

DEPARTMENTAL EXCURSION: HISTORY

The department of history of Salesian College Sonada had undertaken an excursion programme in the month of January 2013. The said excursion was for 5 days (12-17th January). The main objective was to inculcate the importance of many historical sites located at Murshidabad district of West Bengal, amongst the students of history. Apart from Murshidabad, we also visited other places of importance like Santiniketan (Kala Bhawan), Victorial Memorial and others.

The journey started on 12th of January from New Jalpaiguri to Sainthia Station by Kanchankanya Express. From Sainthia our visits started in a well-decorum. Since Murshidabad is a hub of many historical sites, we mainly visited certain places like Khosh Bagh (Tomb of Siraj-ud-daulah), Katra Mosque (Tomb of Murshid Quli Khan), Kathgola Palace and Hazarduari palace. We also had a visit to Santiniketan and its premises. At the last day of our excursion we went to Victorial memorial and Science city at Kolkata.

The excursion being first of its type was very fruitful for the faculty as well as the students. The students acquired a lot from it and hoped such kind of educational tours in near future as well.

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