STUDY TOUR TO P.G. DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

A study tour was organized for the students of the Department of Statistics, Salipur Autonomous College, on 05/02/2025 aimed at providing them with academic exposure and firsthand experience of a higher learning environment. A total of **30 students** participated in this tour, accompanied by **Mr. Karunakar Muduli**, Head of the Department of Statistics, **Dr. Sitanshu Shekhar Mishra**, and **Miss Tapaswini Mohapatra**, Lecturer in Statistics.

The study tour took place at the **Post Graduate Department of Statistics**, where the faculty and staff extended a warm welcome to the visiting team.

Programme Overview:

1. Formal Welcome & Interaction Session:

Upon arrival, the students and faculty members were cordially received by the PG Department. A short **interactive meeting** was arranged by the department, where the faculty members of the PG Department addressed the students, highlighting the scope and opportunities in postgraduate studies and research in Statistics.

2. Visit to Academic Facilities:

- Department Visit: Students were guided through the PG Department, where they
 observed the classroom infrastructure, departmental laboratories, and ongoing
 academic and research activities.
- Seminar Library: The students visited the departmental seminar library, which
 houses various academic texts, reference books, and statistical journals. They
 learned about the functioning and role of the seminar library in postgraduate studies.
- Central Library: The visit to the Central Library offered insights into the vast collection of books, digital resources, and the library's cataloguing and lending system. The students appreciated the digital access and the systematic arrangement of academic material.
- Central Office: Students were also taken to the university's central administrative office where they were briefed on the academic administration process, admissions, and examination systems.

Outcomes of the Tour:

The tour enhanced the students' understanding of postgraduate academic environments.

- It motivated the students to pursue higher education in Statistics.
- They gained practical knowledge about research facilities and academic resources available at the PG level.

Conclusion:

The study tour was a successful and enriching experience for the students. It provided them with valuable exposure and encouraged academic aspiration. The Department of Statistics extends heartfelt thanks to the PG Department for their kind hospitality and support in making the tour informative and memorable.

