

## **Report on Observation of Anti-Ragging Week (12th–18th August, 2025)**

**Date:** 12/09/2025

**Venue:** AB-G2 (Andre Block Seminar Hall), Holy Cross College, Agartala

**Organized By:** Anti-Ragging Cell, Holy Cross College, Agartala

### **Objective of the Program:**

The Anti-Ragging Cell of Holy Cross College, Agartala, organized a special program to observe "Anti-Ragging Week" (12th–18th August, 2025), with an event held on **12th September, 2025**, aimed at promoting a culture of mutual respect, empathy, and safety among students. The initiative was focused on spreading awareness about the legal, social, and ethical implications of ragging in educational institutions, thereby encouraging a ragging-free campus environment.

### **Details of the Program:**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Session</b>	<b>Facilitators</b>
<b>11:00 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.</b>	<b>Introduction to the Program and welcoming the Guests</b>	<b>Ms. Dridhiti Roy</b> (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Math & Stat, HCCA)
<b>11:10 a.m. – 11:20 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome Address</b>	<b>Fr. Davis Konuran CSC</b> Vice Principal (Academics), HCCA
<b>11:20 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.</b>	<b>Session on Legal Provisions &amp; Institutional Mechanisms to prevent ragging in Higher Education</b>	<b>Dr. Jayanta Dhar</b> (Assistant Professor, NLUT)
<b>11:50 a.m. – 12:20 p.m.</b>	<b>Session on Ragging as a Social Problem: Building Respect &amp; Empathy in Student Life</b>	<b>Mr. Rajib Sutradhar</b> (TPS, Addl. Superintendent of Police, SPJ, Tripura)
<b>12:20 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Prize Distribution Ceremony</b>	<b>Esteemed Guests/ Faculty Members</b>
<b>12:30 p.m. – 12:35 p.m.</b>	<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	<b>Dr. Sharmistha Chakraborty</b> (Asst. Professor & IQAC coordinator, HCCA)

**MC of the program:** Ms. Dridhiti Roy (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Math & Stat)

## Proceedings of the Program:

### 1. Introduction and Welcome Address:

- The event commenced at 11:00 AM with a warm welcome and introductory remarks by **Ms. Dridhiti Roy** (Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics & Statistics).
- She introduced the theme of the program and emphasized the significance of Anti-Ragging Week in fostering a safe and inclusive learning environment.

### 2. Welcome Address:

- At 11:10 AM, **Fr. Davis Konuran CSC**, Vice Principal (Academics), delivered the welcome address.
- He spoke about the college's commitment to upholding student dignity and maintaining a zero-tolerance policy towards ragging.

### 3. Session on Legal Provisions & Institutional Mechanisms:

- From 11:20 AM to 11:50 AM, **Dr. Jayanta Dhar** (Assistant Professor, National Law University, Tripura) conducted an informative session.
- He elaborated on the **legal frameworks**, UGC regulations, and institutional mechanisms established to curb ragging in higher education institutions.
- Students were informed about their rights and the proper channels for reporting any incidents.

### 4. Session on Ragging as a Social Problem:

- From 11:50 AM to 12:20 PM, **Mr. Rajib Sutradhar** (Tripura Police Service, Addl. Superintendent of Police, SPJ, Tripura) led a highly engaging session.
- He discussed the **social consequences** of ragging and the importance of **building empathy, peer respect, and positive student relationships** to eliminate such practices.
- Through real-life examples and open dialogue, students were encouraged to be proactive in creating a supportive campus culture.

### 5. Prize Distribution Ceremony:

- From 12:20 PM to 12:30 PM, prizes were distributed by the **esteemed guests and faculty members** to students who actively participated in competitions and activities conducted during the Anti-Ragging Week.
- The ceremony celebrated student engagement and reinforced the positive message of the event.

### 6. Vote of Thanks:

- The program concluded with a formal vote of thanks delivered by **Dr. Sharmistha Chakraborty** (Assistant Professor & IQAC Coordinator, HCCA).
- She expressed gratitude to the speakers, guests, student participants, and organizing members for making the event a meaningful and impactful one.

### Highlights and Key Takeaways:

- Enhanced awareness among students about the legal and ethical issues surrounding ragging.
- Emphasis on institutional support systems for victims and preventive mechanisms.
- Encouragement to foster empathy, mutual respect, and a culture of dignity among peers.
- Real-life perspectives from legal and law enforcement professionals added depth to the discussion.
- Strong participation and engagement from students across departments.

### Conclusion:

The observance of Anti-Ragging Week at Holy Cross College, Agartala, through this special program on **12th September, 2025**, was a significant step in reinforcing the college's stance against ragging. The event was both informative and inspiring, effectively combining legal education, moral values, and student participation. It highlighted the collective responsibility of faculty, students, and administration in maintaining a safe and respectful campus environment.

We extend our sincere thanks to all the guest speakers, faculty members, and students for their enthusiastic involvement, and to the **Anti-Ragging Cell** for organizing a successful and thought-provoking event.

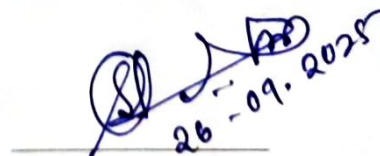
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