VALUE EDUCATION

[A certificate course offered by A. B. N. Seal college alumni association (ABNSCAA)]

A. B. N. Seal College Alumni Association (ABNSCAA) took its birth in its formal form on 24th July, 2016. It was registered under the West Bengal Society Registration Act-XXVI of 1961 on 9th December, 2016. After its birth, this association started to carry on its different activities. Feeling the necessity of the course of time the Association has opened a school for students named 'Academy of Value Education' to impart moral and ethical education towards the younger generation of the society.

The Academy imparts Certificate Course of value education for six months. The course curriculum of this Academy was framed by the syllabus committee formulated by the Alumni Association. Mainly the areas of socialization process, development of temperance and personality, idea of nation and nationality, environment, and globalization were covered in the prescribed curriculum.

The eligibility criteria for admission in this course is minimum 8th standard. There are 100 seats available for the students. The total admission fee for the course is Rupees 1050/- (fee for form Rupees 50/-, course fee Rupees 500/- and fees for examination, convocation, and others Rupees 500/-). The school had started its journey from the month of January, 2018. Full marks for final examination of this course is 100 (Project/Assignment-20, Viva-voce-20, Written examination-60).

The value education classes are made for 2 hours in a week on Sunday. The teachers follow mainly the lecture method, participatory lecture method, small group discussion, and sometimes the storytelling method to make the students understand the basic idea of the value education.

Actually, the A.B.N. Seal College Alumni Association (ABNSCAA) is this managing body of the school. The working members of this school are-

- > Shri Hablu Chakravorty- *Head Master*
- > Shri Biswajit Nandi- *Assistant Teacher*
- > Smt. Monomita Sarkar- Assistant Teacher
- > Shri Jayanta Maitra- Cashier
- > Shri Narayan Saha- **Bearer**

All these members are alumni of the ABNSCAA. Excluding the above-mentioned teachers, some other alumni also take classes. Some teachers of A. B. N. Seal College also participate in the teaching-learning process of this Academy.

Already the first batch students passed the certificate course and got their certificates in the convocation held in the premises of A. B. N. Seal College. The Academy hopes that value education will help the student to become more and more responsible and sensible to society. Academy also wishes that the value education will help the student to understand the perspective of life in a better way and lead a successful and happy life as a responsible citizen. It also helps the student to develop a strong relationship with family and friends.