

## **Seminars/conferences/workshops conducted by the institution during 2023-24**

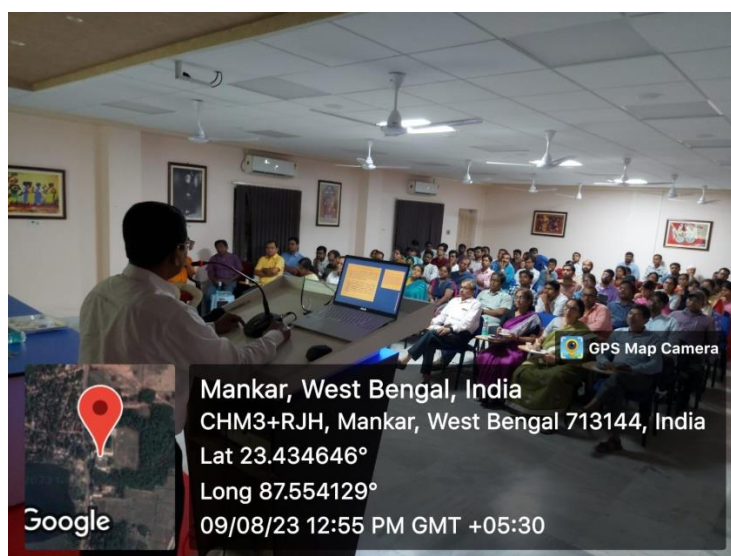
### **1. A workshop on the National Education Policy (NEP, 2020):**



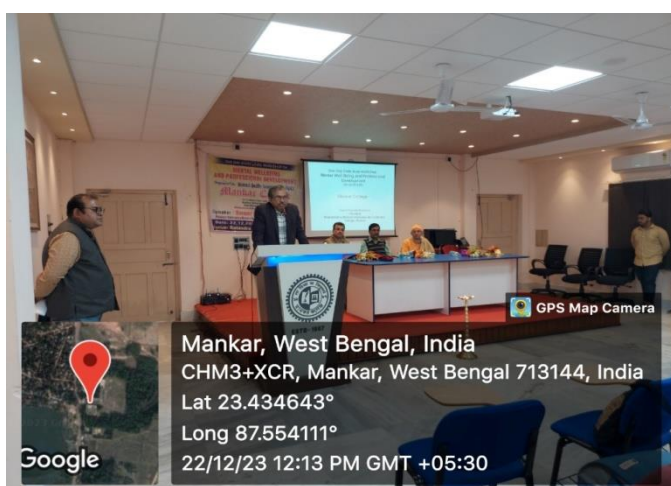
The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) at Mankar College plays a pivotal role in promoting quality initiatives and adopting progressive programs that align with modern educational standards. One of the key initiatives taken by the IQAC was the organization of a workshop on the National Education Policy (NEP, 2020), held on August 9, 2023. This workshop aimed to familiarize faculty members with the recent changes and objectives of NEP 2020, enhancing their understanding of its implementation in higher education.

Mr. Shyamaprasad Dey, Senior Secretary of the Council of UG Studies in Arts, Science, and Commerce at The University of Burdwan, led the session, offering valuable insights into the policy's framework and its implications for curriculum development. The workshop was a significant step in aligning the academic community at Mankar College with national educational reforms.

The success of the program was evident from the active participation of the faculty, who expressed enthusiasm and a deeper understanding of the NEP's principles. This initiative further strengthens the college's commitment to upholding quality standards and providing a contemporary education framework for students. The collaboration between the IQAC and expert speakers ensures that such initiatives are effectively integrated into the academic culture of the institution.



## 2. Mental Wellbeing and Professional Development:



The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) at Mankar College has been instrumental in adopting and promoting initiatives that enhance both the academic and personal growth of the college community. One such initiative was the organization of a one-day workshop on "Mental Wellbeing and Professional Development," held on December 22, 2023. This event, hosted by Mankar College, was organized in collaboration with Guskara

Mahavidyalaya, Galsi Mahavidyalaya, and Vivekananda Mahavidyalaya.

The workshop aimed to address the increasing importance of mental health and professional development in the academic and professional lives of students and faculty. By engaging multiple institutions, the event facilitated a broader exchange of ideas and best practices related to mental wellbeing and career development. The success of the program was evident from the positive feedback received from participants, who appreciated the insightful sessions and the opportunity for self-reflection and growth. Experts in the field of mental health and professional development led the discussions, equipping attendees with practical strategies for managing stress and improving career prospects. The event also encouraged participants to adopt a balanced approach to work and life, which is crucial for long-term success. This initiative was a significant step towards fostering a supportive and thriving educational environment.



