
	ENG -UG- C604	South Asian Literature in English and in English Translation <b>(Option C)</b>	4	100
	ENG -UG- C605	World Literature <b>(Option D)</b>	4	100
	ENG -UG- C606	Introduction to Mass Communication and Media Studies <b>(Option E)</b>	4	100
		Compulsory English	4	100



# ENGLISH DEPARTMENT



Department of English, Sikkim Government College, Namchi

## Classroom of the English Department





## ENGLISH COURSE (UG) ENROLMENT STATISTICS

**2019**

**B.A (696)  
B.COM (156)  
B.SC (168)  
TOTAL = 1020**

**2020**

**COMPULSARY (668)  
II SEM (152)  
IV SEM (66)  
VI SEM (82)  
TOTAL = 968**

**2022**

**II SEM (354)  
COMPULSARY (700)  
VI SEM (71)  
TOTAL = 1125**

**2023**

**IV SEM HONS (62)  
COMPULSARY B.SC (170)  
VI SEM (61)  
B.A COMPULSARY (606)  
TOTAL = 889**

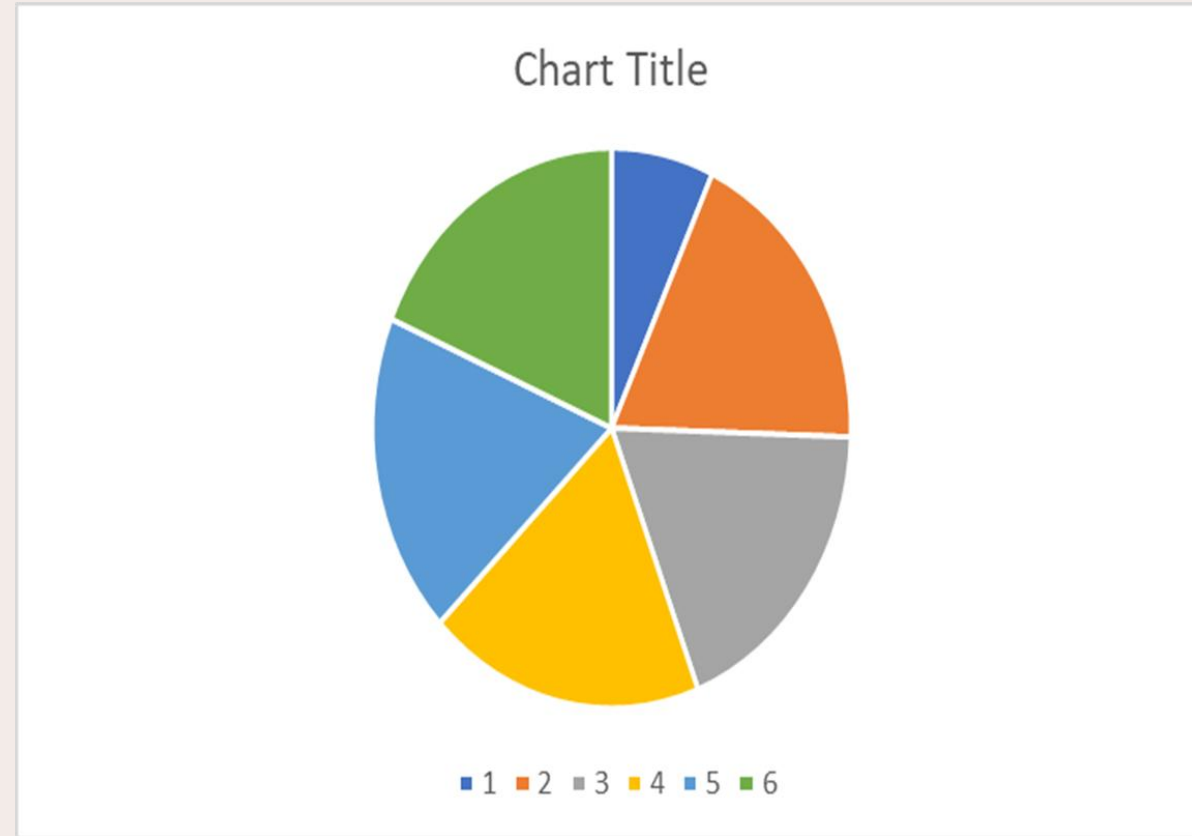
**2024**

**B.SC COMPULSARY (123)  
B.A COMPULSARY (1370)  
ENGLISH HONS. (95)  
TOTAL = 1588**



- 1.2016-2019 – 37 passed 82%  
48 appeared
- 2.2017-2020 – 16 passed 100%  
16 appeared
- 3.2018-2021 – 53 passed 100%  
53 appeared
- 4.2019-2022 – 51 passed 100%  
51 appeared
- 5.2020-2023 – 53 passed 100%  
53 appeared
- 6.2021-2024 – 71 passed 100%  
71 appeared

### Final Year students result details (2019-2024)



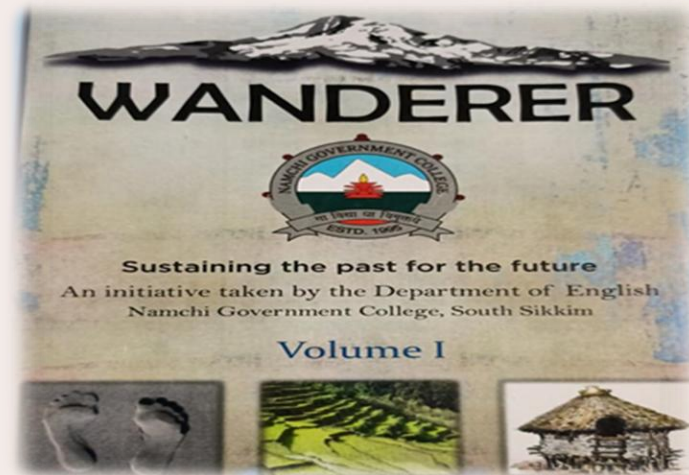
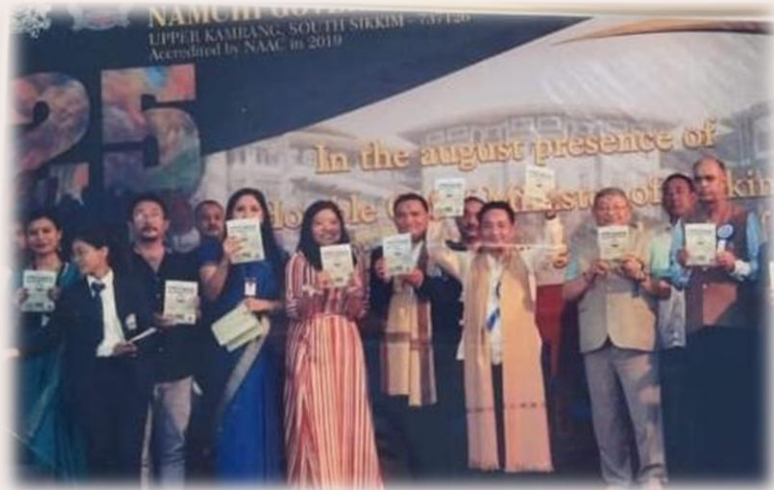


## MAJOR INITIATIVES OF THE DEPARTMENT AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

- ❑ Release of travelogues 1 an initiative of the department of English by hon'ble chief minister of Sikkim Prem Singh Tamang (Golay).
- ❑ In Be Creative Open Mic competition, list of the performers are Adarsh Rumba, Kritika Sharma, Mela Nirola, Pujan Rai, and so on. Special guest for this event was Mr. Pujan Puniani.
- ❑ Ms. Renuka Limboo, Ms. Sulochana Limboo and Ms. Reetika Chettri were young achievers for publicity secretary "VOICE" Sikkim, Taekwondo Athlete, Sikkim, and Miss Sikkim 2019, Femina Miss India Sikkim, 2020, respectively.
- ❑ 2022 Batch students have participated in team Shakespeare's drama Othello.
- ❑ The event Know Your Authors ended well, with the characters of Shakespeare's Othello at Sikkim Government College, Namchi.



- Students of English Department 6 semester visited two schools Mickkhola Secondary school and Government Secondary School Kamrang and their sole purpose was to have a fruitful interaction with the students.**
- Presentation on the outcome of the interaction with the students was presented by the students of English Department under the supervision of Dr. Laxmi Rai.**
- English Department showcased Shakespeare's "Hamlet" by adopting Bollywood style of music and dance on the occasion of college fest 2024. Presentation on Eco-Friendly Garden by students of Department of English (VI semester).**



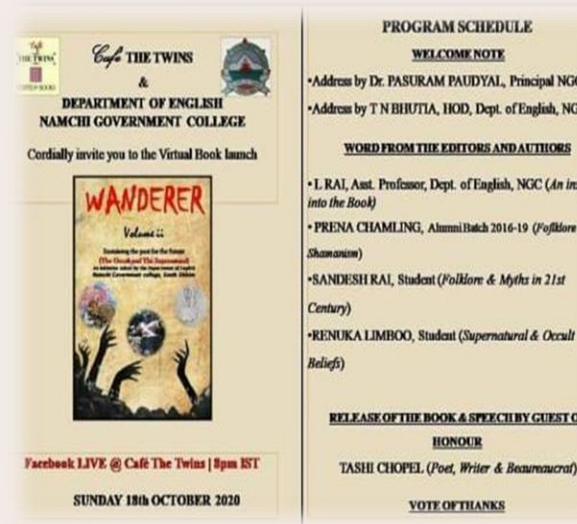
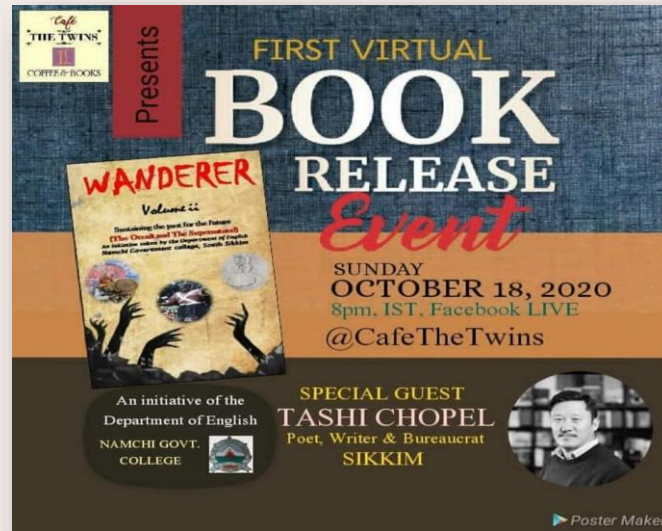
**Release of travelogues 1 an initiative of the Department of English by Shri Prem Singh Tamang (Golay), Hon'ble Chief Minister of Sikkim.**

## ❖ Release date

18<sup>th</sup> October 2020

## ❖ Event details

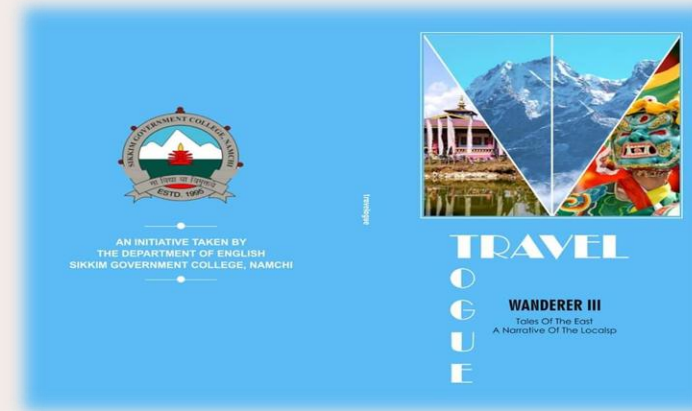
Virtual book launch at Café the Twins 'Facebook page' live from 8 pm onwards.



## ❖ Book Review

“Wanderer” (Volume 2) a collection of short stories exploring supernatural and occult beliefs, related by young writers from orally collected folktales.

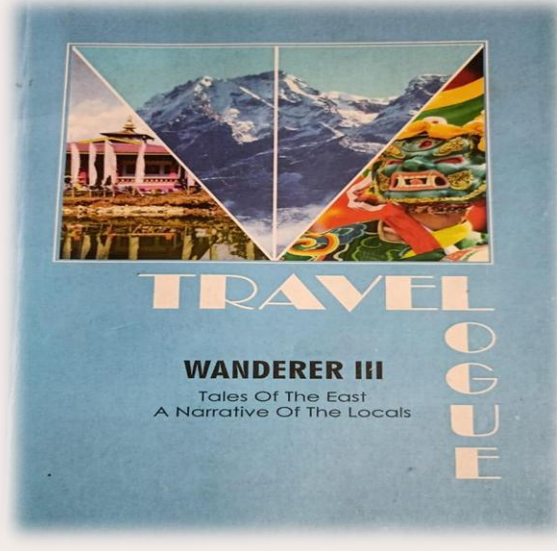
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## OFFICIAL RELEASE OF TRAVELOGUES III

**Wanderer- III, a collection of travelogues was officially launched on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2022 at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, The authors Present during the launch were “Satyadeep Chettri” author of “Gorkhaland Diaries”, “Pankaj Giri” author of “The fragile thread of hope”.**

- Namo Dixit, Senior Journalist, Sikkim Express presided the occasion as the Chief guest.**



### Launch of Wanderer-III Travelogue

- ❑ Wanderer-III, a collection of Travelogue, was officially launched on 25th July 2022 at Sikkim Government College, Namchi.
- ❑ The Travelogue is an initiative of the Department of English, Sikkim Government College, Namchi.



- ❑ The Travelogue is an initiative of the Department of English, Sikkim Government College, Namchi.

### About the Collection

- ❑ All contributions and editors of the book are students pursuing English Honours.
- ❑ This follows the successful publication of Travelogue I and II by the Department.

### Book Launch Event

- ❑ The book launch was part of "The Muse- Unleashing Creativity" event organized by the English Department.

### Guests and Dignitaries

- ❑ Authors Satyadeep Chettri ("Gorkhaland Diaries") and Pankaj Giri ("The Fragile Thread of Hope") attended the launch.
- ❑ Namu Dixit, Senior Journalist, Sikkim Express, presided over the occasion as the chief guest.



**Othello Date: July 25, 2022**

**Venue: SGC Namchi Auditorium Hall**

**Event highlights:**

- Showcase of students' theatrical talents through Shakespeare's classic tragedy.
- Original poetry recitations by students on various themes- Insights from local writers on creative writing, literature, and more.
- Opportunity for students to engage with published authors and journalists - pankaj girt, Satyadeep Chettri and Namu Dixit.





**Release of Travelogues IV, original tales from the region  
by Shri. Bhojraj Rai Member of Legislative Assembly on the occasion  
Of College Fest "YUVAAN" 2024**



# ECO-FRIENDLY GARDEN



**Date: April 16, 2024**  
**Event: Presentation  
on Eco-Friendly  
Garden**

**Presenters: VI  
semester students,  
Department of  
English**

**Supervisor: Dr.  
Laxmi Rai, Head of  
Department**



## Deptt of English gives Namchi College the theatre experience



**BIKASH CHETTRI**  
NAMCHI, 09 MAY: The Department of English at Sikkim Government College, Namchi, launched its theatre group, "Theatron", today with a set of five group performances at the college auditorium. The groups, divided from A to F, enacted snippets from plays they are studying as part of their syllabus. Group A starting things off with a performance of "My Fair Lady" by Allen Jay

Lerner. Groups B and F collaborated to perform a section from "Animal Farm" by George Orwell while Group C presented Shakespeare's "Romeo & Juliet." Groups D and E brought things to a close with performances from Jane Austen's "Pride and Prejudice," and Shakespeare's "Macbeth" respectively. Principal, Dr Deepak Tiwari, was in the audience and applauded the initiative. Earlier, the Head of the En-

glish Department, Dr Laxmi Rai, introduced the idea behind theatre group and spoke about how theatre and literature embellished each other. "Theatron" plans to stage one play every month and also include street performances in its repertoire. President, Students Representative Council of the College, Pragyandeep Gurung, congratulated the English Department and applauded the HoD for her efforts.

## Namchi college's English dept starts theatre

**NAMO DIXIT**

**NAMCHI, May 9:** The English department of Sikkim Government College, Namchi today inaugurated departmental theatre titled "Theatron". The launching event was held in the college auditorium hall.

The programme commenced with lighting of lamp followed by address of principal Dr. Deepak Tiwari. In his address, the principal emphasised the importance of initiating such creative endeavours and its continuity in days to come.

The opening ceremony witnessed dance and poem recitation by students Belima Rai and Isnika Guzung of English department. The head of English department, Dr.



Laxmi Rai, mentioned theatres as an indispensable part of literature and she wished to make good use of it. Dr. Laxmi Rai explained theatre as a medium to connect with the society by taking it to streets from the

four walls of college, and gradually to marketplaces and villages to create awareness on burning issues of our society. She added that the plays and acts will be staged in vernacular, Hindi and English language.

The main highlight of the event was a series of dramatic performances by the 6th semester English honours students. Students were divided into five groups with each group performing a play from the English literature.

**On 9.5.2024**

**The English Department of Sikkim Government College Namchi launched the departmental Theatre titled "Theatron"**

**Where the students of VI semester performed on the stage**



**Theatre Room decorated  
through the best use of waste materials**

**The students of the department  
Created a stunning space from  
Upcycled props to eco friendly lighting**



**Department of English,  
Sikkim Government  
College, Namchi**





**Research Scholars of the Department**



**Research Corner**

**Three Research Scholars from the department Ningma Tshering Lama, Karma Bhutia, Dngsthen Bhutia are working for Travelogues V which will be a study on the Shamans of Sikkim, a research corner is created within the department to engage the scholars in Research**



**“The HOD of the Dept. Dr. Laxmi Rai giving an insightful presentation on the Topic understanding the fundamentals of writing a research paper”**





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**Students of the English  
Department (V semester)  
reviewing articles from news  
papers and reading the news  
15 minutes before the class  
everyday**

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**DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARY**

## **"A MOMENT TO READ"**

**The students of the department  
devotees one hour everyday in reading and  
writing down the meaning of difficult words  
in the mini diaries**





Sl. No.	NAME	SEMESTER	BOOK AND AUTHOR	DATE OF ISSUE	DATE OF RETURN	SIGNATURE
01	ARICHA RAI	V	Learning with ENGLISH -	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Shikha Rai
02	UTKAL	V	SEPTEMBER -	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Utkal Saha
03	ARCHANA	V	A HISTORY OF	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Archana Rai
04	SAHARAJI RAI	V	ENGLISH LITERATURE - WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Saharaji Rai
05	KAUSHI	V	HAZARD AHEAD -	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Kaushi Rai
06	PRAYUKA	V	STORIES IN PANTS - JOHN LEWIS	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Prayuka Rai
07	DASHRAT	V	EMILY BRONTE - ANNE MARY MILNE	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Dashrat Rai
08	NIKHELA TAMANG	V	JANUARY -	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Nikhele Tamang
09	PRITIKA	V	MACBETH - WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Pritika Rai
10	NIKHAJ RAI	V	UNTOUCHABLE - MUKHARAJAN	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Nikhaj Rai
11	SAUNDHYA	V	ANIMAL FABLES	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Saundhya Rai
12	PROVISHA TAMANG	V	HEROES IN THE -	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Provisha Tamang
13	DIKHA RAI	V	PROSE AND POETRY - JANE AUSTEN	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Dikha Rai
14	APARNA	V	THE SACRIFICE OF ARTS - R. NARAYAN	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Aparna Rai
15	LACHENLEPCHA	V	MACBETH - WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Lachen Lepcha
16	SANJU GUNING	V	BOOTS AND CAND - JANE AUSTEN	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Sanju Guning
17	SUDESHNA RAI	V	SILENCE	03-10-2024	04-10-2024	Sudeshna Rai

**Borrowing and Record keeping Register of Departmental Library**

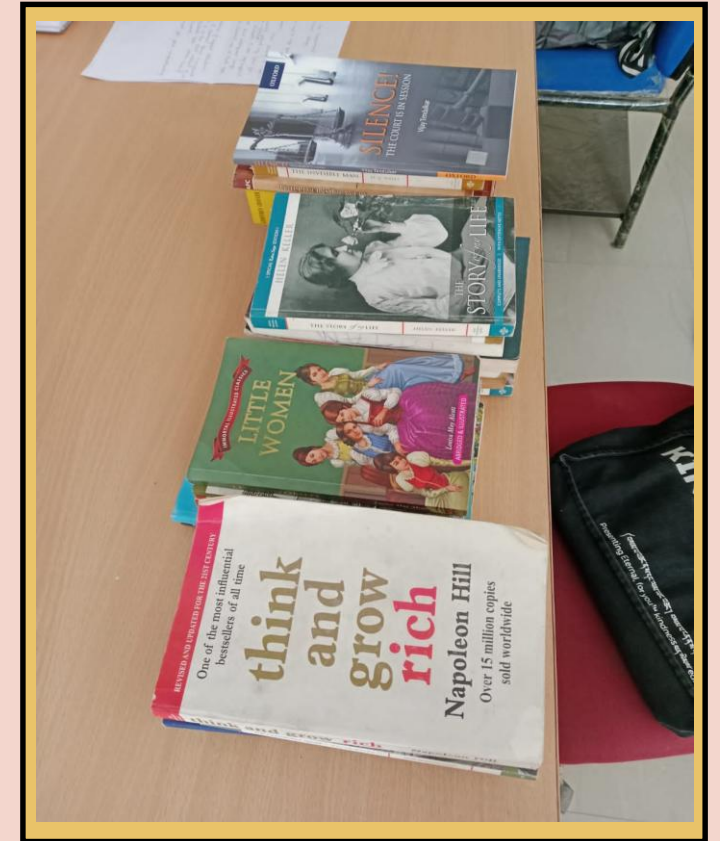


**Students borrowing books from the departmental library**





# Books donated by the students of the Vth sem English honours for the departmental library





## Maintenance of the Departmental Garden on a regular basis by devoting ten minutes each day before class





## Plantation Drive on the Occasion of World Environment Day





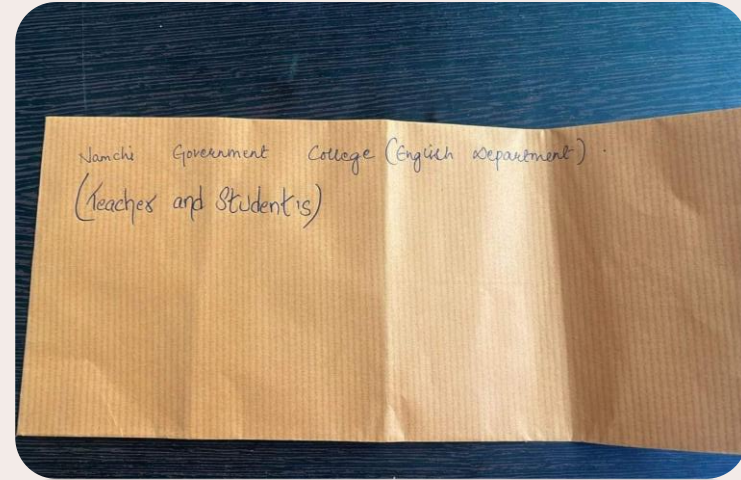
**Cleaning of the Classroom by students of the English Department ten minutes on a regular basis before class.**



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**Students of the Dept are taught the values of belongingness and integrity as money is collected and given as condolence to students who pass away**

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- ❖ Jerseys
  - ❖ Departmental T-Shirts
  - ❖ Costumes
  - ❖ Departmental Cupboards, purchased after the sale of the Travelogues
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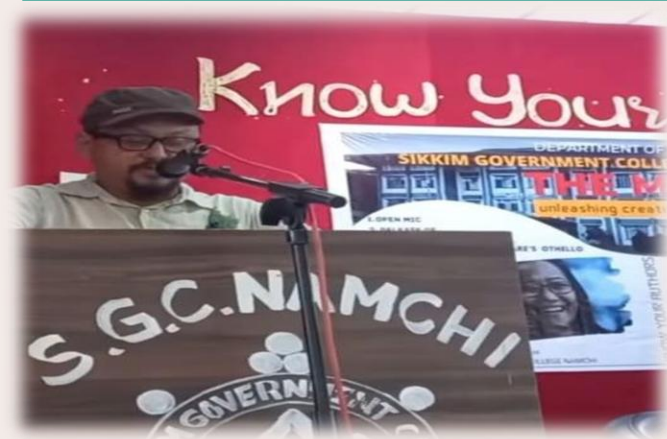


Enactment of  
Shakespeare's  
"Macbeth"  
at the official release of  
Travelogue I





ENACTMENT OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE'S "OTHELLO" AT THE OFFICIAL RELEASE OF TRAVELOGUES III





## Enactment of Shakespeare's "Hamlet" at the Release of Travelogues IV





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## The Departmental Choir Group



- ❖ **The Department has Initiated the practice of weekly test after the completion of a topic.**
- ❖ **Students acquiring less marks are encouraged to appear for a Re-Test after their usual classes as a remedial measure**

# Students dramatic performances based on text from their Syllabus





# Maintenance of the Departmental Notice Board on a regular basis





**IN COLLABORATION WITH THE BOOK CAFÉ (CAFÉ THE TWINS) MOU HAS BEEN SIGNED TO CONDUCT LITERARY ACTIVITIES**



A poem titled 'Test of Time' by Sandesh Rai which beautifully weaves shades of optimism amidst trials of life.



A poem by Renuka Limboo titled the "Undying flowers" immersed in her love for her grand Parents.



On the Occasion of World Poetry Day which is celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> march every year student Isnika Gurung of IV sem English Honours recited a poem in nepali Titled "ढोका को कथा"





*Be CreARtIve*  
**Open Mic**  
CHAPTER 2

**List of Performers**

Adarsh Rumba	Sagar Basisth
Kritika Sharma	Lubina Kritika
Mala Nirola	Raju Poakhrel
Mercy Grace Rai	Pujan Rai
Nawang Lama	Yogesh Sharma
Prashanna Chettri	Pankaj Shastri
Renuka Limboo	
Sandesh Rai	
Sidhant Lama	
Sonam Palzor Tamang	
Sourav Tamang	
Susant Moktan	
Yangrimo Lama	
Yumita Rai	

**Special Guest :**  
Mr. Raja Puniani

Videography: **NS**  
Media Partner: **PUBLI NAMA**

**24.01.2021**  
**Café The Twins**

**Sharing the list of performances for the Open Mic “Be Creative” Chapter 2 organized by our bookcafe in Association with Poeti – Kosh.**



**YOUNG ACHIEVERS**

**RENUKA LIMBOO**  
Publicity Secretary  
"VOICE", Sikkim

**SULOCHANA LIMBOO**  
Taekwondo Athlete  
Sikkim

**REETIKA CHETTRI**  
Miss Sikkim 2019  
Femina Miss India Sikkim  
2020

**FEMININE ECHOES**  
Voices That Inspire

**f LIVE**  
@ Café THE TWINS  
July 10, 2021  
6 pm ONWARDS

**Celebrating Young Women achievers from NGC, Namchi  
On 10<sup>th</sup> July 2021  
As three Young achievers share their inspiring journey with us**



**An interactive session with Dr. Gumlat Ong Maio, a writer-cartoonist and author of the novel “Once Upon a Time in College”**

**As a part of the memorandum of understanding between Department of English  
SGC, Namchi and Salbari  
Siliguri based Literary Book Café several literary events were conducted in the  
past 5 years**



S H A H N A Z  
B A S H I R  
  
I N  
**CONVERSATION**  
W I T H

Cafe THE TWINS



**SATURDAY, 13TH NOV**  
**09:30 AM, IST**



**AUTHOR of the novel**  
**Half Mother which won**  
**Muse India Young**  
**Writer Award 2015.**

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Doctoral & Research  
Enhancement & Leadership  
Fellow (REAL) and teaching  
Associate in the  
Department of  
Communication,  
University of  
Massachusetts, Amherst

**An Interactive session with the author Shahnaz Bashir from the department of  
communication University of Massachusetts, Amherst**



**An interactive session with eminent writers from North East India, prescribed in Sikkim University Syllabus for English(hons) in collaboration with the Siliguri based book cafe " Cafe the Twins"**

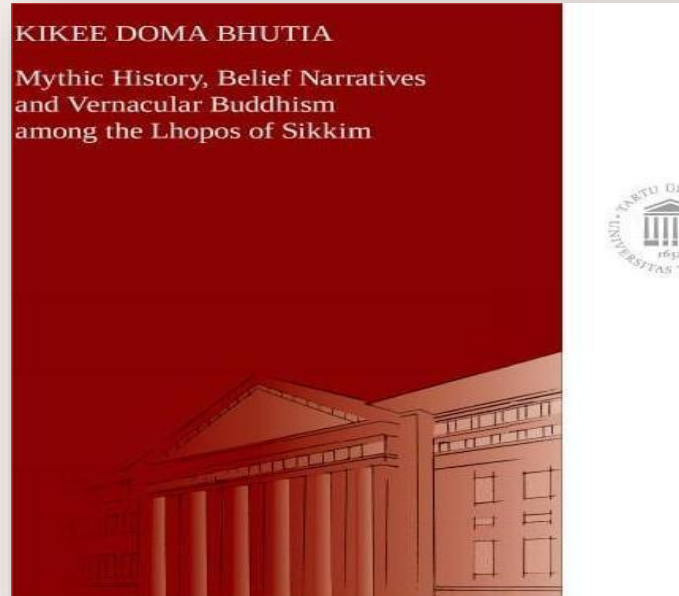


## ACHIEVERS SECTION

**KIKEE DOMA BHUTIA**

Mythic History, Belief Narratives  
and Vernacular Buddhism  
among the Lhopos of Sikkim

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**She was  
awarded  
Ph.d in 2022**

**From the  
University of  
Tartu**

**Kikee Doma Bhutia Ph.D thesis titled “Mystic History, Belief Narratives and Vernacular Buddhism among the Lhopos of Sikkim”**

**She holds a bachelor’s degree from Namchi Government College in English Honors**



## Alumni meet with past pupils of the English department

**Year - 2023**





## **Details of the Research Papers/Books/Chapters in Edited Books/Volumes of the faculty members published in journals**

<b>TITLES OF ARTICLES</b>	<b>NAME OF THE AUTHOR</b>	<b>NAME OF THE TEACHER</b>	<b>NAME OF THE JOURNAL AND PUBLISHER</b>	<b>YEAR OF PUBLICATION/VOLUME NO.</b>	<b>ISSN/ISBN</b>	<b>SCOPUS INDEX</b>
<b><u>From Text to Film: A Comparative Study of Macbeth and Maqbool</u></b>	<b>Laxmi Rai and Dhanaja y tripathi</b>	<b>Laxmi Rai</b>	<b>Cogito</b>	<b>14/01/2022</b>	<b>2068-6706</b>	<b><a href="http://cogito.ucdc.ro/COGITO_MARTIE_2022.Pdf#page135s">http://cogito.ucdc.ro/COGITO_MARTIE_2022.Pdf#page135s</a></b>

## Details of the Research Papers/Articles Published in Conference Proceedings (Online)



TITLE OF ARTICLE	NAME OF AUTHOR	NAME OF TEACHER	NAME OF THE PUBLISHER	YEAR OF PUBLICATION	CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS
Tracing the significance of the Prophecies of the Witches in Shakespeare's Macbeth and the Nepali Shamans in the Perspective of Folklore	Laxmi Rai and Dhananja y Tripathi	Laxmi Rai	4 <sup>th</sup> International Conference on Research in Humanities & Social Sciences. Milan	2021	4 <sup>th</sup> International Conference. Milan <a href="https://www.dpublication.com/wpcontent/uploads/2021/05/381038.pdf">https://www.dpublication.com/wpcontent/uploads/2021/05/381038.pdf</a>
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**1. Invited as a subject expert at Loyola College of education Namchi 2022**

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## WEBINAR ON CLIMATE CHANGE 2<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER 2022





## "WORKSHOP"

**Workshop through storytelling on transformation and the will to change by Resource person  
Lekha Rai Certified Story Teller from Kathalaya International Academy of Story telling**





## STRENGTHS, WEAKNESS AND CHALLENGES

### **STRENGTHS**

**The Students symbolize the Strength of the Department despite being a department with the least number of faculty members the students work hand in hand with the faculties in In-Corporating progressive measures within the College**

### **WEAKNESS**

**Lack of faculty members in catering to the large number of students belonging to the commerce and science courses**

### **CHALLENGES**

**Financial instability in carrying out field based projects**



## FUTURE PLANS

- 1. INSTALLATION OF LANGUAGE LAB**
- 2. COMPLETION OF TRAVELOGUES V IN A BOOK FORM WITH ISBN NUMBER**
- 3. TO INTRODUCE VALUE ADDED COURSE ON FOLKLORE**
- 4. TO ORGANISE STREET PLAYS ON A MONTHLY BASIS AS A PART OF A THEATRE CLUB (THEATRON)**



## **Internal Assessment**

- Internal Exam
- Class test
- Assignments
- Activities
- Open Book test



## Extra efforts being taken for academically weak students

- Retest
- Paper Solving
- Remedial



## Field Work



- ❑ On 23<sup>rd</sup> march the students from the English Department 6<sup>th</sup> semester, visited Sikkim Govt. Secondary School Kamrang.
- ❑ Sole Purpose for the visit was to have a positive interaction with the Students there, specially of class 8 and 9 students.



## Field Work

□ On 30<sup>th</sup> March 2024, another group Of English department was initiated where the students visited mickkhola secondary school.

□ Purpose was to have a fruitful interaction

with the students not only the students but Teachers also showed their interest by participating in their activities.





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## Field visit to 'Ranka Linguistic Library' and 'Namgyal Institute of Tibetology'

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## LEARNING OUTCOMES

**Any written work can be categorized as literature, but the term is sometimes used more precisely to refer to writings that are specifically regarded as works of art, particularly prose fiction, drama, and poetry and includes both print and digital writing. The concept has been broadened in recent decades to include orature, also known as oral literature much of which has been transcribed.**

**The curriculum comprises a wide range of courses both in Indian and English Literature. This course will examine the important literary events in India and throughout the world in detail. Further, it helps us to appreciate and value the legacies of literature both nationally and internationally.**



## **BEST PRACTICE OF THE DEPARTMENT**

**A good practice of the department is related to the above-mentioned initiative of the department. It can be categorized as under:**

- 1) "Universalizing the local by experiencing the aura of British writings through the local landscape.**
- 2) "Relevance to the contemporary era" by using literature as a means to create awareness on social themes e.g. dramatic performances.**

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