**SONAPUR COLLEGE INTRODUCES COURSE ON HUMAN RIGHTS**

Guwahati, February12, 2016: Sonapur College is going to start its UGC funded *Certificate Course in Human Rights and Duties* from this Academic Session 2015-2016. The Course is sought to introduce the students to the concepts of human rights which is important for making them aware about their rights and duties to make them responsible citizens. The course is for a short duration of three months. It aims to orient teachers, law enforcement personnel, those working or associated with NGOs and others engaged in promotion of human rights and duties. Being a short duration orientation course, the course content encompasses principal aspects of the concept, historical, philosophical and social perspectives, the normative and institutional mechanisms of the UN and a focus on India and its human rights problems. Finally, it stresses the need for internalizing the human rights and duties culture. The Human Rights Education Cell of the college has called for application from eligible candidates with minimum education qualification of 10+2 to enroll in the said course which will begin from March 1, 2016. Apart from a minimum amount of enrolment fee, the course is fee to the students. The Cell has been planning to organize a few Talks from eminent Human Rights activists, Child Rights activists, Women’s Rights Activists and NGO s involved in the area along with the discussion series. The Certificate Course will follow the UGC approved curriculum on the subject.