

HARIMOHAN GHOSE COLLEGE

A VISIT TO THE NATIONAL LIBRARY

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National Library is India's largest library by volume and public record. It is under Ministry of Culture, Government of India. The library is designated to collect, disseminate and preserve printed material produced within India. The Department of Political Science recently took the initiative to enroll students for National Library membership and initiate them into the world of literacy scholarship.

I. Objectives:

1.To make the students aware about the society through the record of human thoughts, ideas and expressions.

2.To get the National Library membership card.

3.To nurture students' curiosity, thinking skill and love for learning.

II. Process:

Before visiting the National Library for membership card, the teachers visited the National Library office a couple of times to know the process and rules and regulations for membership of such a large group of students. Accordingly, students were told to register online and submit a copy of Aadhar card and a passport size photo along with the hard copy of the application form to the department. The department got those documents signed by the principal and scheduled the visit by intimating the National Library office.

III. Outcomes:

1) All participating studentsgottheir membership cards on that day of the visit to the National Library.

2) Students were taken to the rare section of the library with special permission.

3) Teachers took initiative for enrolment process of students to get the membership cards.

4) One of the officials provided a quick tour of the library explaining the rules and regulations of libraryto ourstudents.

National Libraries are responsible for collecting preserving making available important national publications, historical documents, rare books and research papers. Membership will allow students to access these resources beyond what is available in the College Library.







