

GOVT. ARYA DEGREE COLLEGE

Nurpur, Distt. Kangra (H.P.)



Annual Report

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"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world"

Nelson Mandela

This famous philosophy serves as our institutional compass, grounding the belief that higher education is the primary engine driving India toward its phenomenal potential on the global stage. It is both the fuel for our national ambition and the bedrock of our individual character. Guided by this vision, Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur, celebrated the excellence flourishing within its walls at the Annual Prize Distribution Function for the 2025–26 academic session.

We are incredibly grateful to our Chief Guest, **Sh. Rajil Vyas, Executive Director**, NHPC Ltd. Regional Office, Banikhet, District Chamba Himachal Pradesh who has honoured the institution with his presence despite a demanding schedule. On behalf of the dedicated faculty, the College Students' Central Association (CSCA), and the Parent-Teacher Association (PTA), a heartiest welcome is extended to all visiting officials, dignitaries, and representatives from both print and electronic media.

This annual milestone serves not only as a platform to felicitate our high achievers but also as a testament to the collective efforts of the staff and students who define the heartbeat of this institution. As we reflect on the achievements of the 2025–26 session, we reaffirm our commitment to academic rigour and character building, ensuring our students are prepared to contribute meaningfully to the global community.

The Institution: An Introduction:

Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur, recognized under Sections **2(f) and 12(B) of the UGC Act 1956**, is a constituent college of Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla established as Arya College for girls in June 1978 with a meagre strength of 20 girls. The institution was started in the sacred memory of Swami Dayanand Saraswati whose name stands among the greatest social and religious reformers of modern India, who propounded that knowledge should be imparted without prejudice of caste, creed and sex and that the basic purpose of propagating real education is to inculcate love for Indian cultural ethics in consonance with the Vedic ideas of universal brotherhood.

The Arya College for girls was taken over by the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh on **25th June 2002** as a co-educational institution and named as **Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur** with only Humanities. But, from the academic session 2009-10, this institution also started Science (Medical & non-medical) and Commerce classes thereby fulfilling the long-standing demand and aspirations of the people of this area.

The University Grants Commission launched an employment-oriented scheme on skill development as a part of college/university education. This vocational degree programme (B. Voc.) started in our college w.e.f. June 2017 with two courses having 40 seats each, one in Retail Management and the other in Hospitality & Tourism.

Having established a significant presence on the educational horizon of Himachal Pradesh University, our college remains steadfast in creating an environment conducive to academic excellence, co-curricular engagement, and the holistic development of both students and staff. Through the consistent efforts of all stakeholders to foster and implement innovative ideas, we actively inculcate the constitutional values of liberty, equality, justice, and fraternity while nurturing a deep sense of cultural tolerance. By prioritizing a student-centric approach—emphasizing best practices through hands-on research and project work—we aim to enlighten the next generation and hone their vast potential. This intellectual rigor is complemented by a rich tapestry of co-curricular engagement; through the disciplined training of the National Cadet Corps (NCC), the selfless community service of the National Service Scheme (NSS), and the specialized environmental advocacy of the Holy Fig Eco-Club and Energy Club, students cultivate a resilient sense of civic duty and environmental stewardship. Furthermore, by fostering an inclusive environment that prizes cultural tolerance and mutual respect, the college ensures that the diverse potential of every individual is nurtured, refined, and directed toward the greater good of society. This synergy between dedicated faculty mentorship, innovative institutional practices, and active community involvement ensures that our graduates emerge as enlightened leaders—individuals who possess not only the technical competence to excel in a globalized economy but also the moral compass and empathetic heart required to navigate the complexities of the modern world.

Staff Position

The institution is currently functioning with a diversified workforce across its academic and administrative divisions, totaling 35 active personnel against a sanctioned strength of 47 posts. The teaching faculty is comprised of 22 active members out of 28 sanctioned positions, maintaining instructional continuity through a blend of 18 regular teachers, 2 HPPSC contract appointees, and 2 staff members employed via PTA GIA, leaving 6 posts vacant. Parallel to this, the administrative infrastructure consists of 19 sanctioned non-teaching posts, of which 13 are currently filled and 6 remain vacant.

Staff Strength Position as on 28-02-2026

Sr. No.	Category/ Subject	Sanctioned Post	Filled		Local/ GIA PTA fund	Vacant
			Regular	Contract		
1	Principal	01	01	----	----	Nil
2	English	03	01	----	01	01
3	Hindi	01	01	----	----	Nil
4	Sanskrit	01	-----	----	----	01
5	Sociology	01	01	----	----	Nil
6	History	01	01	----	----	Nil
7	Political Science	02	-----	01	----	01
8	Geography	01	01	----	----	Nil
9	Music - Instrumental	01	01	----	----	Nil
10	Economics	01	01	----	----	Nil
11	Chemistry	03	-----	01	----	02
12	Physics	03	03	----	----	Nil
13	Zoology	01	01	----	----	Nil
14	Botany	01	01	----	----	Nil
15	Mathematics	03	03	-----	----	Nil
16	Commerce	02	02	----	----	Nil
17	Physical Edu.	01	-----	----	01	Nil
18	Comp. Applications	01	-----	----	----	01
G. Total		28	18	02	02	06

Status of the Non-Teaching Posts

Sr. No.	Name of the post	Sanctioned Post	Filled		Local PTA fund	Vacant
			Regular	Contract		
1	Supdt. Grade-I	01	01	----	----	Nil
2	Supdt. Grade-II	01	-----	----	----	01
3	Clerk/ JOA	02	02	----	01	Nil
4	Librarian / Asstt. Librarian	02	02	----	----	Nil
5	SLA	01	-----	----	----	01
6	JLA	03	01	----	----	02
7	LA	02	02	----	02	Nil
8	Peon / Chowkidar	06	04	----	----	02
	Sweeper	01	01	----	01	Nil
G. Total		19	13	00	04	06

Faculty in Vocational Education

Sr. No.	Name of the post	As sanctioned by Vocational cell DHE
1	Trainers	06
2	LA	02
3	Office Assistant	01
G. Total		09

Student Strength

The college embarked on its academic journey with the strength of just 20 students. We have an enrollment of 1458 students, with 1046 girls and 412 boys in all four streams.

The enrollment for this session 2025-26, category-wise, is as per Annexure B.

The enrolment for the previous sessions and current session are as under:

Sr. No.	Session	Boys	Girls	Enrolment
1	2025-26	412	1046	1458
2	2024-25	488	1107	1595
3	2023-24	590	1295	1885
4	2022-23	577	1474	2051
5	2021-22	773	1657	2430
6	2020-21	577	1415	1992

Category-wise enrolment of students as on 31.01.2026 (Annexure-B)

Sr. No	Class wise /Stream wise Enrolment	General		SC		ST		OBC		Total Boy	Total Girl	G. Total
		B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	Total
Arts	B.A. I	38	104	24	46	12	35	22	77	96	262	358
	B.A. II	16	63	6	30	8	35	13	51	43	179	222
	B.A. III	18	81	10	40	7	26	2	58	37	205	242
	Total	72	248	40	116	27	96	37	186	176	646	822
Science	B.Sc. I	14	41	6	18	2	10	12	30	34	99	133
	B.Sc. II	5	18	1	10	1	1	6	24	13	53	66
	B.Sc. III	7	23	1	8	0	1	5	28	13	60	73
	Total	26	82	8	36	3	12	23	82	60	212	272
Commerc	B. Com I	18	18	6	3	3	1	13	13	40	35	75
	B. Com II	11	12	2	5	2	4	5	13	20	34	54
	B. Com III	12	15	3	7	2	0	2	8	19	30	49
	Total	41	45	11	15	7	5	20	34	79	99	178
Vocational	B. Voc. I	21	22	2	7	4	4	13	8	40	41	81
	B. Voc. 3	12	18	5	6	4	2	7	8	28	34	62
	B. Voc. 5	10	7	10	2	4	2	5	3	29	14	43
	Total	43	47	17	15	12	8	25	19	97	89	186
	Gr. Total	182	422	76	182	49	121	105	321	412	1046	1458

Achievements Topper in HPU & SPU CBCS Undergraduate Examination

(Session April / May 2025)

The college is pleased to recognise the outstanding academic excellence of our students in securing the top three positions in college, respectively:

B.Sc. (NM)

1. Payal D/o Sh. Satpal
2. Kanika Rana D/o Sh. Sudhir Singh
3. Vinakshi Pathania D/o Sh. Jagdeep Singh

B.Sc. (M)

1. Arushi D/o Sh. Chaman Singh
2. Shruti Dhiman D/o Sh. Rajnish
3. Kushal Kourdar S/o Sh. Naresh Pal

B.A.

1. Neha D/o Sh. Om Pal
2. Sushma Kumari D/o Sh. Joginder Singh
3. Mridul Rapotra S/o Sh. Rakesh Kumar

B.Com.

1. Suhani D/o Sh. Vinay Kumar
2. Kritia Jaryal D/O Sh. Ramesh
3. Sran D/o Sh Satish Kumar

B.Voc. (RM)

1. Jiya D/o Sh. Rajesh Kumar
2. Shruti D/o Sh. Ramesh Singh
3. Priyanka D/o Sh. Avinash Rai

B.Voc. (H&T)

1. Kamaljeet S/o Sh. Vijay Kumar
2. Soyam S/o Sh. Sanjeev

Academic:- The record of our university results for the last year is as under:

Science	Commerce	Arts	B. Vocational
B.Sc. 1 st Year 43 %	B.Com. 1 st Year 74 %	B.A. 1 st Year 56 %	B. Voc. 1 st & 2 nd Sem. 65 %
B.Sc. 2 nd Year 88 %	B.Com. 2 nd Year 83 %	B.A. 2 nd Year 76 %	B. Voc. 3 rd & 4 th Sem. 75 %
B.Sc. 3 rd Year 83 %	B.Com. 3 rd Year 94 %	B.A. 3 rd Year 98 %	B. Voc. 5 th & 6 th Sem. 85 %

Scholarships

The Government Arya Degree College offers various scholarships and awards to students. Applications for these scholarships are submitted to the college after the recommendation of the tutor. The college offers the following scholarships:

1. Community Sponsored Scholarships:

College has introduced Community Sponsored new Scholarships (Rs 2100/- each) in four broad categories under the program “एक ज्ञान ज्योति मेरे अपने के नाम”. The program aims at empowering and assisting talented students from diverse backgrounds in pursuing higher education and realizing their academic and career goals. The College PTA body and prominent members of the community in Nurpur have taken this initiative to support needy students financially and briefly in the following four categories:

Sr.	Scholarship Category	Scholarship name & Eligibility	Sponsor
1.	Merit Based Scholarship	1.Sh. Sat Mahajan Charitable Trust Scholarship for <i>Overall Topper of the College in HPU Examination</i> 2. Smt. Bimla Devi & Sh. Vakil Singh Memorial Scholarship for <i>Highest Score in Maths in University Examination</i>	1. Sh. Ajay Mahajan (Former MLA, Nurpur Constituency) 2. Dr. Sohan Kumar Assistant Professor of Maths GADC Nurpur
2.	Sports Excellence Scholarship	1.Sh. Sat Mahajan Charitable Trust Scholarship 2.Sh. Mehar Singh Memorial Scholarship. 3. Sh. Bansi Lal Memorial Scholarship. <i>For top sports achiever</i>	1.Sh. Ajay Mahajan (Former MLA Nurpur Constituency) 2.Sh. Sunil Singh (PTA President) 3.Sh. Raj Kumar Verma.
3.	Need Based Scholarship	1. Sh. Sat Mahajan Charitable Trust Scholarship. 2. Sh. Mukhtiar Singh Jasrotia Memorial Scholarship 3. Sh. Onkar Singh Memorial Scholarship 4. Sh. Bansi Lal Memorial Scholarship 5. PTA Sponsored Scholarship <i>For the needy students with the recommendation by the committee.</i>	1.Sh. Ajay Mahajan (Former MLA Nurpur Constituency) 2.Sh. Sanjay Kumar Jasrotia Associate Professor of Chemistry GC Dharamshala 3. Sh. Manjit Singh Assistant Professor of History GADC Nurpur 4. Mr. Suraj VPO Panjehra Teh. Nurpur Distt. Kangra 5.College PTA Body
4.	Especially Abled Scholarship	Mr. Aditav Manhas Scholarship <i>For the specially abled student with the recommendations of the committee</i>	Sh. Sourabh Singh VPO Baduhi Teh - Nurpur Distt. Kangra

2. Government-sponsored scholarships

Government-sponsored scholarships are financial aid programs provided by government bodies to support students pursuing education. These scholarships aim to promote education, especially among disadvantaged groups, by reducing the financial burden of tuition fees and other educational costs. Our institution has successfully verified 126 fresh scholarship applications and 82 renewable scholarship applications during this academic session.

Sr. No.	Name of Scholarship	No. of students applied for	
		Fresh	Renewable
1.	Kalpna Chawla Chatravriti Yojna – Himachal Pradesh	14	19
2.	PM Yasasvi Post Matric Scholarship for OBC, EBC and DNT students- Himachal Pradesh	61	21
3.	Centrally Sponsored Post Matric Scholarship Scheme for SC Students – Himachal Pradesh	16	14
4.	Centrally Sponsored Post Matric Scholarship Scheme for ST Students – Himachal Pradesh	14	06
5.	Central Sector Scheme of Scholarships for College and University Students	20	22
6.	Post – matric Scholarship for Students with Disabilities	01	NIL

New Additions/ Transfers and Retirements

- **Prof. Sanjay Kumar Jasrotia**, Associate Professor in Chemistry, has been transferred to Govt. College, Dharamshala.
- **Dr. Suresh Kumar Chaudhary**, Assistant Professor in Sociology, has been transferred to Govt. College, Indora.
- **Dr. Anjana Gautam**, Assistant Professor in Sociology, joined the institution following her transfer from Govt. College, Indora, Dist. Kangra.
- **Dr. Kumari Seema**, Assistant Professor in Physics, joined the institution following her transfer from Govt. College, Dehri, Dist. Kangra.
- **Prof. Seema Ohri**, Associate Professor in English, superannuated on 31st July 2025 after completing her services in the Dept. of Higher Education.
- **Sh. Kamal Kishor**, SLA, superannuated on 31 January 2026 after completing his services in the Dept. of Education.
- **Mrs. Balwinder Kaur, Poen**, superannuated on 31 May 2025 after completing her services in the Dept. of Education.
- **Mr. Roop Lal**, JLA, joined the institution upon his promotion from Govt. (B) Sr. Sec. School Nurpur, Dist. Kangra (HP).

Faculty Achievements

The faculty of the college is valued for its academic expertise, professional competence, proactive approach, and pedagogic initiatives, along with extending quality education to the students. The faculty members also help them to develop constructive ideas, ethical and humanitarian values, and a deep sense of responsibility towards society. During this session, several faculty members have been taking part in FDP, workshops, and other academic activities that keep them updated with the latest knowledge and information in their respective fields.

- **Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur, Principal**, as invited as a resource person by the UGC-MMTTC, HPU, Shimla, on the topic technology, Botanical Databases & Changing Face of Plant Taxonomy and Bhagat Fool Singh Mahila Vishwavidyalaya, Sonapat, Haryana, on the topic indigenous healing herbs and their sustainable use." He has also authored one book chapter titled biodiversity: Symphony of Life on Earth and one research paper entitled Antioxidant-Antimicrobial Evaluation of *lematis tibetana* Kuntze: A Phytochemical Study from the Cold Desert Biosphere Reserve, Spiti, India.
- **Dr. Diljeet Singh, Associate Professor Zoology**), authored a paper titled Nest Composition and Chicks of Spotted Dove (*pilopelia chinensis*: A Study at Arya College Nurpur, Himachal Pradesh. He presented 06 research papers in international and national conferences. He also acted as chairperson for two technical sessions in two international conferences.
- **Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Associate Professor Botany**), authored (published) three research papers in international journals, including two in the *International Journal of Innovative Science and Research Technology* and one in the *OSR Journal of Biotechnology and Biochemistry*. He also contributed a chapter titled biodiversity: Symphony of Life on Earth. During this session, he attended one workshop, one FDP, and one refresher course. He presented 10 research papers in international & national conferences. He chaired two technical sessions at an international and national conference.
- **Dr. Anjana Gautam, Assistant Professor (Sociology)**, presented one paper at a national conference and one at an international conference. She has also been conferred a Ph.D. degree.
- **Sh Manjit Singh** Assistant Professor (History), attended the refresher course subject of history. He has also attended one FDP and presented four research papers in National and International conferences. He also acted as Chairperson for a technical.
- **Dr. Anil Kumar, Assistant Professor (Hindi)**, attended a refresher course and an FDP. Additionally, he attended two international conferences.
- **Ms Kiran Bala, Assistant Professor (Commerce)**, attended one Refresher Course. She presented research papers at three International Conferences and one National Conference.
- **Ms Alka** Assistant Professor (Physics), presented two research papers at International Conferences.
- **Ms Shashi Bala, Assistant Professor (Physics)**, presented research papers in two International Conferences.

- **Ms Reema Kumari**, Assistant Professor (English), presented two research paper in two international conferences. She attended one FDP and one Short-Term Course.
- **Mr. Sohan Kumar** Assistant Professor (Mathematics), attended one FDP, and he presented four research papers at different international conferences.
- **Lt. Surjeet Kumar**, Assistant Professor (Mathematics), attended one Refresher Course and two FDPs. He attended a three-day training and a one-day training programme. He presented 04 research papers at international and national conferences. He has passed the HAM Amateur Radiolicense exam. He authored a research paper titled "knowledge-Guided LLM Compression and Distillation using Retrieval-Augmented Learning for On-Device Deployment" in IEEEI International Conference.
- **Mr. Surjeet Singh**, Assistant Professor (Commerce), completed the Disaster Risk Reduction course at NIDM Delhi. He has also attended an FDP. He has also presented two research papers at National and International conferences. He attended a one-week National Integration Camp at Roffel Arts and Commerce College, Vapi in Gujarat.
- **Dr. Kumari Seema**, Assistant Professor (Physics), attended one refresher course and one FDP. She also attended four national & international conferences.
- **Dr. Bharti Bhagsain**, Assistant Professor (Music Instrumental), has been awarded Ph.D. degree. She has presented six research papers at international, national conferences and attended one FDP.
- **Sh. Shiv Kumar** Assistant Professor Mathematics), attended an FDP. He presented four research papers at International & National conferences.
- **Dr. Satya Prakash** Assistant Professor Geography), authored two research papers in the *Journal of Earth System Science, Springer and Cleaner Water, Elsevier* He also attended one FDP and presented three research papers at International and National conferences. He served as a Keynote Speaker at a National Webinar.
- **Ms. Pearl Bakshi**, Assistant Professor (Economics), attended a one-week residential capacity building program at IIM Jammu. She has also attended one refresher course and participated in two International Conferences.
- **Dr. Manoj Kumar** Assistant Professor (Chemistry), presented one paper at the International Conference.
- **Dr. Rohit Kumar** Assistant Professor (Political Science), attended an FDP and presented two papers at international conferences.
- **Dr. Monika** (Physical Education) has been awarded with Ph.D. degree.

College Student Central Association (CSCA)

The following are the nominations for the CSCA 2025-26 on the basis of outstanding academic merit in the university/board examinations:

1. **President - Ms Shamili Thakur** D/o Sh. Ganesh Kumar of B.Sc. final.
2. **Vice President - Ms Arpita** D/o Sh. Pawan Kumar of class BA final year.
3. **Secretary - Ms Vanshika** D/o Sh. Satya Prakash Sharma of class B. Com 2nd year
4. **Joint Secretary - Ms Riya Choudhary** D/o Sh. Daljeet Singh of B. Voc. (HT) 1st Sem.

Apart from office bearers, 23 students have been nominated as members of CSCA from academic and different clubs and societies on the basis of outstanding contribution.

Sports

This academic year has been a landmark for our college athletes, who brought immense pride to the institution by securing a total of **eight medals-two gold, three silver, and three bronzes-at the HPU Inter-College Championships in wrestling and athletics.** During the HPU Wrestling Championship held at GC Daulatpur Chowk (Men) and GC Nalagarh (Women),

1. Siya (BA 2nd Year) and Mandeep Kaur (BA 3rd Year) won Silver Medals.
2. Tanish (BA 3rd Year) and Ramandeep (B.Sc. 2nd Year) won bronze medals.

In the **HPU Inter-College Athletics Championship** at G.C. Bilaspur,

1. Karunesh (BA 1st Year) delivered a standout performance by winning **two gold medals in the discus and javelin throws.**
2. Nandani Devi (BA 1st Year) won silver medal in the high jump
3. Nishant Rana (BA 3rd Year) won bronze medal in the shot put.

Apart from these achievements, the sports department celebrated National Sports Day 2025 on campus by organising various athletic activities to promote sportsmanship and physical fitness.

The college celebrated its Annual Athletic Meet on 27 Dec. 2025

The meet featured various activities and the winners were awarded with Certificates and medals in the following categories:

- **Men's 100m Race:** Sahil (1st), Pankaj (2nd), Akash (3rd)
- **Women's 100m Race:** Priya Chaudhary (1st), Shruti (2nd), Shweta Devi (3rd)
- **Men's Shot Put:** Karunesh (1st), Bunt Kumar (2nd), Lakshya Mahajan (3rd)
- **Women's Shot Put:** Pallavi (1st), Pallavi Chaudhary (2nd), Muskan Rana (3rd)
- **Men's Discus Throw:** Karunesh (1st), Karan Kumar (2nd), Lakshya Mahajan (3rd)
- **Women's Discus Throw:** Pallavi (1st), Tamanna Devi (2nd), Mandeep Kaur (3rd)

- **Men's Javelin Throw:** Karunesh (1st), Bunt Kumar (2nd), Ayush (3rd)
- **Women's Javelin Throw:** Tamanna (1st), Mandeep Kaur (2nd), Nandini Devar (3rd)
- **Men's Long Jump:** Pankaj (1st), Yashpal (2nd), Akash (3rd)
- **Women's Long Jump:** Priya Chaudhary (1st), Arpita Guleriya (2nd), Shruti (3rd)
- **Men's High Jump:** Narendra (1st), Rajpal (2nd), Dheeraj (3rd)
- **Women's High Jump:** Nandini Devi (1st), Muskan Rana (2nd), Shruti (3rd)
- **Best Athlete Men:** Karunesh B.A 1st year and Women -Priya Choudhary B.A 3rd year

Academic Activities

During the session, the departments conducted various Academic Activities in the college. Each department held special remedial classes in the month of February for identified students to help them to do better in their studies and improve their grades in the upcoming university examination.

Department of Zoology organised:

- A 30-hour add-on course on 'Beekeeping' from 23-09-2025 to 27-10-2025. Thirty students enrolled in the program, learnt about the applications in apiculture.
- 40 students participated in the field visit on 24-09-2025 to gain practical knowledge on beekeeping (apiculture) at an apiary in Samma village (Khajjian), Tehsil Nurpur,
- "World Wildlife Week" (October 2025) was observed to raise awareness about wildlife conservation in which various activities were organised that includes a declamation contest, poster-making competition, wildlife photography workshop, digital photography competition, and a quiz on the wildlife of Himachal Pradesh and India.
- A lecture-cum-workshop on "Nutrition" on 11-10-2025. The sessions were led by resource persons Mr. Abhishek Kumar (Health Counsellor at CHC Nurpur).
- A lecture on 'Nutrition and a Balanced Diet' on 25-11-2025 by resource person Dr Dilwar Singh, BMO at Kamnala.

Department of Botany organised:

- An add-on course on 'Mushroom Farming' w.e.f. 1st September to 30th November 2025. 62 college students successfully completed the course.
- An 'Educational Visit and Workshop at Subdivisional Community Fruit Processing and Training Centre, Department of Horticulture, Nurpur on 09 -09-2025.
- A visit to Mushroom Cultivation Farm at Bhanai (Jawali) on 04-10-2025.

- A quiz competition on "Mushroom Farming" on 6 November 2025 with the participation of 50 students.
- A visit to the 'Sarab Mushroom Farm' located in Bhadwar of tehsil Nurpur on 13-11-2025.
- Observed "World AIDS Day 2025" on the theme "Overcoming disruption, transforming the AIDS response" on 01-12-2025.
- A workshop on fruit and vegetable processing at Nurpur on 09-09-2025.

Department of History organised:

- One-day educational tour to Kangra Fort in which 60 students explored the area and its historical importance.

Department of Commerce organised:

- An interactive session on modern career prospects was organised on 29 July 2025.
- A lecture by an expert from SEBI, focused on financial literacy and investment safety.
- An awareness program bridging entrepreneurship and insurance literacy on 21 Dec 2025.
- A motivational lecture at Bakshi Tek Chand Govt. Girls School, Nurpur.
- Marine Day on 25 Sept 2025 which includes poster-making and declamation contests.
- International Peace Day observed on 21 Sept 2025 in which students performed peace songs.
- An educational Tour on 22 Nov 2025 to Dharamshala to explore the opportunities in the field of commerce and Economics.

Department of English organised

- A poetry writing competition on 11 Sept 2025 to tap the creative realm of students.
- A screening of a film on 27 Oct, 2025, written by S.R. Harnot to promote the indigenous literature of Himachal Pradesh.
- An English Olympiad on 24 Nov 2025 to assess the academic proficiency.

Department of Mathematics organised:

- National Library Day on the birth anniversary of the great mathematician Shri S.R. Ranganathan. "Father of Library Science in India" was observed on 12 August 2025 by dedicated activities.
- An online seminar on the "Effect of Disaster in Himachal and Disaster Risk Reduction" on 5 Sept 2025 in which 68 students participated.
- A lecture in which the resource person from HPU Dr. Mahak Sharma, Assistant

Professor in Mathematics shared an informative lecture on "Career Opportunities in the field of Mathematics and Statistics."

- An awareness session on the Life History of the great mathematician Srinivasa Ramanujan and a movie screening on "Ramanujan."

Department of Geography organised:

- An Academic Internship from June 13 to July 25 completed by Mr. Samar from Lovely Professional University.
- A comprehensive field survey to document and map disaster events across Nurpur and surrounding areas following the 2025 monsoon season.
- One-day intensive field study in Bhalun Village, Jassur, focusing on primary data collection and regional mapping.

Department of Hindi:

- वार्षिक गतिविधियों में हिन्दी विभाग ने सर्वप्रथम एक पौधा माँ के नाम नामक गतिविधि करवाई
- हिन्दी विभाग में अतिरिक्त पूरक पाठ्यक्रम समाचार और मल्टीमीडिया नामक विषय के अंतर्गत 36 घंटे का अध्ययन किया जिसमें विद्यार्थियों ने समाचार कैसे कब, कहाँ, किस तरह से एकत्रित किया जाता है और बनाया जाता है आदि सीखा।
- हिन्दी विभाग ने एक शैक्षिक भ्रमण भी किया जिसके अंतर्गत उन्होंने पालमपुर के विज्ञान भवन, गोपालपुर में चिड़ियाघर, और अंत में माता चामुंडा नदिकेश्वर धाम के बारे में जाना।

Department of Economics

- July 29, 2025: Held an interactive session on career prospects in the field of Economics.
- Sept. 25, 2025: Observed International Marine Day to raise awareness about the blue economy.
- October 13, 2025: Organized a field visit to a mushroom farm at Bhadwar for practical knowledge.
- October 14, 2025: Conducted a seminar featuring a SEBI expert to discuss capital and money markets.
- November 22, 2025: Organized an educational excursion to Dharamshala focused on sustainable tourism.
- Outreach Activity: Visited Bakshi Tek Chand Senior Secondary School, Nurpur, to discuss career opportunities in Economics.
- February 26, 2026: Held a seminar on the importance of statistics in nation-building with Dr. Amit Shrivastava from JUIT, Wagnaghat.

Department of B. Voc. Organised:

- A site visit to Hotels in Jot and Chamba.
- World Tourism Day was observed students led a cleanliness drive at local tourist

spots to promote sustainable tourism.

- A visit to Reliance Trends, Kangra, provides students with first-hand experience in floor management and retail operations.
- An Expert Lecture Series in the month of September and October, 2025 was carried by the department to introduce students to the practical insight of the industrial exposers.
- A session by experts from Reliance Trends and Zudio (Tata Trent).
- Professional mentorship from ITC Park and Zone by The Park representatives.

New Digital and Skill Development Initiative

- To enhance practical learning and technological advancement, the college has established a well-equipped Skill Lab with 20 computers to support skill-based training and hands-on practice.
- The Digital Library is strengthened with 60 smart tablets, enabling students to access e-resources and online study materials conveniently.
- A 10 kV solar power plant at Science Block is currently under process, reflecting the institution's commitment to sustainable and eco-friendly energy solutions.
- The college has also established two new smart classrooms to promote innovative teaching and learning.
- A Virtual Classroom with Front and Back Cameras will be established soon to support skill activities and innovative teaching-learning practices in the era of Artificial Intelligence.
- In collaboration with Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, organised a 'Workshop on Basic Molecular Biology Techniques' on 26-02-2026 in the Department of Botany in which 55 students from GADC Nurpur and 15 students from WRS GC Dehri actively participated.

College Library

The library of an institution reflects its intellectual strength and academic excellence. Our college library is fully digitalized and equipped with computers and internet facilities, along with a spacious and well-maintained reading room and digital library to provide a conducive environment for learning. The library has a rich collection of 6,284 books covering various subjects and disciplines. In addition to that, the digital library is also established with 60 smart-tablets to enhance students' access to e-learning materials and online resources. To keep students informed about current affairs and recent developments, the library subscribes to nine magazines, seven newspapers, and two academic journals. Furthermore, the college provides access to the N-LIST programme for the convenience of students, enabling them to explore a vast range of e-books and e-journals for academic enrichment.

College Magazine

The college magazine, "**Himnoor**," continues to serve as a vital creative canvas for budding writers to showcase their intellectual and artistic genius across diverse linguistic and academic spheres. By featuring dedicated sections for English, Science, Hindi, Sanskrit, B. Voc., the Planning Forum, and a specialized Pahari section, the publication successfully fulfills its mission of nurturing and encouraging young minds. This achievement is a testament to the meticulous guidance of Chief Editor **Dr. Anil Kumar** and his dedicated team of co-editors-Prof. Reema Kumari, Prof. Manjit Singh, Prof. Kiran, Prof. Surjeet Singh, and Dr. Manoj-all of whom have played an instrumental role in the magazine's sustained success. As the latest edition nears completion, we remain confident that its rich content will be deeply appreciated by our readers and the wider academic community.

The Holy Fig Eco Club

The Holy Fig Eco Club has continued its mission of fostering environmental stewardship under the expert guidance of **Dr. Rakesh Kumar** (Associate Professor, Botany) as Coordinator, supported by committee members Dr. Satya Prakash (Assistant Professor, Geography), Ms. Pearl Bakshi (Assistant Professor, Economics), and Dr. Manoj Kumar (Assistant Professor, Chemistry). This multidisciplinary leadership team has overseen a vibrant cohort of 50 enrolled students, integrating perspectives from the natural and social sciences to drive the club's ecological initiatives in the following ways:

- Celebrated "World Environment Day" on 5th June 2025.
- Carried out Plantation Drive (Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam) at Ghain Lagore Panchayat (Theru Wali Mata Mandir) Nurpur on 24 July 2025.
- Carried out Plantation of 60 medicinal plants in College Campus on 6 August 2025.
- Celebrated 'Himalaya Day-2025' was celebrated by 'Eco Club' on 9th September 2025.
- Observed World Ozone Day-2025 under theme 'From Science to Global Action' on 16 September 2025.
- Organized a quiz competition on "Environmental Awareness" September 25, 2025.
- Carried out plantation drive in 'Arogya Vanam' new botanical garden (near Theru Wali Mata Temple and upcoming new building of the college) in village Ghain Lagore Panchayat on 26 September 2025.
- Celebrated 'International Mountain Day 2025' on theme "Glaciers matter for water, food, and livelihoods in the mountains and beyond" on 11 December 2025.
- Organized 'Save Wetlands Campaign-2026'.

National Cadet Corps (NCC)

The NCC focuses on strengthening youth character, discipline, patriotism, and selfless services and is guided by the motto "एकता और अनुशासन" The NCC unit of Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur, operates under the visionary leadership of Associate NCC

Officer (ANO) **Lt. Surjeet Kumar**. Currently, the unit maintains a sanctioned strength of two and a half platoons, totalling 134 cadets, established under the Border Area Expansion of NCC Services. During the current session, 57 new cadets were successfully recruited by the official team from the NCC Battalion, Dalhousie. Our cadets demonstrated exceptional grit and skill in various high-level training environments and participated in the following activities:

- A one-week Yoga Training Workshop (21-27 June 2025) was organized by the NCC unit, with the strength of 85 students from NCC, NSS, R & R. The workshop was led by Mr. Rajat Kumar from the Yoga Institute, and the closing ceremony was graced by the resource person, Dr. Neha Thakur (AMO).
- The NCC unit organized a poster-making competition on 28 June 2025 themed "New India - Empower India", observed Paper Bag Day on 12 July 2025 with a declamation and poster-making competition on "Paper Bag - A Step Towards Sustainability", and an essay writing competition on Operation Sindoor on 30 July 2025.
- An awareness lecture was organised on "Career Guidance & opportunities in the defence" on 15 July 2025, resource person Colonel Nishant Rath, Commanding Officer, 81 Armored Regiment, and Adjutant Major Shubham Thakur delivered lecture on Operation Sindoor.
- The NCC unit commemorated 26 years of Kargil Vijay Diwas with a screening of movie "Amarran" to pay respect to our war heroes.
- "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam 2.0" A plantation drive was organized in collaboration with the Forest Department. To encourage students DFO Amit Sharma distributed 300 saplings among cadets.
- Observed International Youth Day - HIV/AIDS Awareness Campaign was initiative by our cadets in collaboration with Manav Seva Trust.
- A National Geo-Spatial Mission under PM Gati Shakti initiated with an oath ceremony followed by poster-making and debate discussions by the cadets.
- An International Day of Non-Violence was also observed by NCC cadets to spread awareness.
- A run for Unity in collaboration with the Police Department was organised in which 85 cadets participated.
- Vande Mataram Group Song Recitation on the 150th anniversary of the National Song was organised with the enthusiastic participation of 600 students.
- The NCC Day was celebrated through various activities on campus.
- 48 NCC cadets participated in the Independence Day Parade, and 34 cadets took part in the Republic Day Parade at the Sub-Division level along with the Police officers from the Himachal Pradesh Police Department.

- A dedicated cohort of NCC cadets participated in various national-level camps and training programs during the year. Cadets attended the Sardar Patel Narmada Trek in Gujarat, Army Attachment Camps at Dharamshala and Alhilal (Palampur), and the Sports Wall Climbing Training Camp at Garhwal Rifles Regimental Centre, Lansdowne. Two SW cadets participated in the IGC RD Camp at NCC Training Academy, Roopnagar (Punjab), four cadets attended the EBSB Camp at NCC Academy, Malout, and three cadets joined the 10-day Adventure Camp at Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Mountaineering and Allied Sports, Manali. Additionally, 71 cadets participated in the Annual Training Camp organized by 9 HP Bn NCC, Dalhousie, where Sgt. Rohit Kumar secured 1st position in firing, Sgt. Pallavi secured 3rd position in DST, and UO Aryan Prashar secured 1st position in DST.
- 40 cadets appeared in the NCC BEE Certificate Exam held at GC Dharamshala and 23 cadets appeared in the NCC CEE Certificate Exam held at GC Una.

Achievements & Recognitions: - Sr. Under Officer Sahil and Corporal Sonia were nominated as NCC CSCA members for their dedicated and outstanding contribution along with Sergeant Rohit Kumar and Sergeant Chahat Kainth were selected as the best cadets for their exceptional performance in the current session.

Red Ribbon Club

Under the leadership of Nodal Officer Prof. Surjeet Singh (Commerce) and committee members Dr. Rohit Kumar, Ms. Monika, and Ms. Madhu, the Red Ribbon Club (RRC) remains a vital force for public health education at Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur. Tasked with the essential mission of sensitizing the student body regarding HIV and AIDS, the club was successfully reconstituted at the beginning of the 2025-26 academic sessions with an enrolment of 50 dedicated volunteers. To foster a stigma-free environment, the club facilitated students by organising following activities:

- Organised a blood donation camp in collaboration with Buddha Charitable Blood Centre, Kangra.
- The AIDS Day Awareness Rally was organized by the NCC cadets in collaboration with the Red Ribbon Club and the NSS Unit of the college.
- One teaching faculty (member) of RRC has attended the meeting at Dharamshala organised by CMO Kangra on TB Mukht Bharat on 24-02-2026.

National Service Scheme (NSS)

The college maintains a vibrant National Service Scheme (NSS) unit under the dedicated leadership of Program Officer **Sh. Surjeet Singh** (Assistant Professor of Commerce). In the current session, the unit successfully reconstituted its cohort by enrolling 100 volunteers committed to the **NSS motto, "Not Me, But You."** Throughout the year, this disciplined group spearheaded a variety of social welfare and community development

initiatives, bridging the gap between the institution and society.

The following activities highlight the unit's contributions during the current session:

- The unit organised a Plantation Drive in the newly constructed college with the help of the local community. Approximately 100 indigenous saplings were planted by the volunteers.
- Organised a screening of a short film on cleanliness shown to NSS volunteer.
- A plastic free campus campaign organised in college, aim of the programme was to promote cleanliness on the campus and to raise awareness about the harmful effects of single use plastic.
- A one-day cleanliness drive was organised on the college campus.
- On December 30, 2025, a seven-day camp was organised on the college campus with the theme of "Apna Nurgpur Swachh aur sunder Nurgpur".
- Mr. Vansh Kumar of B. Sc. 3rd Year and Ms. Dimple Kumari of BA 2nd year are selected as best NSS volunteers for the current session.

Rovers & Rangers:

The Bharat Scouts & Guides is a registered Society under the Societies Registration Act. It is a voluntary, non-political, and secular organization. The college has two units of this organization. Prof. Kiran Bala and Assistant Prof. Shiv Kumar are in-charges, respectively. On the onset of the current academic session, 12 Rovers and 12 Rangers were enrolled, and conducted following activities:

- 19-26 May 2025: Six Rovers and one Ranger completed a seven-day First Aid internship at Civil Hospital Nurgpur.
- 21-26 June 2025: Ten Rovers and Rangers participated in a week-long yoga training workshop on campus.
- 24 July 2025: Participated in a plantation drive under the "Ek Ped Maa Ke Naam" campaign.
- 1 August 2025: Celebrated International Scouts Scarf Day.
- 15 August 2025: Celebrated Independence Day with reels, posters, and march past at Mini Secretariat, Nurgpur.
- 24 September 2025: Organised Blood donation camp at GADC Nurgpur campus.
- 30 September 2025: Observed Non-Violence Day with a screening of the movie "I Am Kalam."
- 20 November 2025: Basic training on campaigning and tent setup by resource person Dr. Satya Prakash.
- 25 November 2025: Organised "Plastic Free Campus" awareness activity.
- 30 Dec 2025 - 5 Jan 2026: Four Ranger students attended a seven-day Disaster Management Training Program at Kangra.

Women Grievance Redressal Cell

The Women Grievance Redressal Cell, led by Convener Dr. Anjana Gautam and supported by committee members Dr. Anil Kumar, Ms. Kiran Bala, and Ms. Pearl Bakshi, remains dedicated to ensuring a safe and supportive campus for all female students and staff.

- The Cell promptly addresses and resolves grievances at the college level, forwarding matters requiring further action to the concerned authorities.
- Regular awareness and hygiene-related lectures are conducted to promote a safe and informed campus environment.

Disaster Management Committee:

The Disaster Management Committee remained highly active in this session, focusing on building a resilient and prepared student body through specialised training and collaboration with national agencies. The dedicated committee is led by **Lt. Surjeet Kumar** Assistant Prof. (Mathematics), and supported by committee members Sh. Surjeet Singh, Asst. Prof. (Commerce); Sh. Shiv Kumar, Asst. Prof. (Mathematics); and Dr. Satya Prakash, Asst. Prof. (Geography). To spread awareness, the committee has organised following activities: -

- Twenty-three NCC cadets participated in the mock drill on earthquake preparedness conducted across Kangra district under the aegis of NDRF and SDRF.
- Thirty-Seven volunteers attended two-day residential Refresher Course for DDMA from 21-22 August 2025 at EDMRC Kangra organised by SDRF.
- Convener of the committee attended three days residential training on PM 10 points agenda on Disaster Risk Reduction at Dharamshala from 25-27 Sept 2025.
- A workshop-cum-educational visit to the NDRF Battalion was organised for the NCC and NSS students. Commandant Sh. Baljinder Singh briefed the students regarding the functioning of NDRF, and took practical training sessions on First Aid, CPR, and medical response techniques.
- Committee observed International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction under Samarth 2025 campaign. Around 500 college students actively participated in the Selfie Activity-Selfie Samarth 2025 and Pledge ceremony-Samarth pledge with a message that I will invest in preparedness; I will spread awareness about resilience, Fund Resilience, Not Disaster.
- Six students participated in the One Day Orientation Workshop-cum- Meeting of Resilience Fair on 24-10-2025 at Govt College Matour.
- Four NSS and three rangers completed one-week residential training under Yuva Aapda Mitra Scheme (YAMS) at Kangra.

Road Safety Club:

The **Road Safety Club** is dedicated to promoting traffic awareness and responsible commuting habits among the youth. **Dr. Diljeet Singh**, Associate Prof. (Zoology), is the coordinator, and Sh. Manjit Singh, Asst. Prof. (History); Sh. Surjeet Kumar, Asst. Prof. (Mathematics); Sh. Surjeet Singh, Asst. Prof. (Commerce); and Ms. Bharti Bhagsain, Asst. Prof. (Music), are the members of the Road Safety Club. During the current academic session, 50 students were enrolled in the club and organised the following activities:

- An introductory lecture on "The Aims and Objectives of Road Safety" dated 29 August 2025, in which road safety booklets were distributed among students.
- A lecture and workshop on 'First Aid and Basic Life Support (CPR)' and 'Road Safety for Youth'. Resource persons Dr. Shubham Mahajan and Mr. Abhishek Kumar from Civil Hospital, Nurpur, shared valuable insights.
- On 31 October 2025, a poster-making competition on 'Traffic Rules and Road Safety' was organised to flourish the creative canvas of the students.
- From 2 to 15 January 2026, the Road Safety Pledge campaign was organized online, in which a large number of students participated and submitted their responses via a Google Form.
- On 16 February 2026, ASI Monty Guleria from Nurpur Police Department delivered a road safety awareness lecture on Traffic Rules, Safety Gear, and Legal Consequences on Road Negligence.
- On 27 February 2026, Advocate Sh. Vishavdeep Singh delivered a lecture on "**Legal Provision for Road Safety.**"

Energy Club:

The Energy Club at Govt. Arya Degree College Nurpur has been recently established in the year 2023 with the motto "**Conserve Energy for a Better Tomorrow**" and is led by the convener, **Ms. Shashi Bala**, supported by committee members Ms. Alka and Dr. Kumari Seema to plan and execute the innovative ideas to conserve energy.

On August 21, 2025, the club observed Akshay Urja Divas to promote renewable energy awareness. The event successfully engaged a large number of students, and an exhibition of mind -captivating models of renewable energy resources was displayed.

College PTA

PTA is an important part of an institution that always works for the upliftment of the college. In the current session, the PTA was reconstituted in September 2025. The office bearers elected for the session are:

President- **Sh. Sushil Singh**, Vice President- **Sh. Anoop Thakur**, Secretary- **Sh. Manjit**

Singh, Assistant Prof. Joint Secretary- **Sh. Sadiq Mohammad**, Chief Adviser-**Sh. Tarsem Manhas** and three other members. One clerk, two Lab Attendants, one Library Helper, one security guard, one Gardener and one sweeper are currently working on the local PTA support.

Internal Quality Assurance Cell

The IQAC serves as the nodal agency for maintaining academic standards and administrative efficiency. IQAC ensured that directions received from the Directorate and University were followed, and communications were sent on time. It also ensured that key academic and administrative processes, such as admission, examinations, and entry of awards, are completed as per schedule. It handles all the communication related to RUSA and NAAC. It supports teachers/departments in organizing and record-keeping of all the events. It also ensures that grievances related to timetables and results are addressed on time. The IQAC of the college organised following activities in the current session:

- A scholarship test was conducted on the college campus on 9th October 2025 under the aegis of the Government of Himachal Pradesh in association with Crack Academy under the theme "Mere Shahar ke 100 Ratn," in the test 952 students appeared from the college.
- A five-member inspection committee, constituted to grant affiliation for the ongoing undergraduate courses (B.A., B.Sc., B.Com, and B.Voc.), visited the campus on 14th October 2025.
- The IQAC, in collaboration with the Research, Development, and Innovation Committee, organised a "National Level Seminar Series on Indian Knowledge Systems." The series was successfully conducted from August to December 2025.

Internal Complaint Committee against Sexual Harassment

The committee is committed to create congenial working environment, ensure gender equity, and avoid any kind of sexual harassment at the workplace. The proactive committee led by **Prof. Kiran Bala**, Asstt. Professor (Commerce) and supported by Lt. Surjeet Kumar, Prof. Pearl Bakshi, and Dr. Manoj Kumar. It is noteworthy that no complaints were registered with the committee during this session. To further strengthen institutional expertise, one committee member successfully completed specialized training on the POSH Act, 2013. Additionally, the committee proactively organised an awareness session on February 23, 2026, focusing on the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition, and Redressal) Act, 2013, to ensure that all stakeholders are well-informed about their rights and the available legal avenues.

Career Counselling, Placement Cell, and Incubation Centre

Govt. Arya Degree College, Nurpur, maintains a proactive Career Counselling, Placement Cell, and Incubation Centre under the coordination of Prof. Manjit Singh. Throughout the session, the cell served as a vital bridge between academic learning and professional readiness by organising a series of specialised seminars and guest lectures. These initiatives provided students with essential industry insights and comprehensive awareness regarding diverse prospective career paths, equipping them with the knowledge necessary to navigate the competitive global job market.

- The Career Counselling Cell facilitated student placements and career awareness activities. In B. Voc (RM), 18 students were placed, while 2 opted for higher education, and in B. Voc (H&T), 11 students were employed in reputed hotels, while 6 pursued higher studies.
- The cell also organized several career guidance sessions, including talks on the IT sector (24 Oct 2025), career opportunities in the hotel industry (11 Feb 2026), banking and cyber security, an awareness session on drug abuse and cybercrime (16 Feb 2026), and a workshop on higher education opportunities in management and marketing (17 Feb 2026).

Prevention of Drug and Substance Abuse Committee and Squad

Throughout the session, the squad has remained active in monitoring the campus environment and conducting outreach initiatives to sensitize students to the life-altering consequences of drug dependency. By fostering a culture of health and responsibility, the committee has organised following activities:

- An online pledge with the theme "Say Yes to Life, No to Drugs," by the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB), Ministry of Home Affairs, was conducted. A mass pledge against drug and substance abuse took place on the college campus at the beginning of the session.
- Many students participated in the Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan campaign through an online E-pledge against drug and substance abuse.
- An awareness program on the topic 'Drug Abuse and Legal Actions' was organised on the college campus on 28-08-2025. The resource person, Advocate Sh. S.K. Gupta, highlighted the increasing trend of drug abuse among youth in the state and the Nurpur area and aware students regarding the Acts and laws concerned with Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances.
- An invited lecture on "Drug Addiction and Prevention" was delivered on 01-11-2025 by Sh. Om Prakash Sharma, former Superintendent and Additional Director (Intelligence and Operations) of the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) Zonal Office, Chandigarh as the resource person.
- Under the aegis of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GoI, various

activities were organised to make the institution Tobacco free under the "Tobacco-Free Educational Institution" throughout the month of November 2025.

- Lectures on the topics 'Ill Effects of Tobacco Consumption' and 'Mental Health' were organised on 25-11-2025. The resource person, Dr. Dilwar Singh (BMO), Health Department, graced as the expert speaker.

First Aid and Health Committee

The committee's primary mandate is to provide immediate medical assistance during emergencies and to cultivate a health-conscious culture among students and staff through awareness, training, and preventive care.

- Blood Test Campaign for female students was conducted at GADC Nurpur on 26-27 September 2025 where Hb samples of students were collected by medical team from Civil Hospital Nurpur.
- Lecture-cum-Workshop on the topic "Nutrition" / Poshan under the campaign Rashtriya Poshan Maah Abhiyan organised on 11th October 2025. Mr. Abhishek Kumar, Health Counsellor from civil Hospital Nurpur was the resource person in the session.
- Plantation in Forest Area was organised on 26th November 2025 at Khushinagar Forest Area in collaboration with the NSS and the Eco Club.
- Diagnostic Test of Tuberculosis (TB) for college students was conducted for students on 23-12-2025. Medical team from Civil Hospital Nurpur and Gangath conducted the medical examination and screening.

Cultural Activities

Our college has a Cultural Club which strives for the overall development of the students. **Dr. Anjana Gautam**, Assistant Professor in Sociology, is the coordinator of this club. The Cultural Club organises various activities from time to time to give an appropriate platform to the students to showcase their talent.

- On 15 August 2025, students celebrated the 79th Independence Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit at the Court Complex of the District and Sessions Judge, Nurpur.
- Students delivered a captivating Krishna dance performance at the two-day State-Level Krishna Janmashtami celebration held at Brijraj Swami Temple, Nurpur, which was highly appreciated by the audience.
- The club organized 'AAGAZ' on 20 September 2025, a talent hunt competition to boost students to explore their talent and develop a confident personality.
- A Mehndi Competition was conducted for students to display their creativity through beautiful designs.

Old Students Association

The college has an old students' association, and regular meetings are being conducted to discuss the various activities that are conducted from time to time for the welfare of the college students. In the current session, Mr. Swaran Singh is the president, Sh. Ranveer Singh is Vice President, Adv. Ayush Thakur is Secretary, Sh. Govind Mehra Joint Secretary and Sh. Sumeet Singh is the treasurer of the association. We have 11 members in our Old Student's Association.

Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP)

The Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) initiatives at the college are managed by the Nodal Officer, Dr. Rohit Kumar, Assistant Professor in Political Science. The program focuses on increasing voter awareness and ensuring maximum participation in the democratic process.

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

Govt. Arya Degree College Nurpur (Dist. Kangra) and Government Degree College, Salooni (Dist. Chamba) signed an MoU on 10th February 2026 for Academic Collaboration, Student Exchange and Capacity Building, Faculty Enrichment, Cultural and Regional Cooperation.

In our pursuit of excellence, we have strived to bring meaningful improvement to every sphere of this college. These sincere efforts reflect our collective dedication to the continued upliftment of this institution. I extend my deepest gratitude to all readers for your attention and warmly welcome any innovative ideas or suggestions that can help us refine our path forward. I also take this opportunity to congratulate our prize winners for their remarkable achievements. To all our students preparing for the upcoming university examinations. I wish you the very best. May your hard work lead you to success and allow you to come out with flying colors.

Lastly, I leave you with an inspiring thought to guide your journey, may this vision fuel your success and lead you toward a bright and impactful future.

"Dream is not the thing you see in sleep but is that thing that doesn't let you sleep."

— A.P.J. Abdul Kalam

Thank you

Jai Hind!

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