

# Gurucharan University, Silchar

A State University established by upgrading Gurucharan  
College under Assam Act No LVII of 2023



## PROSPECTUS



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# Message from the Desk of Vice Chancellor

*India has entered a significant phase of economic transformation with a clear national vision to achieve “Viksit Bharat” by 2047 during the Amrit Kaal. To achieve this goal, it requires a strong emphasis on knowledge creation, innovation, and the development of highly skilled human resources. In this context, manpower planning and the enhancement of skills among the younger generation are essential. India’s demographic dividend offers a unique opportunity to accelerate national progress, and educational institutions must play a pivotal role in nurturing this potential.*

*Gurucharan University is committed to empowering the youth through quality higher education, advanced research, and skill development. The University places strong emphasis on enhancing employability and intellectual capacity by adopting a focused approach to capacity building within the framework of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The historic NEP 2020 provides unprecedented opportunities to nurture young talents through a structured curriculum, multidisciplinary learning, innovative pedagogy, value-based education, and skill orientation.*

*The Higher Secondary programme of Gurucharan University is designed to promote knowledge, critical thinking, and overall growth of the students. Through rigorous academic training, interdisciplinary engagement, and guidance from experienced faculty members, the University aims to cultivate students who can contribute meaningfully to societal development and national priorities. As a growing centre of academic excellence, Gurucharan University is committed to strengthening its research and extension activities, aligning its mission with the framework of NEP 2020 and the national goal of building a knowledge-driven society. I warmly invite aspiring students to join the Higher Secondary programme of Gurucharan University and become part of a vibrant academic community dedicated to discovery, innovation, and societal transformation.*

*I wish all applicants the very best in their academic journey.*

  
(Prof. Niranjan Roy)  
Vice Chancellor

# About Gurucharan University

**Gurucharan University, Silchar**, is a newly established State University created by upgrading the historic **Gurucharan College** under **Assam Act No. LVII of 2023**. The institution carries forward a rich academic legacy that began with the establishment of Gurucharan College on **15 July 1935**, which has long been recognised as one of the premier centres of higher education in the Barak Valley region of Assam. Over the decades, the institution has earned a distinguished reputation for academic excellence, intellectual growth, and its significant contribution to higher education in eastern India.

The establishment of the college was inspired by the farsighted vision of **Late Bishnu Charan Dey Purkayastha** of the Department of Education, Government of Assam. The initiative received generous support from **Late Kiran Sashi Nag**, the devoted wife of Late Guru Charan Nag, whose financial contribution in 1934 played a crucial role in founding the institution. In recognition of this contribution, the college was named **Gurucharan College**. The first Principal of the institution was **Late Arun Kumar Chanda**, a distinguished barrister-at-law, who played a key role in shaping its early academic development.

Initially, the college functioned in a bungalow at Rongpur on the bank of the **Barak River**. Due to riverbank erosion, the institution was temporarily shifted to the Silchar Normal School campus before acquiring its permanent campus at the present location. Over the years, the college expanded its academic programmes and infrastructure, gradually establishing itself as a prominent centre of learning in the region.

Historically, Gurucharan College was affiliated with **Calcutta University** and later with **Gauhati University**. With the establishment of **Assam University, Silchar, in 1994**, the college became affiliated with Assam University. The institution offers programmes in Arts, Science, Commerce and Business Administration and has introduced several career-oriented and value-added courses to enhance students' skills and employability.

The institution has received notable academic recognition, including **NAAC 'A' Grade accreditation with CGPA 3.11 in its second cycle** and the status of **College with Potential for Excellence (CPE)** by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The campus is equipped with modern facilities such as a well-stocked library with **INFLIBNET access**, a **Central Computer Laboratory**, **Bioinformatics Centre**, **Biotech Hub**, and an **Anthropological Museum**, along with hostels, playgrounds, health centre, auditorium, and other student support services.

The transformation of Gurucharan College into Gurucharan University marks a significant milestone in its academic journey. As a State University, it aims to promote higher education, interdisciplinary learning, and advanced research in alignment with the principles of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. The

introduction of the Ph.D. Programme for the academic session 2026–27, offered for the first time under the University framework, represents an important step toward strengthening research and innovation in the region.

Gurucharan University is located in **Silchar**, the headquarters of the Barak Valley region of Assam, a city known for its cultural heritage and scenic beauty. The region is also famous for its **lush tea estates**, which contribute significantly to the local economy.

With its proud legacy and renewed vision as a State University, **Gurucharan University** is committed to advancing knowledge, fostering research, and contributing to the educational and socio-economic development of the region and the nation.

### **Authorities of Gurucharan University**

The Gurucharan University Act, 2023 (Assam Act No. LVII of 2023) provides for several statutory authorities responsible for governing and administering the various functions of the University. These authorities ensure effective academic, administrative, and financial management of the University. The important statutory bodies of the University include the Court, Executive Council, Academic Council, Finance Committee, College Development Council, and other authorities constituted as per the provisions of the Act and the statutes of the University.

### **Objectives**

The objectives of **Gurucharan University**, as envisaged under the **Gurucharan University Act, 2023 (Assam Act No. LVII of 2023)** and its statutes, are centred on the advancement and dissemination of knowledge through quality teaching, research, and extension activities. The University seeks to provide comprehensive instructional and research facilities in various branches of learning and to promote academic excellence across diverse disciplines. It aims to offer integrated and interdisciplinary programmes in humanities, life, physical, mathematical and earth sciences, social sciences, commerce, business Administration and other allied fields in order to create a holistic academic environment that encourages intellectual growth and innovation.

The University is committed to fostering innovations in the teaching–learning process and promoting interdisciplinary studies and advanced research. By encouraging scholarly inquiry and academic collaboration, Gurucharan University strives to contribute meaningfully to the development of higher education and knowledge creation. Another important objective of the University is to educate and train skilled human resources who can actively contribute to the socio-economic development of the State of Assam and the Barak Valley region in particular.

In addition, the University seeks to play a significant role in improving the social, economic, intellectual, academic, and cultural conditions of society. Through its academic programmes, research initiatives, and community engagement, the University aspires to contribute to the overall progress and well-being of the people of the region and the nation.

## **Motto**

*Ātmadīpo Bhava* 'self-reliance in the pursuit of truth and wisdom.

## **Innovation and Best Practice**

**Micro-teaching:** The University has introduced the micro-teaching method to enhance the quality of teaching and to strengthen the teaching–learning process.

**Incentive for Quality Publications:** The University encourages high-quality research by recognising outstanding publications of faculty members in reputed national and international journals with high impact factors. Selected publications are honoured with awards, certificates, and incentives on the Foundation Day of the University.

**Mentoring:** Faculty members actively mentor students, particularly those in the final semesters, guiding them in their academic progress, career planning, and research orientation.

**Students' Feedback:** The University places significant importance on students' feedback to improve the teaching–learning environment. Students are encouraged to provide their feedback through structured and online mechanisms to help enhance academic quality.

## **Hostel Facility:**

Gurucharan University provides limited residential facilities for students through well-maintained hostels located within the campus. The University has separate hostels for boys and girls, ensuring a safe and comfortable living environment for students coming from different parts of the region and the country. Admission to the hostels is granted on the basis of merit and is regulated by a Hostel Committee constituted for this purpose. Students seeking hostel accommodation are required to apply separately. It may be noted that admission to the University does not automatically guarantee hostel accommodation.

The hostels operate under a set of rules and regulations designed to maintain discipline and ensure a conducive environment for academic pursuits. Students residing in the hostels are expected to adhere to these regulations, and any violation of the hostel rules may lead to disciplinary action as per University norms. The hostels remain closed during Summer and Puja vacations as per the University schedule.

**INSTRUCTION FOR  
HIGHER SECONDARY COURSES  
(ARTS/SCIENCE/COMMERCE)  
ADMISSION RULES AND PROCEDURES**

**TWO - YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY (H.S.) COURSE :**

Two - Year Higher Secondary (H.S.) Course in Arts, Science & Commerce is governed by the rules and regulations of Higher Secondary Council, Assam. The course comprises of two examinations viz. (i) First Year and (ii) Final Year. Promotion to second year or final year depends on the successful completion of first year examination conducted by the College under ASSEB guidelines.

**Eligibility for Admission to First Year H.S. Course :**

For seeking admission to the first year Higher Secondary Course, a candidate must have passed H.S.L.C. Examination of SEBA, Guwahati or Secondary Examination of CBSE or Other Board Examination recognised by the ASSEB

**CLASS TIMING : 7 AM – 11 AM**

**Number of Seats in First Year of H.S. Course:**

The total number of seats earmarked for the session 2026 – 27 in different streams are as follows:

**ARTS = 120**

**SCIENCE = 120**

**COMMERCE = 120**

**The latest guideline for HS 1st and 2nd year is uploaded in the University website [www.gurucharanuniversity.ac.in](http://www.gurucharanuniversity.ac.in). Please read the document carefully.**

There is provision for reservation of seats for students belonging to ST, SC, OBC etc. as per Govt. rules.

H. S. 1st Year Subjects List, Session : 2025-2026.						
Stream : Science						
Group - A		Group - B			Group - C / Skilled Group	
Core I	Core II	Elective - 1	Elective - 2	Elective - 3	Elective - 4	Compulsory
Compulsory	Select Any One	Compulsory	Compulsory	Select Any One	Select Any One Not Selected in Elective 3	Compulsory
English	Alt. English	Physics	Chemistry	Anthropology	Accountancy & Auditing	Env. Studies
	Assamese			Biology	Anthropology	
	Bengali			Computer Science & Application	Biology	
	Hindi			Economics	Computer Science & Application	
	Hmar			Mathematics	Economics	
	Manipur			Statistics	Mathematics	
					Statistics	

H. S. 1st Year Subjects List, Session : 2025-2026.						
Stream : Commerce						
Group - A		Group - B			Group - C / Skilled Group	
Core I	Core II	Elective - 1	Elective - 2	Elective - 3	Elective - 4	Compulsory
Compulsory	Select Any One	Compulsory	Compulsory	Select Any One	Select Any One Not Selected in Elective 3	Compulsory
English	Alt. English	Accountancy	Business Studies	Business Mathematics & Statistics	Accountancy & Auditing	Env. Studies
	Assamese			Computer Science & Application	Business Mathematics & Statistics	
	Bengali			Economics	Computer Science & Application	
	Hindi			Mathematics	Economics	
	Hmar				Mathematics	
	Manipur					

H. S. 1st Year Subjects List, Session : 2025-2026.						
Stream : Arts						
Group - A		Group - B			Group - C / Skilled Group	
Core - I	Core - II	Elective - 1	Elective - 2	Elective - 3	Elective - 4	Compulsory
Compulsory	Select Any One	Select Any One	Select Any One Not Selected In Elective 1	Select Any One Not Selected In Elective 1 & 2	Select Any One	Compulsory
English	Alt. English	Anthropology	Anthropology	Anthropology	Accountancy & Auditing	Env. Studies
	Assamese	Computer Science & Application	Computer Science & Application	Computer Science & Application	Advance Bengali	
	Bengali	Economics	Economics	Economics	Advance Manipuri	
	Hindi	History	History	History		
	Hmar	Logic & Philosophy	Logic & Philosophy	Logic & Philosophy		
	Manipur	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics		
		Persian	Persian	Persian		
		Political Science	Political Science	Political Science		
		Sanskrit	Sanskrit	Sanskrit		
	Statistics	Statistics	Statistics			

**Note :**

- English and MIL /Alt. English along with 3 electives are compulsory subjects.
- MIL - any one of Bengali, Hindi, Manipuri, Assamese & Hmar.
- Environmental Science is a compulsory subject in HS 1<sup>st</sup> Year for all streams.
- Adv. L/C - any one of Adv. Bengali, Adv. Manipuri, Sanskrit, Persian.
- The 4th elective subject carries no extra benefit of mark but the best of 3 marks out of the optional subjects are considered for the final gradation.
- Regarding combination, decision of the Admission Committee is final and binding.

Registration under **Assam State School Education Board (ASSEB)** is compulsory. Date of applying for the same will be notified in the college notice board after admission.

#### **Change of Subject(s) / Combination**

In general, change of subject(s)/combination is not encouraged. Students should exercise proper discretion in the matter before filling in their application form for admission.

#### **Unit Tests (compulsory) will be held within:**

1st test      September/October &  
2nd test      January/February

Each test of 25 marks, qualifying marks is 30%. If any candidate fails to appear in the tests or obtain qualifying marks then only one special test may be arranged before the submission of application forms and fees for the examination.

#### **Eligibility criteria for admission in examination:**

- i) One should have 75% of attendance both in the theory and practical papers. 65% attendance may be considered only on special ground as justified and certified by the Principal.
- ii) One should have to qualify in the unit tests securing at least 30% of marks.

#### **Promotion Rules (For HS I Exam.) :**

Pass Mark 150 out of 500

#### **Minimum marks for Pass/ Division (For HS Final Exam.) :**

<b>Total marks</b>	<b>500</b>
Grade C	150 to 224
Grade B	225 to 299
Grade A	300 and above.

*Note : There will be no provision for Betterment / Re-evaluation/ Scrutiny.*

\* Students willing to take admission to Higher Secondary Course must apply through the below mention portal : <https://darpan.ahseconline.in>

## **FACULTY OF STUDIES AND DEPARTMENTS**

### **FACULTY OF LANGUAGES**

#### **Department of Bengali**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1	Dr Munmun Bhattacharjee	Associate Professor
2	Dr Anamika Chakraborty	Associate Professor and Head
3	Dr Pranay Brahmachary	Associate Professor
4	Dr Uttam Paluya	Assistant Professor

#### **Department of English**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Panthapriyo Dhar	Associate Professor and Head

2	Dr Vandana Thousen	Associate Professor
3	Dr Mehedi Hassan Choudhury	Associate Professor
4	Dr Arjun Choudhuri	Assistant Professor
5	Dr Srestha Kar	Assistant Professor
6	Ms Rimpi Sonowal	Assistant Professor

### Department of Hindi

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1	Dr Savita Singha	Associate Professor and Head

### Department of Manipuri

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Anju Devi	Associate Professor
2	Dr Kh Hemabati Devi	Associate Professor
3	Dr N. Bidyasagar Singha	Associate Professor and Head
4	Dr M Ninghaiba Singha	Assistant Professor

### Department of Persian

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Sahin Ahmed Barbhuiya	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Dr Begum Ayesha Sultana Laskar	Assistant Professor

### Department of Sanskrit

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Mrs Reba Roy	Associate Professor
2.	Dr Sandhani Nath	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Dr Keshab Luitel	Assistant professor

## **FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

### **Department of History**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Mr Rajang Narzary	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Mr Abhijit Jaiswal	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr Nabanita Sharma	Assistant Professor

### **Department of Mass Communications**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Sandipa Das Sheel	Assistant Professor and Head

### **Department of Philosophy**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Bidyut Kanti Paul	Associate Professor
2.	Mr Bijon Behari Biswas	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Dr Poulami Chakraborty	Assistant Professor

### **Department of Political Science**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Swarupa Bhattacharjee	Associate Professor
2.	Dr Sumita Bhattacharjee	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr Vanlallien Pulamte	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr Dipanwita Dey Purkayastha	Assistant Professor

## **FACULTY OF COMMERCE AND MANAGEMENT STUDIES**

### **Department of Commerce**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Sanjib Bhattacharjee	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Mr Jaydeep Bhattacharyya	Associate Professor
3.	Dr Sharbani Dutta Dev Choudhury	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr Jogeshwar Barman	Associate Professor
5.	Mr Sayantan Guha Mazumder	Assistant Professor

6.	Dr Amrita Dutta	Assistant Professor
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#### **Department of Business Administration**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Mr Rajdeep Purkayastha	Assistant Professor
2	Dr Deepraj Chakraborty	Assistant Professor and Head
3	Ms Manisha Goswami	Assistant Professor

### **FACULTY OF SCIENCES**

#### **Department of Anthropology**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Juri Borah	Assistant Professor and Head
2.	Dr Jyoti Hazarika	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr John Basumatary	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr Bamonkiri Rongpi	Assistant Professor

#### **Department of Biotechnology**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Sagarika Mohanta	Assistant Professor and Head
2.	Dr Soumitra Nath	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr Prasenjit Roy	Assistant Professor

#### **Department of Botany**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Madhumita Dey	Associate Professor
2.	Dr Ashim Das Astapati	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Dr Mridul Mohan Das	Assistant Professor
4.	Mr Nirupam Malakar	Assistant Professor
5.	Dr Deepa Nath	Assistant Professor
6.	Ms Euniky L Kungate	Assistant Professor

**Department of Chemistry**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Krishna Chandra Das	Associate Professor
2.	Dr Jaydeep Paul	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Dr Sarbasri Nath	Associate Professor
4.	Dr Subhash Debnath	Assistant Professor
5.	Dr Abhijit Nath	Associate Professor
6.	Dr Saurav Das	Assistant Professor

**Department of Computer Science**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr O Mema Devi	Assistant Professor and Head
2.	Dr Abhijit Paul	Assistant Professor
3.	Mr Wahid Mustafa Mazumder	Assistant Professor
4.	Mrs Deepanjali Paul	Assistant Professor

**Department of Ecology and Environmental Science**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Sangeeta Dey	Assistant Professor
2.	Ms Maitrayee Bhattacharjee	Assistant Professor and Head

**Department of Geology**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Ajanta Sharma	Associate Professor
2.	Mr Chandan Paul Choudhury	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Mr Samarpan Nath	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr L Joy Chandra Singha	Associate Professor
5.	Dr Manabendra Nath	Assistant Professor

**Department of Mathematics**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Biplab Choudhuri	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Ms Jayee Nath	Associate Professor
3.	Mr Sudip Chandra Paul	Associate Professor
4.	Dr Debasish Sharma	Assistant Professor
5.	Ms. Bijoya Bardhan	Assistant Professor

**Department of Physics**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Indira Dey	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Dr Rajarshi Krishna Nath	Assistant Professor

**Department of Statistics**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Santanu Choudhury	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Dr Sankar Goswami	Assistant Professor

**Department of Zoology**

Sl.no.	Name	Designation
1.	Dr Nilendu Dhar	Associate Professor
2.	Dr Debipreeta Dutta	Associate Professor and Head
3.	Mr Bijoy Brahma	Assistant Professor
4.	Ms Nazrana Sultana Begum	Assistant Professor
5.	Dr Swarnali Bhattacharjee	Assistant Professor
6.	Ms Chandramita Boro	Assistant Professor

### Prospectus Committee 2026 – 27.

1. Dr. Pantha Priyo Dhar	Chairperson
2. Dr. Nilendu Dhar	Member
3. Dr. Swarnali Bhattacharjee	Member
4. Ms. Bijoya Bardhan	Member
5. Sri Nomu Pawe	Member
6. Dr. Soumitra Nath	Member
7. Dr. Mridul Mohan Das	Member-Convener

### HS Admission Committee 2026-27

1. Dr. Sankar Goswami	Convener
2. Sri Sayantan Guha Mazumder	Member
3. Ms. Rimpi Sonowal	Member
4. Dr. Ninghaiba Singha	Member

### Details of Officers of Gurucharan University:

Sl. No	Name	Designation
1	Dr. Bidyut Kanti Paul	Registrar(i/c)
2	Dr. Abhijit Nath	Academic Registrar(i/c)
3	Sri Ranabijoy Das	Finance Officer(i/c)
4	Dr. L Joy Chandra Singha	Controller of Examination(i/c)
5	Dr. Jaydeep Paul	Dean Students' Welfare
6	Dr. Krishna Chandra Das	Director, Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)
7	Sri Jaydeep Bhattacharya	Director, Career Counselling Placement Cell (CCPC)
8	Sri Chandan Paul Choudhury	Director, College Development Council (CDC) (i/c)
9	Dr. Subhash Debnath	Coordinator, Skill Development Cell (SDC)