Interactive Session with the College Management

Organized by the Department of Social Work-PG

St. Edmund's College

Date: 27th October 2021

Time: 11:00 AM

Participants: Faculty members and 1st year students of MSW

The programme started with a welcome address by Dr. Rituparnar Rajendra, Head, Department of Social Work. She welcome all the college dignitaries, Dr. Sylvanus Lamare, Principal, Dr. Monotosh Chakravarty, Vice Principal and Dr Baljuda War Nongbri, Dean, of St. Edmunds College.

After the welcome speech, the Principal address the students congratulating the students for

opting Social Work. He encourage the students to make the most of these two years experiences, to gain the skills taught in this course, enhance research attitude and community engagement. He also encouraged them to be committed to the agency they'll go for their fieldwork and to be in touch with



the reality around them while working out solutions to address issues, without promising that that they will solve people's problems.



After that the Vice Principal interacted with the students, he highlighted on sharing ones identity with the world. He recalled one interview where the interviewees said that their Field of Work is their people, their community, their neighbours and their family. He congratulates the students for taking up such a course which required commitment beyond self and he encourages them to make a difference in the society that you belong to and the life that you lead.

After that, the Dean of the college assure that students that Social Work is a calling, which differed from the rest because the course is actually more of a mission that students have opted to equipped themselves with, and that mission is to help people to overcome many challenges in their life. She also encourages the students to



develop a critical thinking mind and a research analytical mind during these two years.

After the three dignitaries addressed the students, Dr. Ritu concluded the programme with a vote of thanks.