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Editorial



PERMISSION TO PAUSE

June never asks permission. It arrives with sudden rain, sticky heat, and long evenings that feel like they are waiting for something.

Beyond the weather, June represents a significant juncture in the academic calendar. It marks the midpoint of the year and offers a moment for reflection. It serves as both a conclusion and a commencement — marking the end of one semester's responsibilities and the beginning of preparation for the next. For students, it is a period characterized by transition, reflection, and recalibration.

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It is no longer summer break, yet not quite exam season. It is the in-between where semester plans either bloomed or faltered, and we find ourselves staring at the calendar, wondering where half the year went. This issue was conceptualized during that period of transition. As students, we are balancing internship applications, skill development, and the uncertainty of future pathways. The perspectives featured are not limited to academic achievements. They address the broader realities of student life: the importance of sustainable productivity, the emotional dimensions of leaving campus during breaks, and the evolving definition of “home” for those studying away from family.

June does not provide definitive answers. Instead, it creates a necessary pause. The answer was never in the weather. It was permission; permission to pause, to outgrow, to acknowledge challenges, and to reassess priorities. It is an opportunity to approach the second half of the year with renewed clarity.

This issue is dedicated to that process. We hope it serves as both a record of students’ experiences and a resource for thoughtful engagements.

I hope from July to December, your life changes for the better. I hope this second half makes up for the first half.

Ms. Keleseno

General Secretary

Modern College Students’ Union (MCSU)

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME

The IQAC of Modern College successfully organised a Capacity Building Programme on 'Academic Research Writing and Digital Pedagogy' on 1st June 2026 at the Conference Hall. The programme was chaired by Mr. Keneingulie, IQAC Coordinator.

The sessions were conducted by resource persons including Ms. Lochumlo Shitiri (Assistant Professor, Economics), Ms. Maithron Konyak (Assistant Professor, History), Mr. Manong Wangshu (Assistant Professor, English), and Dr. Daili Kholia (Assistant Professor, Education), who shared valuable insights on research writing, publication processes, AI in research, and e-content development. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Vitsou Yano, Principal.



ST. XAVIER COLLEGE HOSTED INTER-COLLEGIATE COMPETITION

On 3rd June 2026, St. Xavier College, Maram Khunou, Senapati, hosted an Inter-Collegiate Competition on the theme "Words in Motion." The event featured Solo Performance, Extempore Speech, and Trio Performance, providing a platform for students to showcase creativity, communication skills, and build inter-college camaraderie.

Representing Modern College, Ms. Kezhazeno Thepa (B. A 5th Semester, English) participated in Solo Performance, while Ms. R        Khawakhrie (B.A 5th Semester, English) competed in Extempore Speech. A special performance was presented by Mr. Jianloungam Isaac Pamei (B.A 3rd Semester, Sociology). The team was accompanied by Mr. Keneingulie Medoze, Assistant Professor, Department of English.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

On the occasion of World Environment Day on 5 June 2026, the Eco-Green Club organised a plantation drive on the college campus in line with the year's theme, "Inspired by Nature. For Climate. For Our Future." The initiative promoted environmental awareness and sustainable practices, with active participation from the Operations Team and office staff.

The club also shared a reel on the college's official Instagram page, highlighting simple yet impactful eco-friendly practices that individuals can adopt in their daily lives.



NCC CLEANLINESS DRIVE

The NCC Unit of Modern College, organised a cleanliness drive at the scenic Dzükou Valley on June 4, 2026, under its Environmental Initiatives programme.

The drive witnessed the participation of 12 NCC cadets accompanied by 3 teachers. The cadets, carried out an extensive cleaning operation along trekking routes, resting points, campsites, and other areas frequently visited by tourists. Various forms of waste, including plastic bottles, food packaging materials, disposable containers, and other non-biodegradable litter, were collected and properly disposed of.

This initiative not only enhanced the cleanliness of the area but also instilled among the cadets a deeper sense of civic responsibility, teamwork, leadership, and environmental stewardship.



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS ORGANIZED EDUCATIONAL STUDY TOUR

The Department of Economics organised an educational study tour to Kolkata from June 4-8, 2026 under the theme "Explore, Learn, Experience, Grow" to enhance students' practical understanding of economic concepts beyond the classroom.

The tour comprised nine students accompanied by three faculty members. The primary objective of the tour was to provide students with exposure to real-world economic activities, institutions, and cultural diversity. During the visit, participants explored several prominent destinations including the RBI Museum, Science City, Victoria Memorial, and Nicco Park. These visits offered valuable insights into India's economic history, scientific advancements, cultural heritage, and urban development.



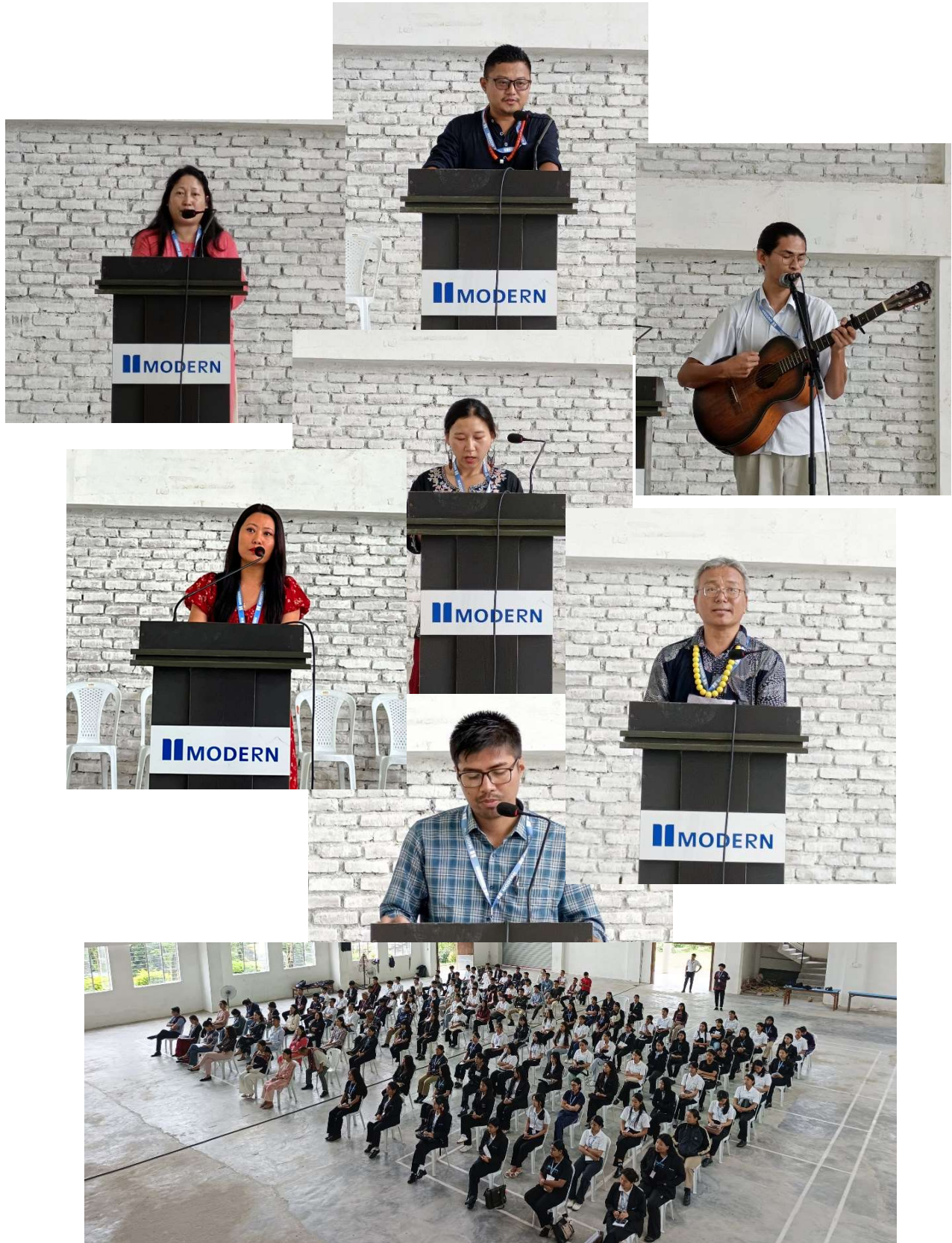


ORIENTATION CUM ASSEMBLY PROGRAMME

Modern College warmly welcomed its students with the Students' Orientation cum Assembly Programme held on 9th June 2026 at the Indoor Stadium. The event, led by Mr. Teisovi, Asst. Prof. Dept. of Sociology, featured invocation, Bible reading, special number, and insightful briefing on academics, library, IQAC, clubs and committee. Dr. Vitsou Yano, Principal officially welcomed and introduced the new academic session and briefed about the college to the freshers. The Principal also extended her warm wishes to all students and faculty for a successful, enriching, and fulfilling semester ahead. The programme concluded with the College Anthem and the Lord's Prayer.



Morning Assembly conducted by HoDs on June 12, 2026 at 9:00 AM
in the College Indoor Stadium.



RRC OBSERVED WORLD BLOOD DONOR DAY

On June 12, 2026, the RRC Modern College, in collaboration with the IGNOU Regional Study Centre-20, Kohima, organised a Short Story Writing and Sketching Competition on the theme "One Drop of Humanity. Give Blood. Save lives" in observance of the World Blood Donor Day.

The Winners were awarded cash prizes of Rs.1000, Rs.700 & Rs.500 for the first, second and third positions, respectively. In addition, all participants received a cash amount of Rs. 200 each.

The winners were:

1st prize: Ms. Asieno Kieliennyü (B.A. 3rd Semester)

2nd prize: Mr. Haokholun Doungel (B.A. 3rd Semester)

3rd prize: Ms. Grace Gonmei (B.A. 5th Semester).





NSS ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

On 18th June 2026, the NSS Orientation Programme for newly inducted volunteers was successfully conducted at Modern College. A total of 49 new volunteers were inducted into the National Service Scheme. The programme introduced students to the aims, objectives, and activities of NSS, inspiring them to contribute towards community service and nation-building. An interactive quiz was also conducted and the winners were awarded with cash prizes. The programme concluded with enthusiasm and a commitment to the NSS motto, "Not Me But You."



INDUCTION PROGRAMME OF MODERN COLLEGE STUDENTS' UNION

The Induction and Oath-Taking Ceremony of the newly elected members was held on 19th June, 2026 at the Indoor Stadium. The programme was chaired by Ms. Lhingmoichong of B.A. 3rd Semester. The event began with an invocation by Mr. Mhasikhotso Shüya, followed by a welcome address from Ms. Watimongla Imchen.

The Election Commissioner, Mr. Shahilo Khing, introduced the newly elected members and conducted the oath-taking ceremony. Following the ceremony, the official file was handed over by the outgoing Assistant Social and Cultural Secretary, marking the beginning of the new members' tenure and responsibilities.

The exhortation was delivered by the Principal, Dr. Vitsou Yano, who congratulated the newly elected members and highlighted the importance of responsible leadership. She encouraged the students to become leaders who inspire others through their actions, dedication, and service.

The newly elected General Secretary, Ms. Keleseno, expressed gratitude to everyone for their trust and support. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks by Mr. Khriekhotuo Khawakhrie, Asst. Games and sports secretary, who expressed gratitude to all the dignitaries, faculty members, and students for their presence and support.



INSTITUTIONAL EXCELLENCE AWARD

Modern College was conferred the 'Institutional Excellence Award' by the University of Science & Technology Meghalaya in recognition of its outstanding performance in the Nagaland University Examinations on 20th June 2026.



1ST INTERNAL MOBILE LEGENDS (MLBB) TOURNAMENT

E-sports Club organised its 1st Internal Mobile Legends (MLBB) Tournament on 23rd June, 2026. Team 'We Ping Not Play' emerged as the Champions, while Team 'Patla Gang' secured the runner-up position in the tournament.



PROMOTIONAL EVENT AT MODERN HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL, KOHIMA

Ms. Grace Gonmei, Ms. Fita Pfinyu, and Mr. Khriekhotuo Khawakhrie from B.A 5th Semester accompanied by Mr. Keneingulie, Assistant Professor shared their experiences from educational tours and student exchange programmes during the promotional event marking the book release of “Students Travelogue: A Collection of Memories” held at Modern Higher Secondary School, Kohima on 24th June, 2026. The event was further enlivened by a special dance performance by Mr. Jianloungeam Issaac Pamei.



FRESHERS' DAY CELEBRATION

Modern College, Piphema, warmly welcomed its new batch of students during Freshers' Day 2026, held on 26th June, 2026 at the College Indoor Stadium.

The programme commenced with an invocation by Ms. Seyievino Meyase, President of MCEU, followed by a welcome address by Ms. Lhingmoichong Singson of B.A. 3rd Semester. A heartfelt welcome song presented by the B.A. 3rd Semester students set the tone for the celebration. The programme also featured a speech on behalf of the freshers by Ms. Vimesano Vielie and a special presentation by Mr. Lamgousang of B.A. 5th Semester.

The event was honoured by the presence of Ms. Paweü Kayina, Founder of Moneybar, Building Northeast India's Finance Community, as the Special Guest. The programme was also graced by special invitees from the Piphema Students' Union.

The coveted titles of Mr & Ms Fresher 2026 were awarded to Mr. Diethozo Mezhü and Ms. Sepong Sonla. The titles of Mr & Ms Multimedia were awarded to Mr. Ghokivi K. Achumi and Ms. Seketuno Dahou, while Mr & Ms Personality were Mr. Keneinguzo Keyho and Ms. Avino Khesoh.

The programme continued into the afternoon with an informal session featuring renowned artist, singer, and musician Shau Evans as the Guest Artist. His soulful performance captivated the audience and brought the celebrations to a memorable close.



OPEN MIC ON 10TH & 18TH JUNE 2026



ONE DROP OF HUMANITY. GIVE BLOOD. SAVE LIVES

Every year on 14th June, the World comes together to celebrate World Blood Donor Day, a day dedicated to the silent heroes who save lives through the simple act of donating blood. Blood cannot be created in a laboratory; it can only come from the kindness and generosity of people willing to share a part of themselves for someone they may never meet. A single donation has the power to save several lives, proving that even one drop of humanity can become an ocean of Hope. World Blood Donor Day reminds us that the greatest is not measured in wealth, but in the lives, we help save.

There are moments in life when a single act of kindness becomes the difference between Life and death. A few minutes of selflessness, a small sacrifice and a stranger is given another chance to smile, dream and live. This is the power hidden within a single drop of blood - a drop that carries not just life, but humanity itself. This is the story of how one single decision made in a matter of minutes, became a lifeline for someone fighting for another tomorrow. It is a story that proves that even one drop of humanity can save a life.....

The rain in the small village of Porba, miles away from the hustling bustling of streets, always had a way of slowing down time, but inside the hospital ward, time was running out. Sixteen-year-old Esther lay in bed, her face as pale as the starched white sheets. A sudden accident on her way home

from school had led to severe internal bleeding. Her family stood huddled outside the emergency room, their faces etched with absolute desperation. The doctor approached them with a grave expression:

"Your daughter has lost a lot of blood; we need an urgent blood transfusion. Without it, her chances of survival are very low!"

Her blood group was rare. Esther's parents paced the corridor frantically. They had posted urgent appeals on social media and called every acquaintance. One by one the answer came back,

"Sorry, I'm not a match"

"Sorry, I can't come"

"Sorry, I wish I could help".

Minutes felt like agonizing hours. The clock on the wall ticked loudly, counting down the fragile moments of their daughter's life. With every passing minute hope slipped further away. Esther's family sat in the hallway, outside the emergency room, their hand clasped in a silent desperate prayer for a miracle.

Meanwhile on the other side of the village was a college student named Samuel who was preparing for his end term examination. His books were spread across his desk when his phone buzzed. A message appeared in a community group about an urgent blood donation at the village hospital.

Samuel paused; he had to take an exam the next day. He did not know the girl. He did not know the family. He could have ignored the message and returned to studying. For a brief second, comfort whispered to him to stay inside and focus on his books. But a deeper, quieter voice spoke louder – the voice of shared human plight. So, he grabbed his jacket and rushed to the hospital. After the necessary tests, the nurse looked up with a smile,

"You're a match"

For the first time that day, hope returned to the corridor.

As Samuel sat at the donor's desk, he thought about the frightened child fighting for her life. A small amount of blood left his body, flowing through a tube into a collection bag. It seemed like such a simple act. Yet for another family, it meant everything.

Back in the ICU, the clear plastic line connected Samuel's donation to Esther's arm. Drop by slow drop, the crimson fluid entered Esther's fragile body. By midnight the monitor stabilized. The deadly pale tint on Esther's cheeks began to give way to a faint, healthy flush of life. The Doctor stepped out, smiling warmly at a weeping family.

"She's out of danger"

The family's desperate prayers and hopes for a miracle were answered; that miracle arrived in a small-chilled bag.

The next morning, the family found Samuel, who had missed his exam, sitting quietly in the visitor's lounge, finishing a small cup of coffee. They rushed forward to him, eyes thick with tears, attempting to find words large enough to carry their gratitude for all the sacrifices he had met, not just donating blood but missing of the most crucial examination of his life all for a stranger.

"You saved our daughter's life" they cried.

Samuel shook his head gently, "No, I just donated blood, anyone could have done the same'.

But deep inside everyone knew the truth. Not everyone chooses to help strangers, not everyone turns compassion into action. That single bag of blood carried more than red cells. It carried hope, kindness and humanity. The family tried to offer Samuel their profound thanks, perhaps even a token of appreciation. But Samuel refused and gently held the hands of the weeping parents and softly said, " Please don't thank me, I may have missed my exam today, but I can always take it again, today a part of me runs through her veins and knowing that I could help her even in a small way is worth far more than any exam".

Samuel walked out into the fresh air, he had left a piece of himself behind and in doing so, he had saved a piece of the world.

Years passed and Esther grew into a healthy young woman. On her 25th birthday, she walked into a blood donation camp and rolled up her sleeve. When asked why she wanted to donate she smiled and said,

"Because someone once donated blood and gave me a second chance at life".

That day another life was saved...

Then another...

And another....

All because one stranger chose humanity over indifference.

A single drop of blood may seem small, but for someone waiting between life and death, it can mean a future, a family, a dream and a lifetime. One drop of blood can become a river of hope. One stranger's compassion can create a chain of life, healing and humanity.

As World Blood Donor Day reminds us, blood cannot be manufactured in a factory. It can only come from the generosity of people willing to help others. Every donation carries the power to save life, support a family and inspire a future. Because sometimes, one drop of humanity is all it takes to change the world. A single blood donation had turned despair into hope and fear into relief. Truly, one drop of humanity can save lives and make the world a better place. For the donor, it was just a few minutes of his day; for the little girl, it was a Lifetime ahead of her. Such is the power of one drop of humanity.

"One drop of humanity can save millions of lives, Give blood and Save Lives".

Ms. Asieno Kieliennyü

B.A 3rd Semester

Department of Political Science

(1st Position, Story Writing Competition on World Blood Donor Day)

My first day in college felt like the turning of a long-awaited page, where nervous thoughts intertwined with quiet excitement. As I stepped into an unfamiliar world of new faces and endless possibilities, my heart carried both uncertainty and hope. Every corridor seemed to whisper stories yet to be lived, and every moment felt like the beginning of something beautiful.

- Ms. Zeneizono Dahou

My first day of college was an exciting and memorable experience. I felt a little nervous at first, but I was also eager to meet new friends and teachers. The campus was beautiful, and the classrooms were lively. Our teachers welcomed us warmly and introduced us to the college rules and courses. By the end of the day, I felt more confident and happier to begin this new chapter of my life. It was a wonderful start to my college journey.

- Ms. Nilovi

My First Day at College!!!

My first day at college marked the beginning of an exciting new chapter in my life. I arrived with a mix of nervousness and excitement, but the warm welcome from the teachers, seniors, friendly classmates, and the vibrant campus quickly made me feel at ease. I left that day with new memories, new friendships, and excitement for the journey that lies ahead.

- Ms. Renchumlo N Ngullie

The past few days at Modern College have been enriching and memorable. I am sincerely grateful to the Principal, faculty members, staff, and seniors for their constant support and guidance, I'm really impressed by the excellent facilities and the warm welcoming environment. I am also excited for the variety of opportunities available through clubs and activities. I look forward to learning, growing, and creating many more cherished memories.

- Ms. Seketuno Dahou

**Mr. Zi-o Venuh****ITC Grand Bharat, Delhi**

In this month's Alumni Spotlight, we are delighted to feature Mr. Zi-o Venuh, batch of 2024, an HR Apprentice at ITC Grand Bharat, Delhi. The Human Resource (HR) department, where he works in, plays a crucial role in caring for the employees by overseeing talent acquisition, learning & development, compensation & benefits, and employee relations.

This is an interview of Mr. Zi-o on doing MBA studies, life at Modern College, and advice to juniors on making the best use of time in college and practical tips in order to have a great start in one's career.

Can students from any background take up MBA?

Yes, students from any academic background can pursue an MBA. Whether you come from Commerce, Science, Arts, Engineering, or any other discipline, a recognized 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree in any stream is generally sufficient. Most programs require a minimum of 50% aggregate marks (45% for reserved categories). An MBA helps develop managerial, leadership, communication, and decision-making skills that are valuable across industries. Diversity in educational backgrounds also enriches classroom discussions and learning experiences.

What should students do to get admission to the School of Management Studies at Nagaland University?

Students should focus on maintaining a good academic record, stay updated on the admission notifications released by Nagaland University, and carefully complete the application process within the stipulated time. To get admitted into Nagaland University for MBA, you first need to clear the Aptitude Test followed by Group Discussion and Personal Interview. Students should work on improving their communication skills, analytical thinking, and general awareness, as these qualities help them succeed during their MBA journey.

What are the benefits of taking up a PGP/MBA programme?

A PGP/MBA programme provides students with professional knowledge and practical skills in areas such as Marketing, Human Resource Management, Finance, Operations, and Entrepreneurship. It enhances leadership abilities, problem-solving skills, communication skills, and strategic thinking. Additionally, it improves employability, opens up better career opportunities, and helps students build a strong professional network.

What attributes or qualities do employers look for in a candidate in order to hire them?

Employers generally look for candidates who possess:

1. Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
2. Positive attitude and willingness to learn.
3. Adaptability and flexibility.

4. Confidence during interviews.

5. A strong Resume/CV.

Above all, employers value candidates who demonstrate integrity, commitment, and the ability to contribute effectively to the organization's goals.

Any message/advice you wish to pass on to the students at Modern College?

My advice to students is to make the most of every opportunity that comes their way. Focus on building practical skills alongside academic knowledge, participate in internships and extracurricular activities, and continuously work on improving your communication and leadership abilities. Do not be afraid of challenges or failures, as they are important learning experiences. Stay disciplined, remain curious, and invest in your personal and professional growth. Success comes to those who are willing to learn, adapt, and persevere.

"Your degree may open the door, but your skills, attitude, and determination will help you succeed."

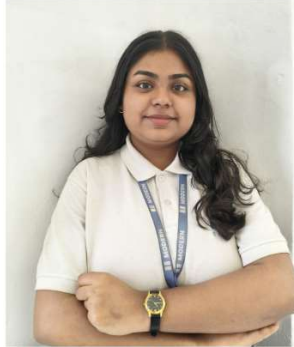
Fondest Memories of Modern College.

My fondest memories of Modern College are the wonderful experiences I had during my time on both the Kohima and Piphema campuses, where I spent nearly one and a half years. The college provided me with much more than academic learning; it gave me memories and friendships that I continue to cherish even today. Some

of my most memorable experiences include hostel life, potluck gatherings. with lecturers and fellow students, educational tours, and excursions to Guwahati. These activities. allowed me to build meaningful connections, learn beyond the classroom, and create lasting memories with my peers and teachers. Although I was naturally introverted and did not interact as much as I could have, looking back, I sometimes regret not having more conversations with my lecturers and engaging more actively in campus life.

Nevertheless, the support, guidance, and companionship I received from my classmates, seniors, juniors, and teachers played a significant role in shaping my personal and professional growth. Even today, I often find myself reminiscing about those days and missing the vibrant college environment, the friendships I formed, and the invaluable lessons I learned. My time at Modern College remains one of the most meaningful and memorable chapters of my life.

STUDENTS' ARTICLE IN LOCAL DAILIES



CONGRATULATIONS TO MS. AMBIKA KHAN
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Topic : The Impact of Social Media on Reading Habits

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The impact of social media on reading habits

In today's fast-moving digital world, social media has become an important part of everyday life, especially among young people. Platforms such as Instagram, Facebook, and YouTube are widely used for communication, entertainment, and sharing information. However, these platforms are also bringing noticeable changes to the reading habits of the younger generation. In earlier times, students spent more time reading books, newspapers, magazines, and novels. Reading was considered one of the best ways to gain knowledge and improve language skills. Today, many young people prefer scrolling through short videos,

reels, memes, and online posts rather than reading lengthy texts. As a result, the habit of deep reading is gradually declining among students and youth.

Social media has both positive and negative effects on reading habits. On the positive side, it has made information easily accessible. Students can now read online articles, e-books, blogs, and educational materials anytime and anywhere. Many literary pages and online communities encourage young readers to explore literature and develop an interest in writing. Social media has also given young writers a platform to share poems, stories, and creative ideas with a wider

audience.

Despite these advantages, excessive use of social media is affecting concentration and patience among readers. Many students find it difficult to focus on long academic texts or novels because they are more accustomed to short and quick digital content. Experts believe that continuous scrolling and screen addiction reduce attention span and weaken critical thinking skills. Instead of reading complete books, many students now depend on short summaries and simplified online content.

Teachers and parents have also expressed concern over the decreasing interest in traditional

reading habits. They believe that spending too much time on social media not only affects academic performance but also limits imagination and creativity. Reading books helps individuals improve vocabulary, communication skills, and emotional understanding, which cannot be fully achieved through short online content alone.

However, social media itself is not entirely responsible for this change. The way people use technology plays an important role. If used wisely, social media can become a valuable educational tool. Students should learn to balance entertainment with meaningful reading activities. Educational

institutions can also encourage reading culture through digital libraries, book discussions, and literary programs. Social media has significantly transformed the reading habits of today's generation. While it offers quick access to information and new opportunities for creativity, it has also reduced interest in deep and thoughtful reading. Therefore, young people must use social media responsibly and continue developing healthy reading habits for their intellectual and personal growth.

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STUDENTS' ARTICLE IN LOCAL DAILIES



CONGRATULATIONS TO MR. KHRIEKHOTUO KHAWAKHRIE
5TH SEMESTER, DEPT. OF SOCIOLOGY

Topic : Busy But Directionless – How College Students Are Learning To Stay Occupied Instead Of Learning?

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Busy But Directionless - How College Students Are Learning To Stay Occupied Instead Of Learning?



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In today's college life, students are rarely idle. Days are filled with classes, assignments, attendance requirements, online activities, and constant digital engagement. On the surface, college students appear active and involved. However, beneath this busy routine lies a quiet question many students carry: "Am I actually growing, or just staying occupied?"

Most college students follow a tightly packed daily schedule. They attend lectures, complete tasks, prepare for exams, and remain active on social media. Yet, many struggle to find meaning in what they do each day. Learning often becomes mechanical, driven by deadlines rather than curiosity. From a sociological point of view, this reflects education systems that value productivity over reflection. The pressure to always appear busy has become a social norm; students feel uncomfortable slowing down, questioning their direction, or admitting confusion. Instead, they continue moving from one task to the next.

This creates a generation that is occupied but uncertain, active but unclear about purpose. News reports discussing youth burnout and mental fatigue often mask a deeper issue of directionlessness.

Daily life for many students also includes excessive screen time. Between online classes, entertainment, and social media, attention is constantly divided. While technology connects students, it also leaves little space for silence, self-understanding, or long-term thinking. As a result, many students reach the end of their college years unsure of what they truly want.

This condition does not arise from laziness, but from a system that rarely encourages pause or self-examination. Students are taught how to meet requirements, but not how to understand themselves. Growth is assumed to happen automatically, even when students are merely completing routines.

In conclusion, being busy should not be confused with meaningful development. College education must go beyond constant activity and create space for reflection, guidance, and purpose. If institutions and society wish to prepare students for life, they must help them grow, not just keep them occupied.

STUDENTS' ARTICLE IN LOCAL DAILIES



CONGRATULATIONS TO MS. VILASANO RHETSO
5TH SEMESTER, DEPT. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Topic : Rising Crimes Against Women and Children: A Call for Action

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Rising crimes against women and children: A call for action

Recently, reports of the alleged sexual assault of a minor girl shocked many families and communities. People gathered to demand justice, while women's organisations and concerned citizens raised their voices against the incident. Beyond the anger and sadness, one question remained in everyone's mind: How can a child be unsafe, and why does justice often take so long?

Sadly, this is not an isolated incident. Across the country, women and children continue to face

different forms of violence. Such crimes can happen anywhere, in public places, on the streets, in schools, and sometimes even within homes where people are expected to feel safe. Despite laws being in place, many victims and their families have to wait years for justice. When justice is delayed, confidence in the system begins to weaken.

The impact of these crimes goes beyond the victims themselves. Many women think twice before travelling alone or returning home after dark. Parents

constantly worry about the safety of their children. Young girls are often told to be careful wherever they go, while children are seldom taught how to seek help when they face abuse. As a result, fear becomes a part of everyday life for many families.

One reason these problems continue is because society often focuses on the wrong questions. Instead of asking why a crime was committed, people sometimes question the actions of the victim. In many cases, families remain silent be-

cause of fear, shame, or social pressure. Such attitudes make it harder for survivors to speak out and seek justice. A society that blames victims instead of holding offenders accountable only encourages further injustice.

There is an urgent need for change. Investigations into crimes against women and children must be conducted quickly and fairly. Evidence should be handled seriously, and legal processes should not be delayed.

At the same time, families and educational institutions should teach

young people about respect, consent, and responsibility. Awareness and education can play an important role in preventing violence before it occurs.

The recent case involving a minor girl has deeply affected the community and sparked public outrage. However, public anger alone is not enough.

Meaningful action is needed from authorities, institutions, and society as a whole. Women and children deserve to live without fear and with the assurance that their rights and safety will

be protected.

Cases like this should not become just another headline that people forget after a few days. Instead, they should serve as a reminder that much work remains to be done. The time for promises is over. The urgent need of the hour is action, accountability, and a collective commitment to building a safer society for women and children.

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CELEBRATING RESEARCH EXCELLENCE



**CONGRATULATIONS TO MS. CILULE NDANG
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR DEPT. OF EDUCATION**

Paper Title: Parents' Involvement in Children's Academic Life: A comparative study between Private and Government schools in Peren District

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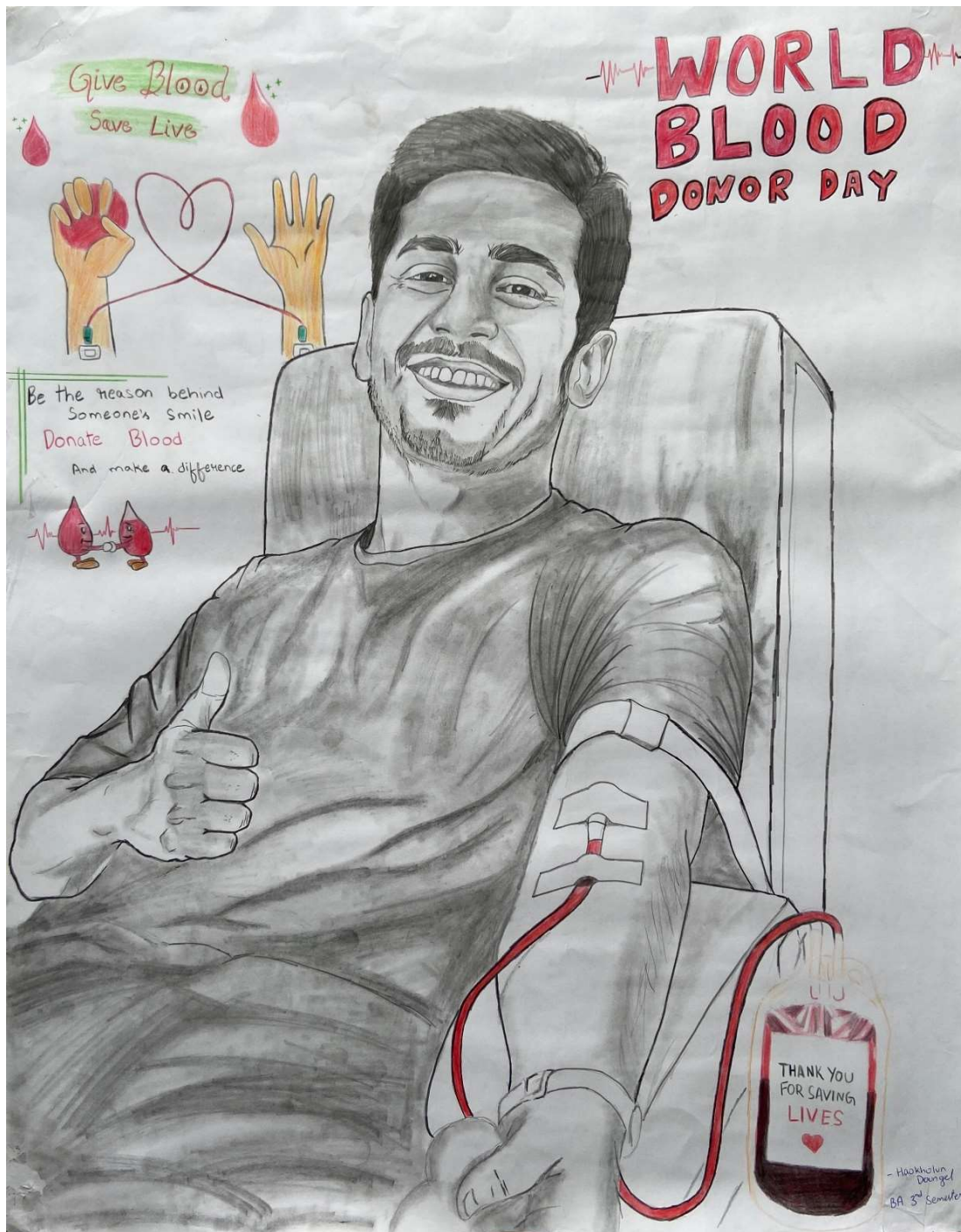


HIGHLIGHTS OF THE MONTH:

Date	Activities
4 th June	Extension Service by NCC
5 th June	World Environment Day (Eco-Green Club)/ Positive Link
7 th June	Joining Report of the Hostel Warden
8 th June	Joining Report of the Staff & Hostellers/Departmental Meetings/Staff Meeting/ HoD Meeting
9 th June	Starting of the classes for ODD Semester (1 st , 3 rd & 5 th)/ Assembly (i/c Administration)/ Orientation to B.A 1 st Semester
12 th June	Assembly (i/c HoDs)/ Orientation & Registration/ Renewal of Sports Clubs, Extra Co-Curricular Clubs and Extension Services/ Library Committee Meeting
16 th June	MSCU Election/IQAC Meeting cum Presentation of Last Academic Session
19 th June	Students' Care
21 st June	International Yoga Day
23 rd June	Nomination of Campus Ambassadors/Fund Raise Meeting (i/c Fund Raise Committee/ Management and Administration Meeting
26 th June	Freshers' Day/Submission of Monthly Report: IPR, IQAC, HOD, Hostel Warden, etc.
29 th June- 13 th July	Summer Vacation
Date to be notified later	NSS volunteers Orientation

TO LOOK AHEAD:

5 th July	Positive Link
11 th July	World Population Day (i/c NSS)
12 th July	Joining Report of the Hostel Warden
13 th July	Joining Report of the Staff & Hostellers/ Departmental Meetings/Staff Meeting/ HoD Meeting
14 th July	Re-Opening of Class after Summer Vacation/IQAC Meeting
17 th July	Students' Care
20 th July	1 st Weekly Test
21 st July	Management and Administration Meeting
23 rd July	Debate 1 st Round (i/c Dept. of English)
24 th July	Assembly (i/c B.A 5 th Semester)/ Release of the College Magazine Apprise
27 th July	2 nd Weekly Test
28 th July	World Nature Conservation Day (i/c Eco-Green Club)
30 th July	Debate 2 nd Round (i/c Dept. of English)
31 st July	Students' Care/ Submission of Monthly Report: IPR, IQAC, HoD, Hostel Warden, etc.
Date to be notified later	Graduation Day/ Environmental Initiative (i/c IQAC)



Mr. Haokholun Dounge (B.A. 3rd Semester)

2nd Position, Painting Competition on World Blood Donor Day

Photos of the Month



The face when somebody says,
'It's just a five-minute meeting.'



Proof that confidence is the best
accessory—even with a
'Miss Fresher' sash.