

Social Outreach Program

Department of Computer Science & Applications

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Under the social outreach program of the Salesian College (a Don Bosco Institution) the faculties and students of the Department of Computer Science and Application visited Siliguri Girls High School, Collegepara, and Siliguri Borodakanto Vidyapith, Rathkhola (led by Mr. Tanay Bhadra and Mr. Subhajit Bose), and Salugara High School, Salugara (led by Mr. Abhijit Dey, Ms. Yadika Prasad & Mr. Dhirodatta Subba) undertaking Information Technology awareness program. The visiting faculty members and students interacted with the students and tried to understand how and to what extent they are familiar with information & technology. It was a general observation that a voluminous amount of technology is what today's children are dependent on, but they are still unaware of its ill effects. Mr. Tanay Bhadra shared: *"this is our social responsibility: we cannot just sit back and watch our children unintentionally getting indulged into unexpected events. The world is totally different today. We must help those who are unaware."* Response from the visited schools was very encouraging as the students as well as the management have expressed the view that events of this kind are to be organized more often.



With Bengali medium students at Salugara High School

This event is one of the many kinds which the department conducts regularly for the schools of North Bengal; for example, Compumathix – encouraging participation in knowledge driven competitions, Cyber Security workshops, etc. The members of the faculty hope to conduct these visits in other educational institutes in the near future.



With students of Siliguri Girls' High School



With Baradakanta Vidyapith, Rathtola, students



With Nepali speaking students of Salugara High School
