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नमो नमः वसन्तदेवि! जगत् वन्दिते! प्रज्जवलित ज्ञानज्योतिसकलजनहिते।।

जो शिक्षा वृक्षावलि तव सुरोपिता, विकसित है वह माँ, अब पुष्पफल युता।।

शिक्षा का पूर्ण रूप जो सिखा दिया, हृत्पट पर वह हमने सब लिखा लिया।।

तव शिक्षा मंदिर की सर्व शिक्षिता, तव आशिष याचत हैं कार्य सफलता।।

गृह प्रसन्न नगर रम्य देश सघन हो, बन्धु भाव बद्ध जगत् शान्ति रसिक हो।।

देह सबल चपल कुशल उच्चभावना, भक्तिमति बुद्धि तीव्र ज्ञान साधना।।

विश्व में ही विश्वनाथ को देखना, जन–हितार्थ जीवन ही धर्म मानना।।

(रचनाकार – श्री एम. जी. कानिटकर)

(राग – जयजयवंती)



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

"The search for truth is true religion, and the man who is seeking truth is the only religious man"

Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat Fort, Varanasi has been one of the oldest institutions of Women's education. Established in the year 1913, enriched with a legacy of more than 110 years. It unfolds a beautiful blend of the traditional and the contemporary. Jiddu Krishnamurti often stated that the purpose of education is to bring about freedom and love, "the flowering of goodness" and the complete transformation of society. The college thrives on it and the eco-friendly campus located on the banks of river Ganga with green campus, enhances a spirit of co-existence which is conducive for holistic development of the students. The college since its inception has been working towards pursuit of knowledge and excellence.

Optimum transparency in faculty appointments, admission of students, upholding merit happens to be the foremost criterion. The work culture in the college/institution is self-motivated. The disciplined atmosphere of the campus is coupled with freedom of thought and expression. The college is known across India for the outstanding student-teacher relationship which is the foundation of learning. Fearlessness, human consciousness, introspection and self-learning act as the core institutional value which makes education inclusive. The students of the college are motivated to usher paradigm change and be integral to a globally connected world and continuously emerge with new ideas to make a difference.

Prof. Alka SinghPrincipal

About the College



Vasanta College for Women is one of the oldest colleges of Varanasi (estd. 1913), admitted to the privileges of Banaras Hindu University and runs under the aegis of Krishnamurti Foundation India, world-renowned foundation devoted to the cause of education. The college is recognized by UGC under section 2(f) and 12B of the UGC Act, 1956. Students from various states like Assam, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Delhi, Himanchal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Ladakh, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha, Rajasthan, Telangana, Uttarakhand and West Bengal, India benefit from the educational facilities provided by the college. The current student strength is more than 3000.

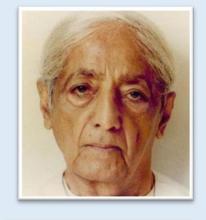
The college incessantly serves the students with knowledge of Arts, Social Sciences, Education, Commerce, Bachelor of Performing Arts and Bachelor of Fine Arts along with proper emphasis on Indian culture and literature. It runs UG Programmes in nineteen (19) subjects and PG Programmes in fifteen (15) subjects as well as Ph.D. Programme. It also offers Certificate/Diploma & Advance Diploma Programmes under UGC Career Oriented Programmes and BHU Special Programme of Studies.

The college solemnizes the confluence of visionary ideals and objectives of Dr. Annie Besant, Shri Jiddu Krishnamurti and Bharat Ratna Pt. Madan Mohan Malviya. Maintaining its rich legacy for more than a hundred years. It provides an opportunity to young women for quality higher education and aims to work for an inclusive society. Vasanta College continues to fulfil the vision of its founder Dr. Annie Besant that reflects the commitment of this Institution towards women education as the cornerstone for making a strong and vibrant India as she envisioned, "Educational advance among women is the only means to social reforms... the treasure of philosophy, literature, science, art must be thrown open to her as to men. ...Women's wisdom as well as men's is needed to dig deeply and build strongly the foundations of the New India." Enabling women to enjoy equal opportunities in professional and public fields, the college envisions women as leaders and aims to nurture educated, confident and empowered women enriched by the love of learning.

The college strives to work in an atmosphere where there is no fear, no authority, only love, affection and a healthy relationship, which is the core of Krishnamurti's philosophy. Jiddu Krishnamurti (11 May 1985-17 February 1986) who is also called 'K' affectionately in campus, is regarded as one of the greatest thinkers of all time. He did not expound any philosophy or religion, rather talked of the things that concern all of us in our everyday lives, of the problems of living in modern society and the need for humankind to free itself from inner burdens of fear, anger, hurt and sorrow. He communicated a deep sense of respect for nature. His teaching, besides being relevant to the modern age, is timeless and universal. Based on J. Krishnamurti's teachings who believes that "Education is freedom from conditioning" (J. Krishnamurti, *The Whole Movement of Life is Learning*), the college remains committed to develop creative and critical thinking, nurturing innovation and excellence through education with a focus on the holistic growth of the students in an environment free from fear. This enables them to deal with life and challenges with confidence and a humanistic approach.

OUR FOUNDERS





Dr. Annie Besant

Sri J. Krishnamurti

Vasanta College for Women was established on 07 July 1913, by Dr. Annie Besant, leading figure of the Indian national movement including Pupul Jayakar, Achyut Patvardhan, S.L. Dhar, and many more. The College celebrated its centenary year in the session 2013-2014. Prof. Hari Gautam, Ex-Chairperson, UGC was the Chief Guest on the occasion.

The College started as the *Theosophical Collegiate School for Boys* and *Theosophical Collegiate School for Girls* in the Theosophical Society campus, Varanasi. The names of both schools were changed in 1917 as *Theosophical National School for Boys and Girls*, *Banaras* on the starting of the Society for Promotion of National Education (SPNE). It was affiliated to National University, Adyar, Chennai. The Girls School became a High School in 1920 and intermediate college in 1922 and was known as *Theosophical National Girls School and Women's College*, *Benares*. Since 1923, the schools and colleges sent pupils to the Allahabad University and later from 1948 to Banaras Hindu University. When Rishi Valley Trust was founded in 1928, these institutions were transferred to it. The Girls College in 1940s came to be known as the *Vasanta College for Women* as a mark of gratitude to Dr. Annie Besant, the founder of the College. The present name of the college was given in 1940 - 1941. The college was running B.A. Programmes and the first batch of eight girls appeared in B.A. examination as regular students for the first time in 1948.

The College was shifted to the present campus of Rajghat on the banks of river Ganga in the year 1954 but the building and the land was purchased in 1928. The building of the College and its sister organizations have architectural features of the British period. The office, study centre and the Sangam House (Principal's residence) were occupied by the British engineers, who constructed the railway bridge (Dufferin Bridge) over Ganga in the year 1897. The geographical location of the college and sister organization at the confluence of river Ganga and Varuna has a unique historical significance. Rajghat happens to be the oldest inhabited place of Varanasi dating since 8th century B.C. The nearby historical sites are the ASI excavated site of Kashi-Rajghat, Lal Khan's Tomb (Medieval Period), Adikeshav Temple and Ghat (one of the site of 1857 revolt) and Chandan Shaheed Mausoleum. The area of Rajghat has an intellectual heritage of its own. Lord Buddha passed through Rajghat crossing river Varuna to reach Sarnath and deliver his first sermon. Secondly, this place was blessed by the philosophical dialogue of Sri J. Krishnamurti, the Socrates of modern times.



VISION

"Educational advancement among women is the only means to social reforms... the treasure of Philosophy, Literature, Science, Art must be thrown open to her as to men... Women's wisdom as well as men's is needed to dig deeply and build strongly the foundations of the New India." - Dr. Annie Besant

The college aims to produce self-confident, reliable, techno-savy, environment sensitive, innovative, socially responsible, research oriented, empowered and ethical women who can contribute for the promotion of dignity, social justice and equality in the society.

MISSION

The College is committed to the holistic growth of the students – academic, mental and physical, social and spiritual.

The college strives to work in an atmosphere where there is no fear, no authority, only love, affection and healthy relationship, which is the core of Krishnamurti's philosophy.

The focus of the college:

- To instill in-depth and rational knowledge of the individual discipline.
- To develop intellectual efficiency through reflective, logical, creative and critical thinking ability.
- To prepare cognitively mature, emotionally strong, empowered, leading and progressive entrepreneurs who are technologically competent and ethically conscious.
- To sensitize ecological consciousness in students so that they are socially responsible and productive, interpersonally skilled, humane and global citizens.

Where there is fear there is obviously no freedom, and without freedom there is no love at all.

-Jiddu Krishnamurti

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Under Graduate Programmes (UG)

The Programmes that are covered under the curriculum of the National Education Policy - 2020: Starting with the 2024-25 academic session the Banaras Hindu University has implemented the National Education Policy 2020 (hereafter referred to as NEP).

S.No.	Programme Code	Name of Programme	Programme Type	Duration of Programme
1.	131	Bachelor of Arts (Hons.)	General Course	4 Year/8 Semester
2.	132	B.A. (Hons.) Social Sciences	General Course	4 Year/8 Semester
3.	133	Bachelor of Commerce (Hons.)	General Course	4 Year/8 Semester
4.	171 & 172	Bachelor of Performing Arts	Professional Course	4 Year/8 Semester
5.	180	Bachelor of Fine Arts	Professional Course	4 Year/8 Semester

The implementation will give the students a lot of flexibility in their choice of Major + Minor courses and shall also offer them vast opportunities to choose from:

- 1. Multidisciplinary Courses (MD)
- 2. Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)
- 3. Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) and
- 4. Value-Added Courses (VAC).
- 1. The candidates at the time of registration shall be required to give their preference for the 'Major' and 'Minor' course only. Other courses (MD, SEC, AEC and VAC) will be allotted later. The 'Major Subjects' allocated to candidates will not change with Minors at any level.
- 2. Banaras Hindu University (BHU) offers a four-year UG program under NEP curriculum for both Honors and Research, namely UG Honors and UG Honors with Research. Only 10% of students with a CGPA of 7.5 and above will be permitted to select UG Honors with Research based on merit.
- 3. All UG courses under NEP curriculum will be Eight Semesters (Four Years) Course with exit options as per NEP norms.
- 4. As per the UGC Guidelines, December 2022 on NEP-2020, the total Credit of UG program should be minimum of 160, (20 Credits in each Semester). Accordingly, the Credit distribution UG (Hons.) and UG (Hons with Research) may be as er the following:

S. No.	Course	Credit		
3. NO.	Course	UG (Hons.)	PG (Hons.)	
1	Major	92	80	
		32 (out of which 12	32 (out of which 12	
2	Minor	credits should be of	credits should be of	
		Vocational Course)	Vocational Course)	
3	Multidisciplinary Courses (MD)	9	9	
4	Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)	9	9	
5	Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC)	8	8	
6	Value - Added Courses (VAC)	8	8	

7	Internship (1 week Internship is equal to 1 credit)	2	2
8	Dissertation	-	12

Note: The students who shall complete 4 Year UG (Hons. with Research) program, shall be eligible for Ph.D. program without PG Program.

- 5. The proposed structure of the 4-year UG at BHU based on the Credit distribution as mentioned in the UGC Guidelines, December 2022 on NEP-2020 is as follows:
- 6. There may be three categories of courses, namely Major (92 Credit), Minor (32 Credit) and Others (SEC, VAC, AEC, MD etc.) (36 Credit).

Semester	Major (92)		Minor (32)	Others (36)	
1 (20)	Maior (4)		Major (4)	Minor (4)	VAC1 (4), MD1 (3),
I (20)		Major (4)		1411101 (4)	SEC1 (3), AEC1 (2)
					MD2 (3), VAC2 (2),
II (20)	Major (4)		Minor (4)	VAC3 (2), SEC2(3),	
				AEC2 (2)	
III (20)		Major (8)		Minor (VOC) (4)	MD3 (3), SEC3(3),
111 (20)		14101 (6)		1411101 (400) (4)	AEC3(2)
IV (20)		Major (14)		Minor (4)	AEC4 (2)
V (20)		Major (14)		Minor (VOC) (4)	Internship (2)
VI (20)		Major (16)		Minor (VOC) (4)	
VII (20)	Honors	R	Research		
VII (20)	Major (16)	Major (16)		Minor (4)	
VIII (20)	Honors	Research		Minor(4)	
VIII (20)	Major (16)	Major (04)	Dissertation (12)	Minor (4)	

VOC = Vocational Course

7. Students will have to opt 2 Credits of Internship during the summer after 1st, 2nd or 3rd year of UG Course. Further, there will not be any grading for Internship, instead only Pass or Fail will be awarded.

FACULTY OF ARTS

PROGRAMME CODE: UG0131

PROGRAMME NAME: BACHELOR OF ARTS (Hons.)

Majo	Major & Minor Seat Intake :					
	Honours – Major Subject	Minor Subject	No. of Regular Seats			
		English	13			
		Geography	11			
	Ancient Indian History Culture &	Hindi	14			
i.	Archaeology Home Science Sanskrit	Home Science	11			
		Sanskrit	10			
		French	11			

		A L H C & Archaeology	11
		A.I.H.C. &Archaeology	
		Geography	11
		Hindi	11
ii.		Home Science	06
".	English	Philosophy	06
		Sanskrit	05
		Urdu	04
		French	12
		A.I.H.C. & Archaeology	12
	Geography	English	11
iii.		Hindi	12
		Sanskrit	06
		French	10
	Hindi	A.I.H.C. & Archaeology	09
		English	13
iv.		Philosophy	11
IV.		Sanskrit	14
		Geography	12
		Home Science	11
		A.I.H.C. & Archaeology	10
		English	10
v.	Home Science	Hindi	11
		Sanskrit	08
		Philosophy	11

	Philosophy	English	08
		Hindi	06
vi.		Sanskrit	08
		Home Science	08
		French	05
		AIHC & Archaeology	04
		English	02
vii.	Sanskrit	Geography	03
VII.	Sanskrit	Hindi	04
		Home Science	04
		Philosophy	04
	Urdu	AIHC & Archaeology	02
viii.		English	02
VIII.		Hindi	02
		Philosophy	03
		AIHC & Archaeology	08
		Geography	09
ix.	French	Philosophy	04
1.		English	10
		Home Science	05
		Sanskrit	04

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

PROGRAMME CODE: UG0132

PROGRAMME NAME: B. A. SOCIAL SCIENCES (Hons.)

	Honours – Major Subject	Minor Subject	No of Regular Seats
		History	11
i.		Political Science	11
1.	Economics	Psychology	11
		Sociology	11
		Economics	11
ii.	History	Political Science	11
11.	History	Psychology	11
		Sociology	11
	Political Science	Economics	10
iv.		History	12
IV.		Psychology	11
		Sociology	11
	Psychology	Economics	08
٧.		History	08
v.		Political Science	09
		Sociology	09
		Economics	11
vi.	Sociology	History	11
VI.		Political Science	11
		Psychology	11

FACULTY OF COMMERCE

PROGRAMME CODE: UG0133

PROGRAMME NAME: B.COM (Hons.)

	Honours – Major Subject	Minor Subject	No. of Regular Seats
i.	B. Com (Hons.)		96

FACULTY OF PERFRMING ARTS

PROGRAMME CODE: UG0171 & UG0172

PROGRAMME NAME: BACHELOR OF PERFORMING ARTS (B.P.A)

	Honours – Major Subject	Minor Subject	No. of Regular Seats
i.	Bachelor in Performing Arts in North Indian Classical Vocal	Music (Vocal)	10
I.	Music (UG0171)	Kathak	10
	Bachelor in Performing Arts in North Indian Classical	Music (Instrumental - Sitar)	10
ii.	North Indian Classical Instrumental Music (Sitar) (UG0172)	Kathak	10

FACULTY OF VISUAL ARTS

PROGRAMME CODE: UG0180

PROGRAMME NAME: BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS (B.F.A) IN PAINTING

	Honours – Major Subject	Minor Subject	No. of Regular Seats
	Painting	Applied Art	10
i.		Plastic Art	10

NOTE: Admissions under <u>Supernumerary Seats</u>: (V.C.W. Employee Ward, Sport, Paid Seats, Foreign Nationals)

- i. All candidates, including those applying under the supernumerary quota, must appear for the Common University Entrance Test (CUET-PG) 2025.
- ii. **V.C.W. Employee Ward Seat :**15% supernumerary seats in the V.C.W. admitted to the Privileges of the University ((not exceeding 15% of the total number of seats) shall be reserved for daughters of permanent employees of the College.
- iii. **PAID Seat:** There is provision for supernumerary PAID seat (not exceeding 15% of the total number of seats) in regular courses.
- iv. 15% of Supernumerary seats in each program are reserved for **Foreign Nationals.**
- v. 08 Supernumerary Seats are allocated under **Sports Quota**. Candidates shall be considered for Sport Seats only on approval from the University Sports Board.

POS	POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES						
S. No.	Faculty	Programme Code	Intake				
FA	CULTY OF AF						
			A.I.H.C. & Archaeology	448	37		
			English	433	37		
			Geography	498	37		
1.	MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.) Duration: Two Years (Four Semester)		Hindi	440	37		
			Home Science	494	37		
			Philosophy	450	37		
			Sanskrit	446	37		
			Urdu	444	37		
FA	CULTY OF SC	CIAL SCIENCE					
			Economics	466	37		
			History	460	37		
	MASTER OF ARTS (M.A.) Duration: Two Years (Four Semester)		Political Science	461	37		
		,	Psychology	497	37		
			Sociology	462	37		
FA	CULTY OF CO	DMMERCE					
		MERCE (M. Com) ears (Four Semester)	Commerce	470	40		
FA	FACULTY OF EDUCATION						
			B. Ed. Languages	564	12		
	BACHELOR OF E	DUCATION(B. Ed.)	B. Ed. Science	565	12		
	Duration: Two Ye	ears (Four Semester)	B. Ed. Mathematics	567	11		
			B. Ed. Social Science & Humanities	568	13		
	MASTER OF EDU Duration: Two Ye	CATION (M. Ed.) ears (Four Semester)	Education	390	44		

NOTE: Admissions under <u>Supernumerary Seats</u>: (V.C.W. Employee Ward, Sport, Paid Seats, Foreign National)

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- ix. 15% of Supernumerary seats in each program are reserved for Foreign Nationals.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY/VIDYĀVĀRIDHI DEGREE PROGRAMMES					
Faculty	Subject Course Code		No. of Seat		
	A.I.H.C. & Archaeology	848			
	English	833			
Faculty of Arts	Geography	898			
	Hindi	840			
	Home Science	894	As per Extant Rule		
	Economics	859	of Banaras Hindu University		
	History	860			
Faculty of Social Sciences	Political Science	861			
	Psychology	953			
	Sociology	862			
Faculty of Education	Education	790			

DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

CAREER ORIENTED PROGRAMMES

PART I: CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA AND ADVANCE DIPLOMA COURSES

S. No.	Name of the Programme Program Code		Eligibility	Seat s	Course Coordinator
	TRAVEL AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT		10+2 or equivalent degree from	40	Prof. Sanjeev Kumar Department of History E-mail: Sanjeev_kumar68@hotmail.c om
1	a) One Year Certificate Course 35		recognized Board with not less than		
	b) One Year Diploma 36 c) One Year Advance Diploma 37		50% marks in		
			aggregate		
	MASS COMMUNICATION		10+2or equivalent		Dr. Punita Pathak
2	a) One Year Certificate Course	09	degree from recognized Board with not less than 50% marks in aggregate	40	Department of Political Science E-mail: punita.pathak@gmail.com
_	b) One Year Diploma	51			
	c) One Year Advance Diploma	39			
3	TWO YEAR UG DIPLOMA IN FRENCH (PART TIME)	338	10+2 or equivalent degree from recognized Board	30	Dr. Sandeep Kumar Pandey Department of French Email: spsuman92@gmail.com

PART II: DIPLOMA/CERTIFICATE COURSES UNDER BHU SPECIAL COURSE OF STUDIES

S. NO.	NAME OF THE PROGRAMME	PROGRAM ME CODE	ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS QUALIFYING EXAMINATION	SEAT	COURSE COORDINATOR
1	Diploma Programme in Office Management & Business Communication 2-Year (Part Time) (4-Semester)	822	Passed + 2 (Intermediate) or equivalent examination	37	Dr. Ranjan Kumar Bhattacharya Department of Commerce, E-mail: ranjanmgs@rediffmail.com
2	Certificate Program in Health Care Management 6- Months (Part Time) (1 Semester)	6	Student pursuing Graduate Degree / Graduated from any recognized University and its affiliated degree colleges situated in Varanasi	37	Dr. Anjana Singh Department of Geography E-mail: anjanasingh.smart@gmail.com
3	Diploma in Microfinance and Entrepreneurship 1-Year (Part Time) (2 Semester)	60	Student pursuing Graduate Degree/Graduated from any recognized University and its affiliated degree colleges situated in Varanasi	37	Dr. Yogita Beri Department of Economics E-mail: yogitaberi2006@gmail.com
4	PG Diploma in Gender & Women Studies 1-Year (2 Semester)	920	Must have passed a bachelor's degree (10+2+3) at least 50% marks of its equivalent in any discipline from any UGC accredited institute in India or Abroad	37	Prof. Manjari Jhunjhunwala Department of English

PART III: COURSE BY EDTECH COMPANY YOUNG SKILLED INDIA (YSIID SOLUTIONS PVT. LTD., A GOVT. OF INDIA CERTIFIED STARTUP DIPP 1656)

S.NO.	NAME OF THE PROGRAMME	PROGRAM CODE	ELIGIBILITY	SEATS	COURSE COORDINATOR
1	Management Certificate Course (6 Month) (Under NEAT, AICTE, Ministry of Education Scheme)		All students, Alumni and Working Professionals	30	Dr. Usha Dixit Department of Commerce, E-mail: ushadixit28@gmail.com
2	Professional & Life Skills Certificate Courses (3 Month)		All students and Alumna	30	Dr. Rashika Jain Department of Commerce E-mail: rashika597@gmail.com

PART IV: UG DIPLOMA IN COMPUTER APPLICATION (UGDCA) BY BANARAS HINDU UNIVERSITY, VARANASI

S.NO	Programme Name	Program Code	Eligibility	Seats	Course Coordinator
1	UGDCA 3 Year Full Time Course	CAUD- 101,201,301,401,501,6 01 (Theory) CAUD- 102,202,302,402,502,6 02 (Practical)	Students of First Semester pursuing Graduate Degree from VCW	All 1 st Year UG Stude nts	Prof. Jai Singh Department of Education E-mail: jaisingh.vns08@outlook.com

ACADEMIC FEE STRUCTURE

SESSION 2025-26					
Course Name	Regular Fee Per Annum	Paid Seat Fee Per Annum			
B.A1st Year (Art & Social Science) [Without Practical Subject]	₹ 10,200.00	₹12,000.00			
B.A1st Year (Art & Social Science) [With Practical Subject]	₹ 10,700.00	₹ 12,000.00			
B.Com1 st Year	₹ 22,200.00	₹ 30,000.00			
B.Ed1st Year	₹ 14,200.00	₹44,200.00			
M.Ed1st	₹ 30,200.00	₹ 60,200.00			
M.A1st Year (Geography & Home Science)	₹ 13,200.00	₹ 43,200.00			
M.A1st Year (Psychology)	₹ 13,200.00	₹ 28,200.00			
M.A1st Year (History, Economics & Political Science, Sociology)	₹12,200.00	₹ 27,200.00			
M.A1st Year (AIHC & Arch., English, Hindi, Philosophy, Sanskrit & Urdu)	₹ 12,200.00	₹ 22,200.00			
M.Com	₹ 24,200.00	₹ 54,200.00			
B.P.A.	₹ 16,200.00	₹ 41,200.00			
B.F.A.	₹ 16,200.00	₹ 76,200.00			

Note:

- 1. Practical subjects are Painting, Music Instrumental, Music Vocal, Geography, Psychology & Home Science.
- 2. Extra Fee Rs. 500/- will be paid for practical subjects only.
- 3. Students admitted under Paid Seat Category will pay the mentioned amount for all the years of course along with a regular fee.

ADMISSION PROCESS

Vasanta College for Women is an esteemed institution affiliated with Banaras Hindu University (www.bhu.ac.in), a renowned university known for its academic excellence. The college offers a wide range of undergraduate (UG) and postgraduate (PG) courses, and the admissions for these courses are conducted through the CUET Exam, which is conducted by the National Testing Agency (NTA). Detailed information regarding the eligibility criteria, terms and conditions for admission are published in the UET/PET Bulletin, which is available on the BHU Admission Portal (https://bhu.ac.in/Site/AdmissionCounselling/1_2_16_Main-Site).

For those seeking admission into the Ph.D. program, the admissions are done through the RET Exam (Research Entrance Test) conducted by BHU (bhuonline.in).

Admissions to the program are strictly based on the merit index and the availability of seats in the respective program, following the guidelines outlined in the BHU Information Bulletin, as well as the rules established by Banaras Hindu University. These rules may be revised periodically to ensure fair and transparent admission procedures.

After counselling, if a candidate gets admission in the college, she has to fill the Online Admission Form available on the College website (www.vasantakfi.ac.in). It is mandatory for students to fill the Online Admission form before Physical Verification of the documents. The admission will be confirmed only after submitting the printout of the application form along with the academic, transfer certificates and all pending documents etc.

Steps for Confirmation of Admission and Document Verification

Follow these steps to confirm your admission in the college:-

(For a hassle-free experience, please use a laptop or desktop computer.)

Candidates must upload the following scanned documents in the prescribed formats while filling out the form:

- 1. Passport-size color photograph (JPEG format)
- 2. Candidate and Father's signature (JPEG format)
- 3. BHU Admit Card and Course Allotment Page from the counseling portal (PDF format)
- 4. All Marksheets (PDF format; each document must be uploaded separately)
- 5. Income Certificate (PDF format; applicable for SC/ST/OBC/EWS candidates)
- 6. **Category Certificate** (PDF format; applicable for SC/ST/OBC/EWS/PC/Employee Ward candidates)

STEPS:

- 1. Students must complete the compulsory online Anti-Ragging Undertaking by visiting the official website antiragging.in (Click here to fill the form). Upon submission, they will receive an Anti-Ragging Reference Number, which is required for the admission form.
 - To finalize the process, students should download (Click here to download the undertaking) the anti-ragging document from the website, print it out, and attach it to your admission form.
- 2. Go to college website https://www.vasantakfi.ac.in/ >Scroll to Admission Tab >Click on Admission Form.
- 3. After reading the instructions very carefully register yourself by clicking on **New User Registration.**
- **4.** After registration, you will be automatically redirected to the **Admission Form.** If not, click on 'View Form' to access or complete your incomplete form.
- 5. Fill the information very carefully as per the instructions and upload the readable documents in required formats.
- **6.** Click "Save" & "Next" on each step. Ensure to the authenticity of your uploaded data and then "Submit" your form.
- 7. Click on "Download Application" to download and take print out of your submitted form.
- **8.** Bring a printout of the downloaded application form to **Counter No. 5, 6, or 7** for verification of the uploaded documents and information.
- **9.** After verification of the Admission Form from the counter, arrange the documents according to the order given in the **checklist.**
- 10. Fill College Alumni Form from Counter No.-2.
- 11. After verification of the uploaded documents and entered data from the college office, go to the college admission/verification committee with all Originals and one set of Self Attested Photocopies of the documents for Physical Verification.
- 12. Submit the verified admission form with self-attested documents to the verification committee.
- **13.** The student who needs **College Hostel** must contact **counter No. 7** or visit our website. **(Admission>Hostel Allotment Process)**
- **14.** The student who need **College Bus** may contact **counter No 1**.

Note:

- 1. Admission remains provisional until the college admission committee completes Document Verification or until all Pending Documents are submitted.
- 2. Original Transfer Certificate and Character Certificate is required at the time of Physical Verification in the college.

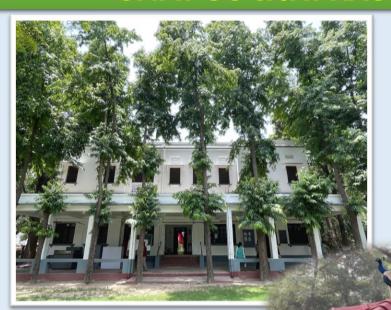
List and sequence of Required Documents to be submitted along with the Admission Form:

- 1. Undertaking, if required (provided by the college office or document verification committee)
- 2. Check list of the documents (provided by the college office or document verification committee)
- 3. Printout of the Online Admission Form of the college (All students)
- 4. Printout of BHU Admission Letter/Admit Card after locking the seat/college (All students)
- 5. Printout of course allocation page (After locking the seat/college) (All students)
- 6. Proof of fee payment: Printout of email sent from BHU or from admission portal (All students)
- 7. NTA Score card (All students)
- 8. NET JRF Certificate from UGC (Only for Ph.D. Students)
- 9. Enrolment Letter from the concerned Department, BHU (Only for Ph.D. Students)
- **10.** 10th Mark Sheet & Pass Certificate (All students)
- **11.** 12th Mark Sheet & Pass Certificate (All students)
- 12. Graduation Marks Sheet of Last Semester/Year (for B.Ed., M.Ed. & M.A.)
- 13. Marks Sheet of B.Ed. or Equivalent Degree (for M.Ed.)
- **14.** PG Marks Sheet of Last Semester/Year (B.Ed., M.Ed. & Ph.D.)(wherever applicable)
- 15. Original Transfer Certificate (All students)
- 16. Original Character Certificate (All students)
- 17. Recent Income Certificate (SC, ST, OBC NCL & EWS students)
- **18.** Recent Category/Quota Certificate (SC, ST, OBC, EWS & Employee Ward students)
- 19. Valid PH/PC/OH Certificate (wherever applicable)
- 20. AADHAAR Card (All students)
- 21. Print out of online Anti-Ragging Undertaking by the student & Parents/Guardian (All students)

NOTE:

- 1. Students must self-attest all photocopies of their documents before submission.
- 2. Students who have completed their qualifying examination from Vasanta College for Women and have received their Transfer Certificate (T.C.) and Character Certificate (C.C.) must submit these documents along with the college admission form.
- 3. Students who have passed their qualifying examination from BHU or any affiliated college and have obtained a Migration Certificate, or those coming from another university, must retain their Migration Certificate. They will be required to submit the original Migration Certificate along with the BHU enrolment form when the University announces the submission dates.
- **4.** Students who have passed their qualifying examination from BHU or any affiliated college and have not obtained a Migration Certificate do not need to apply for one.

CAMPUS & INFRASTRUCTURE



Spread over an area of 300 acres in Rajghat, Varanasi, the college has a picturesque campus on the banks of river Ganga and a natural environment. The college has a good infrastructure and learning resources keeping in consonance its reputation as a famous Women's College of Varanasi. The college has 48 classrooms, 12 Laboratories, 02 Hostels; a well-equipped Library having its own ICT enabled Knowledge Centre, a separate Computer Lab for Education Department, Playground,

Gym, Auditorium, Open Air Classrooms, Open Air Theatre, Canteen, Fruit corner, Stationary,

Museum etc to facilitate proper learning & co-curricular activities of students leading to a holistic development of students. An internet facility with Wi-Fi connectivity has enhanced the e-learning capacity of students. The college has its transport facility having eight buses for students and three cars.

On the KFI campus, the College has number of sister organization like School (10+2), Rural Centre, Sanjeevani Hospital, KFI Study Centre, Guest House,

Dairy farm, Sewing Centre, APS etc. On the campus there is a Health Centre with two resident doctors and two nurses having twenty-four beds with ambulance facility for emergency. The campus has a separate Engineering Department maintained by Krishnamurti Foundation India. The department takes care of the Civil/Electrical and other day to day repairing and maintenance.





HOSTEL FACILITY



to <u>vasantacollegehostel@vasantakfi.ac.in</u> The seats in hostel are limited and allotted on first come, first serve basis/distance and merit.

Facilities

Health and Medical Care: The campus has a resident doctor and the dispensary has all

basic facility to treat students (OPD). In case of serious illness, college consult city doctors and hospitals. The college has a number of MoUs with leading hospitals of Varanasi and treatment is

requested

available on CGHS rates for students of current batches.

Games and Physical Education: Games and exercises are the part of the everyday schedule. The students may enjoy games like Basketball, Badminton, Gym, Taekwondo, Yoga etc. and there are coaches to train them.

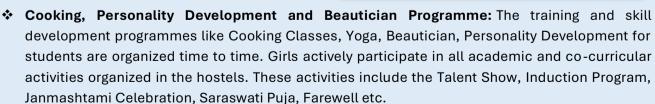
Music, Dance and Fine Arts: The campus is always busy with one or the other cultural programmes. There are many opportunities for girls to learn Music, Dance and Fine Arts in accordance with their talent and enthusiasm. serious illness, college consult city doctors and the leading hospitals of Varanasi and treatment is

There are two hostels for students, known as Vasantashram - I and Vasantashram - II with accommodation capacity of 151 and 74 girls respectively. Vasantashram hostel runs under the aegis of Rajghat Education Centre, Krishnamaurti Foundation India, Varanasi. After the admission, the students are allotted hostel on the basis of merit, distance and need. After confirmation of admission, the students, who are desirous for hostel, are

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LIBRARY

The college has a well-equipped and spacious library in the campus. The ground floor has reading area, stack room and a computer lab for the teachers. The second floor comprises Reference and Periodical section. Knowledge Centre having more than 42 computers with internet facility and three printers. The library has an extensive collection of approximately 49,283 Social books on Arts, Sciences. Education and Commerce and leading Newspapers in English and Hindi, Periodicals (National and Foreign), collection of Encyclopaedias etc. The library is open for all the staff and students on all working days. They may avail its facilities according to the prescribed rules.



***LANGUAGE LAB**

The Language Laboratory plays a crucial role in enhancing the communication skills of the students. The college has a well-equipped Language Laboratory with up-to-date software and gadgets.



❖KNOWLEDGE CENTRE

The Computer Lab known as Knowledge Centre is equipped with updated computers with internet facilities and printers for the students. It is established in the library of the college.





COMPUTER LAB

ICT- lab with all modern facilities, offer students access to computers, internet, digital the and tools necessary for effective learning, skill research and enhancement required for courses like- UGDCA, Practical's, PhD programme SEC etc. Through ICT lab, students can go beyond traditional textbooks, engage with educational interactive resources, access to online journals, collaborate on projects, take online courses and join virtual discussions. This Lab assists Teacher educators in adopting innovative teaching practices such multimedia as



presentations, online testing and digital resource sharing. It fosters an innovative and interactive teaching-learning environment on campus.



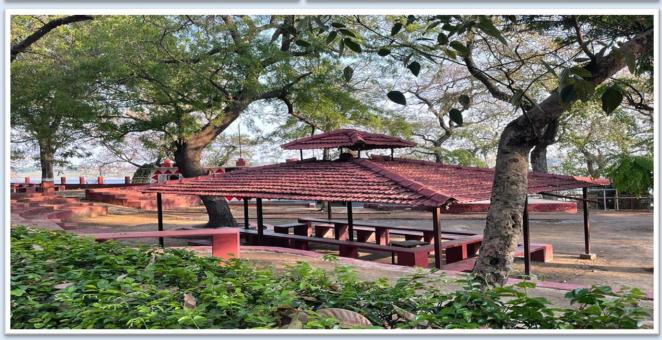
OPEN AIR CLASSROOMS (Echoes of Nature, Lessons for Life)

open-air classroom beside Four River Ganges, beneath the shade of ancient trees, offers a truly enriching learning environment. In these classrooms (viz, Apala Gyandhara, Gargi Gyanshala, Lopamudra Gyansindhu, Ubhaybharti Samvadshala) learning becomes a sacred dialogue between nature and the human spirit, inspiring a deep connection between knowledge, tradition and the natural world. Conducting classes under the trees offers a unique pedagogical experience students, merging environmental aesthetics with academic pursuit.









OPEN THEATRE





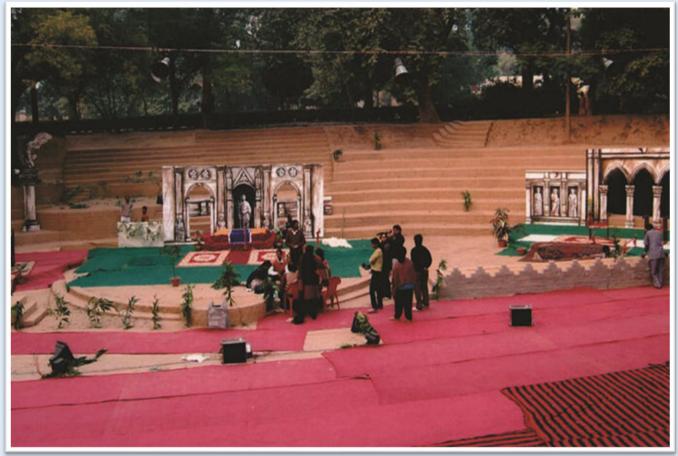






AMPHITHEATRE

The college campus has an open-air theatre to conduct drama and cultural events as well as exhibitions with seating capacity of approx. 2000 students.





VASANTA SABHAGAR (AUDITORIUM)

The college has an Assembly Hall / Auditorium with seating capacity of around 700 people. This hall is a regular venue for cultural programs, lectures, conferences, workshops and seminars etc. The auditorium is well-furnished with LCD projectors, white-boards and audio provides ample opportunity for staff and students to exhibit their talents in various activities system for delivering lectures with access to the internet.









DEPARTMENTAL LABORATORIES

Departmental Laboratories in disciplines like Geography, Home Science, Psychology, Education, Music (vocal) and AIHC & Archaeology create spaces where knowledge steps out of books and comes alive through hands-on experience. It is a place where curiosity is honoured, creativity is encouraged through Maps, Model making, Surveying, Field observations in Geography, Nutrition planning, Textile design for fabrics, or child development practices etc. in Home Science. Science Lab of Education trains pupil teacher to nurture Spirit of Inquiry through Experiments, Audio-Visual Displays, use of Low Cost TLM's during Internship Practices. Personality assessments, Memory tests, Reaction time studies, and Behavioural experiments in Psychology/Education deepen students' understanding of mental processes and human actions. Stone tools and pottery drawing, Map reading, Survey equipments as well as Numismatic lab facilities available in AIHC & Archaeology. The academic reputation of the College grows with the support of well-maintained departmental laboratories.















VASANTA MUSEUM



Vasanta College for Women has not only been promoting women's education but is also committed to the preservation of the antiquities obtained from the ancient historical mounds of Kashi. The museum has a wonderful confluence of ancient stone artifacts of Kashi, which appear to be the oldest symbol of religious harmony of the holy city. Preserved artifacts are believed to be from the Gupta period (5th century AD) to the 18th century AD. The important sculptures are Standing Buddha of Sarnath School of Arts, Kubera, Shiva, Varaha, Vishnu, Shakti and other deities.













KRIDA UDYANAM (SPORTS GROUND)

Sport plays a pivotal role in shaping the personality of students and maintain good health. There are many sport facilities in the college to keep our students physically fit i.e. Basketball, Volleyball, Table Tennis and Badminton etc. The campus has a different ground for these sports.

One is synthetic court and other is with lush green grass.

An experienced coach trains the students. These games are played by a large number of students and elected for the BHU and other sports events. Taekwondo and Yoga classes are also there for students. Number of students participate in these games and they are also elected for various sports events at university level.









GYMNASIUM

The importance of exercise cannot be neglected for good physical and mental health. The institute offers Gymnasium facility to all its students and staff. The gym in the college has all the modern equipment for workout and is available to students during morning and evening hours.









HEALTH CENTRE

The college has a Health Centre in KFI Campus working 24X7 hours with two resident doctors and two nurses, having 24 beds with an ambulance facility. It attends to the medical needs of the students and staff in case of emergency.











AAHARIKA (CANTEEN) / PHALAMRITAM (FOOD STALL) "Feeding Dreams"

The canteen and Falamritam (Fruit stall) are vital to VCW life, offering healthy food, fostering social bonds and refreshing minds between studies. Amidst, the clatter of plates, the aroma of samosas and the background music of students arguing whether momos or Fruit Chat are superior, doing serious "intellectual discussions, offering solutions to World problems, friendships grow and memories are always served hot and crispy. Truly, in the college ecosystem, the canteen is not just a place — it's a way of life.











TRANSPORT FACILITY

Transport: There are Eight (08) buses, provides transport facility to students to reach the campus conveniently throughout Varanasi.

BUS ROUTE:

1.	Visheshwargang, Pilikothi, Golgadda, Adampur, Maidagin, Tata Company, Panchkroshi
2.	Kabirchaura, Lohatia, Godowlia, Lahurabir, Ramkatora, Chaukaghat, Benia Bagh
3.	Nadesar, Ashapur, Sigra, Rathyatra
4.	Cantt Station, Bhelupura, Kamachha, Pahariya, Pandeypur, Sonarpura, Civil Court, Orderly Bazar, Mahabir Mandir, Central Jail, Bhojubir, Mahmoorganj, Ravindrapuri, Durgakund, Lanka
5.	Shivpur, Gilat Bazar, Poultry Form, D.L.W., Sunderpur



SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship/Fellowship/Free ship

The college offers scholarships to deserving students through its own resources and fund received through donation. The funds received as donation from teachers/alumni/philanthropist etc. are channelized to promote women education through scholarship based on merit cum mean. The number of students offered scholarship in each academic session, is more than one hundred. The college in its endeavour help needy students offer free ship/fee waiver to students based on their annual family income and social background. The students of the college are also recipients of several scholarship offered by non-government bodies, trust, foundation as well as National/State Govt. Scholarship. Research Scholars are awarded national fellowships from different funding agencies.

S.No	Name of Scholarship	Sponsoring Agency	Beneficiary Department
1.	National Scholarship	Central Government	Students of Vasanta College
2.	State Government Scholarship	UP Government	Students of Vasanta College
3.	Achyut Patwardhan Scholarship	KFI Rajghat Education Centre	Students of Vasanta College
4.	Roy Chaudhary Scholarship	KFI Rajghat Education Centre	Music
5.	Giri Scholarship	KFI Rajghat Education Centre	Sociology
6.	Dar Sahab Scholarship	KFI Rajghat Education Centre	Education
7.	College Scholarship Fund	Vasanta College For Women	Students of Vasanta College
8.	Prema Srinivasan Scholarship	Prema Srinivasan Charities, Chennai	Students of Vasanta College
9.	B. Ed Scholarship	Dr. Vijai Shivapuri, Vasanta College for Women	Education
10.	Dr. Deepti Pande Scholarship	Dr. Preeti Pant, University of Delhi	History
11.	Janhavi Vasudev Scholarship	Mrs. Deepta Venkaswamy,Bangalore560066	Sanskrit
12.	Smt. Jayati Chatterjee Scholarship	Dr. Gargi Chatterjee, Allahabad University	AIHC
13.	Prof Sujata Saha Scholarship	Prof. Sujata Saha, Vasanta College for Women	Education
14.	Kamla Devi Memorial Scholarship	Jointly Given by Dr Arun Kumar, Director of Drishti Eye Care	
15.	Vinod Jhunjhunwala Memorial Scholarship	Centre, Varanasi and Prof Manjari Jhunjhunwala, Vasanta College for Women	English
16.	ML Varshney and Raj Kumari Varshney Memorial Scholarship	Prof. Kalapana Agrawal, Vasanta College for Women	Home Science
17.	Dr. Deepti Pandey Scholarship	Dr Preeti Singh, Vasanta College for Women	History
18.	N. Sharda Iyer Memorial Scholarship	Faculties of Department of English	English

COMMITTEE / CELLS / CENTRE /CLUBS

COMMITTEES

Internal Complaint Committee (ICC)	Discipline Committee
Students Grievance Redressal Committee	Co-Curricular Committee
Cultural Committee	ICT Committee
Campus Sustainability and Green Initiatives	

❖ INTERNAL COMPLAINT COMMITTEE (ICC)

Under the University Grants Commission (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students in Higher Educational Institutions) Regulations, 2015 an Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) is constituted in Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat to deal with the complaints relating to Sexual harassment at workplace. The primary objectives of ICC are to prevent sexual harassment and to provide a redressal mechanism for complaints relating to sexual harassment at the workplace.

STUDENTS GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL COMMITTEE (SGRC)

In compliance to the UGC notification on (Grievance Redressal) Regulations, 2012 notified in Official Gazette of India on 23rd March 2013, Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat has constituted a Students Grievance Redressal Committee (SGRC) to look after the complaints of the students. The main objective of the Students Grievance Redressal Committee is to encourage students to express their grievances freely without any fear of being victimised. A suggestion / complaint Box is installed in front of the Principal's Office in which the Students, who want to remain anonymous, put in writing their grievances and their suggestions for improving the academics / administration in the College. The cell is committed to work for advising students of the College to respect the right and dignity.

❖ ICT COMMITTEE

Vasanta College for Women has its own ICT enabled Knowledge Centre, a separate Computer Lab to impart the best learning experiences to the students. Broadband connectivity ensures uninterrupted flow of knowledge and information to the students. The college is also well equipped with smart classes and latest digital equipments to cater to the needs of the students. Regular events in the form of workshops/lecture sessions etc are organized to maximize the utility of the available ICT resources.

❖ DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

The Discipline Committee of Vasanta College for Women, Varanasi is sincerely devoted to the task of maintaining discipline in the college premises. The committee is proactive in preventing any form of indisciplinary activity, violence, confrontation among the students and ensures prevalence of cordial and peaceful environment in the campus. In cases of violation of college-discipline, the committee also takes disciplinary action.

❖ CO-CURRICULAR COMMITTEE

To bring social skills, intellectual skills, moral values, personality development and character appeal among the students, Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat has constituted a specialized Co-curricular Activities Committee. The committee regularly organizes cultural events, outreach activities, activities related to arts, creativity etc for students. to ensure learning beyond traditional subjects and curriculum. Classroom activities like quizzes, debates, etc are frequently organized to make the learning experience happy and fruitful. There is a focus also on imparting moral and ethical values through co-curricular activities.

❖ CAMPUS SUSTAINABILITY AND GREEN INITIATIVES COMMITTEE

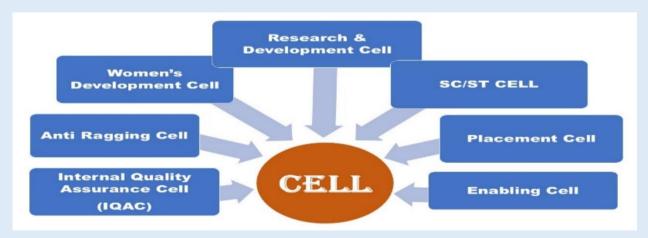
Campus Sustainability and Green Initiatives Committee is responsible for promoting environmental consciousness and implementing sustainable practices across the campus. Its core focus includes community engagement in ecological efforts, effective water and waste management, conducting green audits, take initiatives for carbon neutrality and fostering progression towards a net-zero campus.

Comprising faculty, staff, student representatives and external experts the committee undertakes regular awareness programmes viz. plantation drives, eco-pledge campaigns and energy-saving initiatives. It plays a key role in integrating environmental stewardship into academic and administrative planning, thereby contributing to long-term ecological responsibility and institutional excellence.

❖ CULTURAL COMMITTEE

The Cultural Committee regularly organizes different cultural events, outreach activities, activities related to arts, creativity etc. in the College which are based on students' potential and interest and it provides students a platform for their overall development.

CELLS



INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

As per the guidelines of UGC, The primary objective of the IQAC is to develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic action to improve the academic and administrative

performance of the institution. It aims to promote measures for institutional functioning towards quality enhancement through internalization of quality culture and institutionalization of best practices. IQAC facilitates the creation of a learner-centric environment conducive to quality education and faculty maturation to adopt the required knowledge and technology for participatory teaching and learning process and it makes arrangement for feedback response from students, parents and other stakeholders on quality-related institutional processes.

❖ WOMEN'S DEVELOPMENT CELL

Women's Development Cell (a mandate under Sec. 3.2 (15) of University Grants Commission) is established in Vasanta College for Women to address the causes and concerns of gender-based violence and harassment. Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat, Varanasi, which has a long legacy of offering value-based education and has been working incessantly to provide a climate and culture which remains free of any gender-based discrimination and violence. The College stands firm to offer a safe and secure internal environment to all, irrespective of their gender orientations.

❖ RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT CELL

Established in the year 2020, the Student Research Development Cell provides a forum to the students of postgraduate level through which the research ideas can be exchanged among the scholars, facilitators, faculties and students. The Cell aims to promote among students the practice of fundamental and collaborative research and it's practical applications and also to foster a culture of critical thinking and discourse. The objective of the cell is to encourage multi-disciplinary and unconventional research and projects by conducting various student-oriented activities like field work, seminar/conference, workshop, awareness programmes etc.

❖ SC/ST CELL

The SC/ST Cell in Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat promotes the special interests of students in the reserved category. It is expected to provide special inputs in areas where the students experience difficulties. The objectives of the SC/ST Cell are to counsel and guide SC/ ST students and help them to manage academic and personal issues of college life effectively, to ensure provisions of an environment where all such students feel safe and secure, to aware the SC/ST students regarding various scholarships program of State Govt. and UGC and to take such follow up measures to achieve the objectives and targets laid down by the Govt. of India and the UGC.

❖ PLACEMENT CELL

Vasanta College for Women, Rajghat as a well-established Placement Cell which caters to the needs of students seeking employment opportunities. The Placement Cell organizes frequent workshops/training sessions/ placement drives to upgrade the skill level of the students as per the requirements of the job market. The Placement Cell also encourages women entrepreneurship to make the female students more self-reliant and successful in their entrepreneurial endeavours.

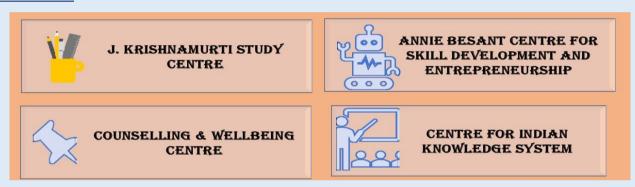
❖ ENABLING CELL

The objective of the Enabling Cell is to orient and sensitize students/faculties/staff towards differently abled students (Divyangjan) and to promote the overall welfare of the students with disabilities by offering barrier free environment to them.

ANTI RAGGING CELL (FOR COLLEGE AND FOR HOSTEL)

Vasanta College for Women is a ragging-free campus. Ragging in all its forms is prohibited in the College Campus, in all its premises (academic, residential, sports, canteen, restrooms and all means of transportation etc.).

CENTRES



❖ J. KRISHNAMURTI STUDY CENTRE

Vasanta College for Women draws inspiration from the teachings of J. Krishnamurti, a visionary social thinker who championed the idea of "freeness" in education. In alignment with Krishnamurti's ideals, the college established the K Centre, a significant initiative aimed at nurturing his values among both students and staff. The Centre serves as a dynamic space where individuals can explore current issues through Krishnamurti's while offering opportunities lens. also for silent communion with nature, meditation and deep self-understanding.



The K- Centre hosts a wide range of activities, including dialogue sessions and group discussions that foster open, egalitarian exchanges between students and teachers. Meditation and silence sessions invite participants to turn inward, cultivating self-



awareness and inner peace. Furthermore, lectures, seminars, and talks delivered by distinguished scholars and experts on Krishnamurti's philosophy enrich the community's understanding of his perspectives on life, education, relationships, and personal growth.

In its essence, the K-Centre is a space where thought meets silence, where freedom meets responsibility and where each student is gently reminded: the real revolution is within.

❖ ANNIE BESANT CENTRE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

Annie Besant Centre for Skill Development and Entrepreneurship, established in 2023, aims to foreground the original and creative entrepreneurial ideas and skills of young students at our college. It aims to encourage and support their innovative ideas and entrepreneurial ventures, fostering a spirit of empowerment and leadership among them. The objective is to work in accordance with government of India initiatives such as Aatmanirbhar Bharat, Start UP India Initiative, Aspire, and Skill India etc. In order to execute these goals and objectives the college has signed an MOU with Atal Incubation Centre, BHU. The basic idea is to enable them to become financially independent and establish themselves as responsible citizens.

❖ COUNSELLING & WELLBEING CENTRE

Vasanta College for Women, Raighat has also constituted a full-fledged Guidance and Counselling Cell exclusively devoted to the task of equipping the students with required skills, knowledge and abilities to excel in their careers ahead. To meet its objectives, the Cell performs following activities on a regular basis - organizing regular counselling sessions for the students, addressing career related queries of the students, conducting workshops/seminars/training career/stress program management/emotional on self-awareness/health and well-being etc. and providing necessary information to the students belonging to financially weaker section and assist them to get the required benefits.

❖ INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEM (IKS)

The Centre for Indian Knowledge System of our college aims to engage young minds in exploring the rich heritage of Bharat in Arts, Literature, Agriculture, Sciences, Engineering, Technology, Architecture, Management, Economics etc. It works to implement this traditional knowledge into today's eco-social and socio-cultural frameworks. Driven by the 4 Es—Enhance, Engage, Ensure, Expand—the Centre promotes awareness of Indian Knowledge Systems. It involves students and staff in a variety of related events and activities. Regular programs are conducted to enrich the indigenous knowledge environment of the college. The Centre supports the teaching-learning process through traditional knowledge insights. It serves as a platform for integrating the timeless wisdom of Bharat with contemporary education.

STUDENTS' CLUBS



❖ ARTHVAAD

As it's said - young minds build great future. With warm heart and a high spirit of enthusiasm, Arthvaad, an Economics Society has been formed by the students of the Economics Department, Vasanta College for Women under the guidance of our esteemed teachers. It will be a forum where students will be discussing and analysing current and important real-life issues faced by the economy of the country and the world.

CREATIVE CLUB

Established in 2021, the goal of the Creative Club is to stimulate students' interest in innovative ideas in the fields of Performing Arts and Fine Arts. The creative club aims to foster enthusiasm for creative ideas among students from various departments. The club raise student awareness of their minds and allow students to improve their group interactions while also enhancing their creative and leadership abilities.

❖ ENVIRONMENT CLUB

Established in 2020-21, the Environment Club is a group of ecologically conscious faculties, non-teaching staff and students who are committed to raising awareness on environmental issues and to reducing negative environmental impact as individuals, community, and as citizens of the world in every possible way. The club aims to promote and develop ecological ethics and right attitude towards environment by conducting various student-oriented activities.

❖ FRÉNIX

Frénix aims to promote French language among it's learners by it's vivid range of activities and workshops. It seeks to showcase and celebrate the richness of French as a language and create a community where each one feels confident enough to speak up and learn from each other. This club has been created in the accordance of the fact that students collaborate, engage together and create a dynamic and inclusive environment for themselves and others to connect, create and grow without the hindrance of a language barrier.

❖ मैत्रेयी: FORUM OF STUDENTS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

मेत्रेयी is a forum of Students of the Department of Political Science which was established in 2022 to carve creative outlets to raise political consciousness on issues plaguing Indian society among students. The forum aims to amplify confidence and provide a platform for deliberation, cognition and vibrant opinions and enhance the collective ability and coproduce knowledge on existing national and international political issues. The forum engages students in discussion to encourage dialogue, ideas and thoughts. The objective of the forum is to put emphasis on nurturing character, personality, life values and vocational skills and for that the events like elocution, debate and quiz competitions and Celebration of Days like Youth Day, National Voters' Day are organised.

❖ MANASHAKTI

Manashakti Club is founded in 2023 by the students of the Department of Psychology under the guidance of the faculty members. The name "Manashakti" denotes the power of mind. The club aspires to foster enriched learning, valuable experiences and establish a resourceful network while maintaining students' mental wellbeing with the aid of "MANASHAKTI". The club aims to recognise and provide the best possible assistance for career-related problems, interpersonal problems and self and time problems through regular interactive sessions and it also intends to conduct playful Psychological events which will help the students, teachers and non-teaching staff to regain their zeal to work which is lost due to repetition of work and monotony and establish social and mental harmony. The club organises various counselling sessions and webinars to meet its objectives.

❖ PITARA: SCHOOL OF HAPPINESS

PITARA: School of Happiness was inaugurated in the college on March 08, 2018. This club is a platform for young minds to showcase their talent pertaining to different disciplines. It desires to utilize the potential of young budding minds. It aims to explore the hidden talent of students across disciplines. Apart from academics, it is a students' space to understand life. The club created an online platform in Instagram and Facebook for the friends far away to connect with club.

❖ PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

The Photography Club was established in the College in 2020 with the vision to create a vibrant and enriching environment and provide a platform where college students can nurture their passion for photography, develop their skills, and cultivate a lifelong love for the art of photography. The club aims to foster a supportive community where members can enhance their skills, exchange ideas, and explore various aspects of photography through regular discussions, meetings, contests & quizzes, networking opportunities and exhibitions.

OUEST OF PAST

The key of many problems of present or future buried and preserved somewhere in the past. Therefore, the meticulous knowledge of our past not only makes us connected and rooted to our legacy but also makes us aware with the true knowledge of our very existence. Considering this fact, the department of Ancient Indian History, Culture and Archaeology has initiated this academic platform for searching the absolute knowledge of the past in a creative way.

❖ ROAD SAFETY CLUB

Road Safety Club in the college was constituted in college in 2019 to involve the student community in road safety activities and to create awareness of Road use. The objective of this club is to make students responsible citizens and educate them about traffic rules, traffic regulations and related matters to ensure safety on road. The club regularly involve students in action-based programme related to safe road, safe speed, safe driving and safe vehicle, conducts awareness campaigns about helmet, seat belt, drug abuse, speed, drunk and driving, etc. through slogan and poster making competitions.

❖ SPECTRUM, LGBTQIA + CLUB

Established in 2022, this club is initiated by the students to start a Queer (LGBTQIA+) club to bring more inclusivity among the students by creating awareness and eliminating homophobia, transphobia and biphobia which will help to maintain a healthy and friendly environment on the college campus. Spectrum is a club, organised by students that aims to create a safe, welcoming and supportive environment for everyone on campus, regardless of one's sexual orientation or gender identity and foster strong, confident and engaged communities in society at large.

❖ VĀGVĪCI

The Vasanta College for Women since its inception has been a beacon for education with having concerns with Indian Knowledge System and the department of Sanskrit has been an integral part of the college since then. Hence, department has decided to create an open platform "Vāgvīci" for the students of Sanskrit where the students can articulate their own thoughts embedded in Indian Knowledge Systems essential for the society which ranges from natural, social, economic, political, health and various other aspects of life.

CO-CURRICULAR AND EXTENSION ACTIVITIES



NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

The National Service Scheme (NSS) is a public service program under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India. "Not Me, But You", With this Motto, The five Units of National Service Scheme (NSS) of the college, is working to instill a sense of Community service, to foster leadership skills, discipline, and teamwork. Each unit shall register 100 volunteers and adopt one village for community service, under the guidance of five respective Programme Officers namely Dr. Shreya Pathak (Associate Professor, Dept. of History) Dr. Laeeq Ahmad (Assistant Professor, Dept. Of Urdu), Dr. Samvedana Singh (Assistant Professor, Dept. of AIHC), Dr. Mahesh Kumar Meena (Assistant Professor, Dept. Of History), Dr. Hanuman Prasad Gupta (Assistant Professor, Dept. Of Music-Vocal). One Annual camp of 7 Days and Four One Day Camps are arranged on regular basis in nearby Villages viz. Rajapur, Khalispur, Kotwa and Sarai Mohana. With the Programme Officers at the helm Such camps expose participants to real-world issues like poverty, illiteracy, Health-Hygiene, Importance of Cleanliness, threat of Cyber Crime, Environmental issues and Sustainable Practices etc. and also trains participants in areas like First Aid, Disaster response, and Public Speaking.









NATIONAL CADET CORPS (NCC)



The National Cadet Corps (NCC) is a youth development program. It has enormous potential for nation building. The NCC provides opportunities to the youth of the country for their all-round development with a sense of Duty, Commitment, Dedication, Discipline and Moral Values so that they become able leaders and responsible citizens. The NCC provides exposure to the cadets in a wide range of activities, with a distinct emphasis on Social Services, Discipline and Adventure Training.

The NCC Wing was started in the college from academic session 2017-18 with 38 students. It is open to all regular students

of the colleges on a voluntary basis. The first-year students of BA, B.Com and B.Ed., who are desirous of joining NCC, may contact Associate NCC Officer - Dr. Vibha Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology.













Girls' Guiding Camp with the motto "Be Prepared," Guides are trained to respond to challenges with courage and confidence. They learn essential life skills such as Teamwork, first Aid, Knot-Tying, Camping, and Environmental Conservation. Guiding activities and focus on nurturing core values like honesty, kindness, discipline and a sense of duty towards the nation.









VARSHA-MANGAL

Varsha Mangal was introduced by Gurudev Ravindra Nath Thakur in the year 1928 in Shanti Niketan to commemorate Monsoon. The Monsoon has always been a matter of joy to India tradition running right from Mahakavi Kalidasas' Meghaduta to the modern times and to make the joys journey of monsoon more enjoyable, Vasanta College for Women has also joined the league of Varsha Mangal since 1960. To facilitate the joy of monsoon seasons to the students.





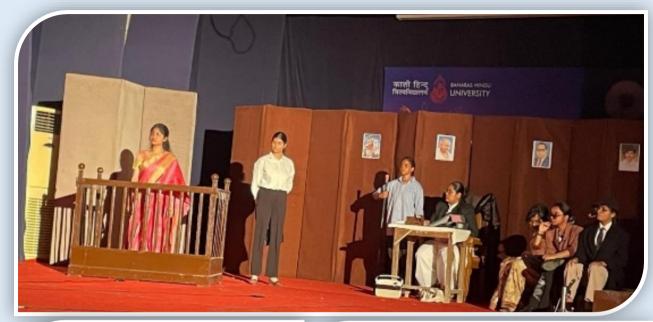
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SPIC MACAY

The Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Amongst Youth (SPIC MACAY) is a voluntary youth movement which promotes intangible aspects of Indian cultural heritage by promoting Indian classical music, classical dance, folk music, yoga, meditation, crafts and other aspects of Indian culture. It is a movement with chapters in over 300 towns all over the world. SPIC MACAY was established by Dr. Kiran Seth in 1977 at IIT Delhi Society for the Promotion of Indian Classical Music and Culture Amongst Youth (SPIC MACAY) is a non-political nationwide voluntary movement that conducts various classical and cultural programmes.

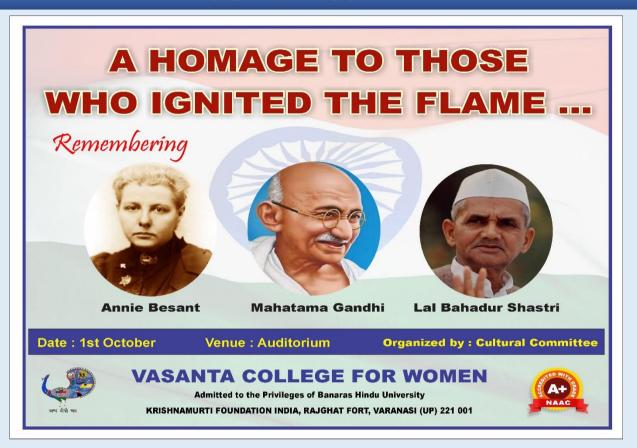








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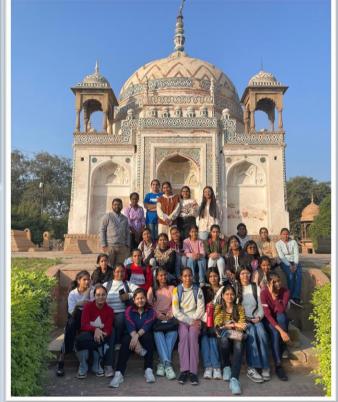


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INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION AND ACTIVITIES















INDUSTRIAL VISIT















DIFFERENTLY-ABLED (DIVYANGJAN) FRIENDLY CAMPUS















GREEN & SAFETY PRINTS



















CONVOCATION









ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Alumni Association of Vasanta College for Women (VCWRAA) registered under Society Registration Act 1860 is very enthusiastically working since many years, to ensure effective interface with the alumni body and encouraging outgoing students to be a member of the Alumni Association of the college and stay connected with their alma mater. It holds its meetings regularly and organizes alumni meet, in which large numbers of alumni participate. The Association indulges in institutional social responsibility with the funds it



raises and contributes sincerely to the college in the interest of the students.



MoUs

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1.	Adore India
2.	Arya Mahila PG College, Varanasi
3.	Ambition Institute of Technology, Varanasi
4.	ASHVA (NGO), Lanka, Varanasi
5.	Atal Incubation Centre_MFIE_IM_BHU
6.	BabaSaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow
7.	Central Institute of Higher Tibetan Studies (CIHST), Sarnath, Varanasi
8.	DAV PG College, Varanasi
9.	Hindi Universe Foundation, Netherlands
10.	ICFAI Business School, Lucknow
11.	International Institute of Knowledge Management (Pvt.) Ltd., Sri Lanka
12.	Jnana Pravaha, Centre for Cultural Studies and Research, Varanasi
13.	Karlstad University, Sweden
14.	Kirori Mal College, University of Delhi
15.	Nai Subah Institute of Mental Health Behavioural Sciences, Varanasi
16.	Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, Nebraska, USA
17.	Pune Institute of Business Management, Pune
18.	Remen's Garments, Lalpur, Varanasi
19.	Sri Satya Sai University of Human Excellence, Kalaburagi
20.	The Small Industries Association, Industrial Estate, Chandpur, Varanasi
21.	Uday Pratap College, Varanasi
22.	Vasant Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Kamachha, Varanasi
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