

Mentor-Mentee Report
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Department of English
Dr. B.K.B. College, Puranigudam

Mentoring is one of the significant key aspects of student support in higher education. It is an essential feature to render equitable service to all the students having heterogeneous socio-economic background. Mentoring procedure in educational institutions enhances the teaching-learning capability. Through a systematic mentoring process, good communication between teachers and learners can be constructed.

The Major Objectives of Mentoring System:

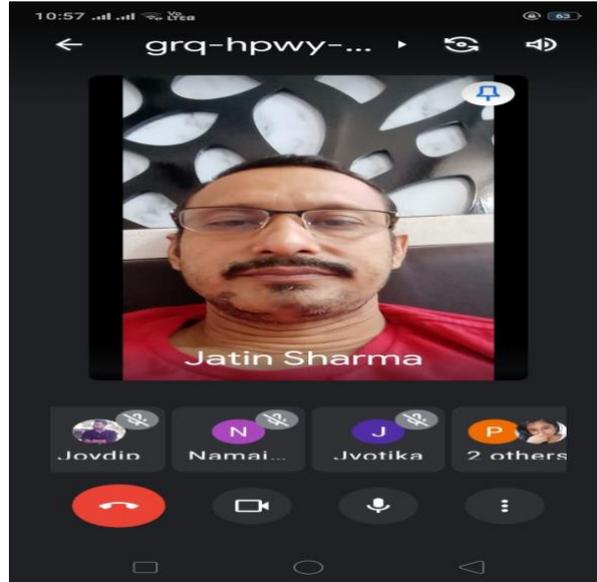
- To enhance teacher-student communication
- To enhance students' academic performance and attendance
- To minimize student drop-out rates
- To identify and understand the plight of slow learners and encourage advanced learners
- To render equitable service to students
- To sort out socio-economic issues of students
- To extract hidden talents of students
- To promote students for framing the base in extra-curricular activities

The Practice of Mentoring by the department:

The Department of English has started the mentoring of all major students enrolled in the department keeping in view the teaching-learning atmosphere, issues and problems raised by students in relation to their studies, transportation, communication with departmental faculties, requirements regarding socio-economic matters etc. etc. Out of the total number of students enrolled in the department in all the three semesters (first, third and fifth) in an academic session, three separate groups are formed by three faculties available in the department and each single faculty is assigned a definite number students out of the total for proper mentoring of the students from all aspects. Meetings on mentoring are organized for each separate group of students. From the meetings, some issues and problems are sorted out and gradually they are solved with adequate solutions. A brief analytical write-up is presented on mentoring process by each faculty of the department which is provided below-

GROUP-A

Name of the Mentor:	Dr. Jatin Sharma
Contact No:	9401510652
Email Id:	sarma.jatin20@gmail.com
Date of Meeting:	19-06-2021
Time:	10 am – 11am
Mode of Meeting:	Online
Platform:	Google Meet
Link:	http://meet.google.com/grq-hpwy-jqy
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List of Mentees:

- (a) Akashius Ekka
- (b) Niha Borah
- (c) Komol Engti
- (d) Darshana Chamua
- (e) Pradip Borah
- (f) Buso Engjai
- (g) Bikram Engti
- (h) Bhaskarjya Purna Gayan
- (i) Dhan Moni Borah
- (j) Hafizun Nehar
- (k) Dipsikha Deka
- (l) Dipti Nayak
- (m) Joydip Mandal

Mentees Present in the Meeting:

- (a) Niha Borah
- (b) Komol Engti
- (c) Dhan Moni Borah
- (d) Bikram engti
- (e) Dipti Nayak
- (f) Dipsikha Deka
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GROUP-B

Name of the Mentor: Mr. Jitya Ranjan Saikia
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 Email Id: sjityaranjan@gmail.com
 Date of Meeting: 22-06-2021
 Time: 2 pm – 3 pm
 Mode of Meeting: Online
 Platform: Google Meet
 Link: <http://meet.google.com/nyx-paen-fnh>
 Screenshot of the Meeting:



List of Mentees:

- (a) Porismita Dey
- (b) Bonda Milikpi
- (c) Biki Boraik
- (d) Himashree Hazarika
- (e) Rashmi Rekha Gour
- (f) Merina Begum
- (g) Sanjib Biswakarma
- (h) Semim Sultana
- (i) Jannatul Islam
- (j) Minhaj Sultana
- (k) Sarmistha Borah
- (l) Jyotika Bora
- (m) Kanika Proja
- (n) Namaishya Gayan

Mentees Present in the Meeting:

- (a) Merina Begum
- (b) Biki Boraik
- (c) Minhaj Sultana
- (d) Sarmistha Borah
- (e) Kanika Proja
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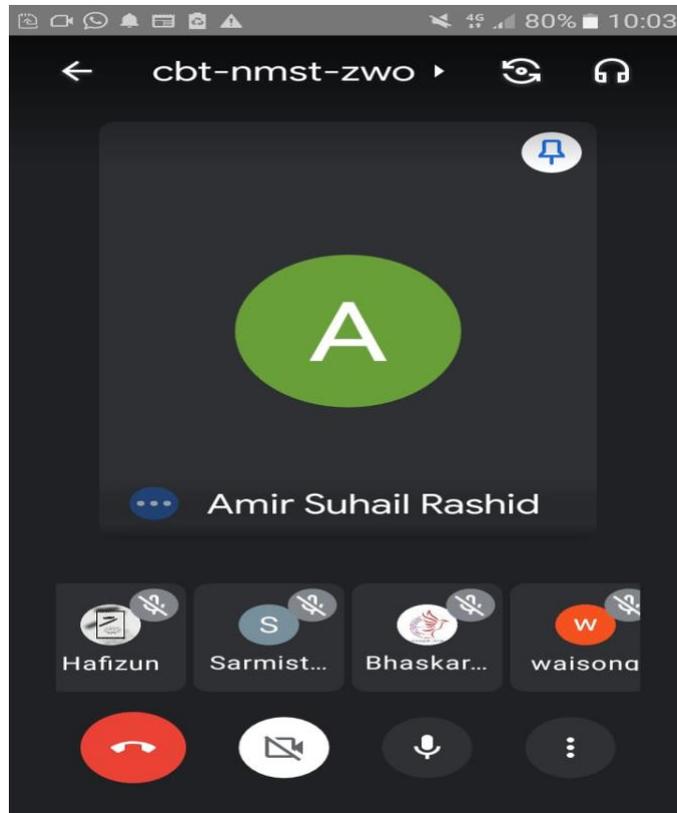
On dated 22/06/2021, a virtual meeting was organized with the mentees of my mentoring group. In the virtual meeting with the mentees as listed above, different types of issues and problems were brought into light from the versions of the mentees. It was found that most of the students had put forward the issues related to transportation, lack of adequate books for examination, financial critical troubles faced by the families etc. With a positive attitude

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GROUP-C

Name of the Mentor: Mr. Amir Suhail Rashid
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 Date of Meeting: 21-06-2021
 Time: 1 pm – 2 pm
 Mode of Meeting: Online
 Platform: Google Meet
 Link: <http://meet.google.com/cbt-nmst-zwo>
 Screenshot of the Meeting:



List of Mentees:

- (a) Lokhi Devi Limbu
- (b) Pori Mahanta
- (c) Haripriya Das
- (d) Madhusmita Deka
- (e) Alieja Sneha Hira
- (f) Bishnu Subba
- (g) Rajnish Baruah
- (h) Shebane Sikha Borah
- (i) Waisong Terang
- (j) Prakash Chetry
- (k) Raju Butrung
- (l) Sneha Dey

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- (a) Lokhi Devi Limbu
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Mentor (Group- C)
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Findings of the Meetings as a whole:

From the virtual meetings as organized by all the mentors with the respective mentees, different issues came into the limelight and with adequate communication with the mentees; some serious issues were tackled with proper measures. Basically, the following matters were broadly discussed in the meetings-

- Family Financial Problems of the students
- Remoteness & lack of proper transportation from their homes
- Lack of text-books
- Delay for morning classes due to communication problem

Actions taken by the department as a whole through mentors:

- It was decided that whoever among the mentees needs book facility from the department will be provided sufficient amount of books on rotation basis

- Financial help will be provided through Poor Fund, Corpus Fund etc. to the applicants among the mentees after adequate verification. (Already a few of the mentees have been offered this facility)
- It was also decided to discuss the matter of transportation of the students from the remote areas with the college authority as soon as possible.



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