



# GOVERNMENT GIRLS DEGREE COLLEGE AHIRAUULA, AZAMGARH-223221

## COMPREHENSIVE INSTITUTIONAL & DEPARTMENTAL ACTION PLAN 2026–2027

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### Institutional Vision

Government Girls Degree College, Ahiraula, Azamgarh, is a leading institution of higher learning dedicated to providing quality, value-based, and inclusive education that empowers rural young women. In alignment with the principles of the National Education Policy (NEP 2020), the college outlines its Action Plan, Departmental Calendars, and Strategic Initiatives for the Academic Session 2026–2027.

The central focus for the 2026–2027 term is advancing from the initial introduction of the NEP to a profound structural implementation, emphasizing Outcome-Based Education (OBE), Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE), digital literacy, multidisciplinary research, and vocational skill integration. Situated within a major rural area of Azamgarh, GGDC Ahiraula is uniquely equipped to apply the NEP 2020 framework to shrink the urban-rural digital gap, stimulate regional entrepreneurship, and cultivate leadership qualities in young female students.

### NEP 2020 Core Implementation Framework (2026–2027)

For the 2026–2027 academic year, GGDC, Ahiraula has categorized five core pillars under the Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) and Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programs (CCFUP):

- **Multidisciplinary Learning Structures:** Enabling seamless integration of Major, Minor, Elective, Vocational/Skill Enhancement Courses, and Value-Added Courses across Humanities, Social Sciences, and Commerce.
- **Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE):** Standardizing a 25% internal assessment architecture comprising mid-term written examinations/ MCQs, assignments, presentations, attendance, and practical viva-voce.
- **Skill Enhancement & Employability (SEC):** Embedding industry-aligned vocational training modules including Digital Marketing, Basic Computer Applications, Local Artisanry, and Financial Literacy.
- **Community Engagement and Experiential Learning:** Mandating field surveys, community health awareness projects, social outreach via NSS, and local heritage documentation.
- **Digital Integration:** Promoting SWAYAM/NPTEL MOOC course enrolments, smart classroom instruction, and digital resource accessibility through ONOS and NDL (National Digital Library) as well.

## Institutional Academic Calendar (2026–2027)

The following master timeline governs the academic, co-curricular, and administrative schedule for the odd and even semesters during the 2026–2027 academic session, strictly adhering to MSDSU Azamgarh guidelines.

| Time Period / Month | Academic & Curricular Milestones                                                             | Evaluation & Exams                                    | Co-Curricular & NEP Initiatives                                   |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July 2026           | Admission Process, FYUGP Orientation & Student Induction Program (SIP)                       | Assessment Tests                                      | Institutional Orientation (NEP) for 1st Year Students             |
| August 2026         | Commencement of Regular Classes (Odd Sem: Sem I, III, V)                                     | Mentor-Mentee setup                                   | Independence Day Celebrations                                     |
| September 2026      | Curriculum Delivery, Departmental Seminars & Guest Lectures                                  | Assignment 1 Submission                               | Hindi Diwas Celebrations, NSS Registration Drive                  |
| October 2026        | Mid-Semester Revision & Remedial Classes                                                     | Mid-Term Examinations (CIE)                           | <i>Swachhata Pakhwada</i> , Career Counseling Workshop            |
| November 2026       | Completion of Odd Semester Syllabus, Practical Classes/ Odd Semester University Examinations | Practical Exams & Internal Marks Entry and Exams      | Constitution Day Panel Discussion                                 |
| December 2026       | Odd Semester University Examinations (MSDSU)                                                 | Exams                                                 | Seminar                                                           |
| January 2027        | Commencement of Even Semester Classes (Sem II, IV, VI)                                       | Review of Odd Sem Results                             | National Youth Day, Republic Day Celebrations/ Annual Sports Meet |
| February 2027       | Project Work                                                                                 | Assignment 1 Submission (Even Sem)                    | Annual Day Celebrations/ Seminar                                  |
| March 2027          | Departmental Workshops, Skill Enhancement Modules                                            | Mid-Term Examinations (CIE)                           | International Women's Day Celebration/ IQAC Quarterly Review      |
| April 2027          | Syllabus Completion, Remedial Teaching for Slow Learners/ External Exams                     | Practical Viva-Voce & Internal Marks Submission/ Exam | DOIs and Publication Review                                       |
| May 2027            | Even Semester Examinations                                                                   | Exam                                                  | IQAC Associated Review                                            |
| June 2027           | Summer Vacation & Internship / Vocational Training                                           | Tabulation & Result Preparation                       | CRC Meeting                                                       |

## Department of Hindi

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Arts / Humanities*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To enrich language skills, cultural appreciation, critical literary insight, and functional Hindi applications (translation, journalism, and creative writing) for rural women scholars.

### **Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Hindi**

| <b>Timeline / Month</b> | <b>Academic &amp; Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)</b>                                                                                                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Admission orientation, introduction to NEP 2020 CBCS structure, syllabus distribution, and diagnostic baseline assessments.                                     |
| September 2026          | Hindi Diwas & Pakhwada Celebrations: Guest lectures on functional Hindi, inter-class essay competitions, and poetry recitation.                                 |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term internal assessments, assignment submission, remedial classes for slow learners, and term end preparation.                                             |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                                                                                           |
| January - February 2027 | Commencement of Even Semester. Seminar on regional folk literature ( <i>Bhojpuri &amp; Awadhi</i> influence on Hindi literature) and creative writing workshop. |
| March - April 2027      | National/State level webinar on modern Hindi literature, internal mid-term evaluation, and continuous evaluation projects.                                      |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester University Examinations and annual academic review.                                                                                               |

### **Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:**

- Establishment of 'Bhasha and Sahitya Manch' for student publications and creative expression.
- Talks on career opportunities in digital media and public administration.
- Research projects on regional oral traditions, folk songs, and heritage of Eastern Uttar Pradesh.

## Department of English

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Arts / Humanities*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To build robust communicative competence, critical analysis of world literature in English, and professional communication skills tailored for modern careers.

### **Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of English**

| <b>Timeline / Month</b> | <b>Academic &amp; Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)</b>                                                                  |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Student induction, orientation on English literature and language courses under NEP, diagnostic English proficiency check. |
| September 2026          | Phonetics & Pronunciation workshop; Interactive sessions on effective listening and speaking skills.                       |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term examinations, research paper writing techniques session for undergraduate students.                               |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Examinations.                                                                                                 |
| January - February 2027 | Even semester teaching starts; Departmental seminar on 'Post-Colonial Indian English Literature'.                          |
| March - April 2027      | Soft Skills and Resume Writing Intensive Training; Internal mid-term assignments.                                          |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Final Examinations and annual student evaluation.                                                            |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Setting up of an interactive Language Lab / Communication Club to improve spoken English among first-generation female learners.
- Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) on 'Business Communication and Technical Writing'.
- Annual Shakespeare and Indian English Drama Performance Workshop.

### Department of History

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Social Sciences*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To inculcate historical consciousness, analytical thinking regarding cultural heritage, and understanding of national and international historical trajectories.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of History

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                                                               |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Academic orientation, introduction to Ancient, Medieval, and Modern Indian History paper structure under NEP.                                |
| September 2026          | Lecture series on 'Archaeological Heritage of Uttar Pradesh and Azamgarh Region'.                                                            |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term internal assessment, submission of historical mapping projects, and seminar presentations.                                          |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Examinations.                                                                                                                   |
| January - February 2027 | Special commemoration event on Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Jayanti & Freedom Struggle exhibition; Field visit to local historical monuments. |
| March - April 2027      | National Level Seminar on 'Role of Women in Freedom Movement of India'; Mid-term tests.                                                      |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Examinations and curriculum feedback collection.                                                                               |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Heritage Club establishing a local oral history archive documenting freedom struggles between veterans.
- SEC Course on 'Tourism and Heritage Management' to create local employment awareness.
- Digital archival project involving students in scanning and cataloging local historical documents.

### Department of Sociology

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Social Sciences*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To develop sociological imagination, social research methodology, and community empathy addressing gender, caste, rural dynamics, and social change.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Sociology

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                                    |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Induction session, orientation on sociological theory, social research, and field survey methodologies under NEP. |
| September 2026          | Workshop on 'Rural Social Structure and Gender Empowerment in Eastern UP'.                                        |
| October - November 2026 | Odd semester mid-term evaluation, submission of field survey reports on local socio-economic issues.              |

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| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                                                 |
| January - February 2027 | Commencement of even semester classes; Community outreach campaign on social inclusion and legal awareness for women. |
| March - April 2027      | Departmental seminar on 'Social Transformation and Digital Era in Rural India'; Internal assessment.                  |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Final Examinations and data evaluation of student projects.                                             |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Socio-Economic Survey Cell undertaking field research in surrounding villages of Ahiraula block.
- Collaborative communities drive on gender equity, prohibition, and health awareness in association with local Panchayats.
- Student training in basic statistical tools (SPSS/Excel) for social research.

### Department of Political Science

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Social Sciences*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To promote political literacy, constitutional awareness, understanding of global politics, governance frameworks, and public administration.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Political Science

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                       |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Orientation on Political Science syllabus under NEP, Indian Constitution foundational concepts.      |
| September 2026          | Constitution Literacy Drive & Discussion on 'Governance and Rights under NEP-2020'.                  |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term evaluation, Youth Parliament competition preparation, assignment submissions.               |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                                |
| January 2027            | National Voters' Day Celebrations (Jan 25) & Republic Day Academic Seminar on Constitutional Values. |
| Feb - March 2027        | Institutional Youth Parliament Session; Talk/Webinar on 'India's Foreign Policy in 21st Century'.    |
| April - June 2027       | Mid-term internal tests, Even Semester University Examinations, and program outcome assessment.      |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Electoral Literacy Club (ELC) activities for 100% voter registration among eligible female students.
- Regular Mock Youth Parliament to build debate, governance, and public speaking skills.
- Research guidance for undergraduate term papers on state politics and panchayati raj institutions.

### Department of Education

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Social Sciences / Education*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To foster pedagogical innovations, psychological foundations of learning, digital teaching aids, and inclusive educational practices.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Education

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                            |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Student orientation on NEP-2020 educational policies, teaching-learning theories, and evaluation models.  |
| September 2026          | Teachers' Day celebration; Student seminar on 'Pedagogical Innovations in 21st Century Classrooms'.       |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term exams, micro-teaching simulation practice, preparation of teaching-learning material (TLM).      |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Examinations.                                                                                |
| January - February 2027 | Community educational survey in local primary schools; Workshop on Inclusive Education and Special Needs. |
| March - April 2027      | Webinar on 'Empowerment with Digitalization: Education System'; Mid-term evaluation.                      |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Examinations and continuous assessment reviews.                                             |

#### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Establishment of 'Guidance and Career Counseling Cell' within the department for student mental health and career pathways.
- Hands-on workshop on creating digital learning content (e-content development) using open-source tools.
- Peer-tutoring initiative for assisting academically weaker students across departments.

### Department of Home Science

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Applied Sciences / Arts*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To empower female students with scientific knowledge of nutrition, human development, resource management, textiles, and entrepreneurial skills.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Home Science

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                                      |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Orientation on Home Science practical and theoretical domains, laboratory safety, and NEP credit distribution.      |
| September 2026          | National Nutrition Week Celebrations: Healthy recipe competition, nutritional assessment camp for college students. |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term tests, practical evaluation in food science and textile designing.                                         |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Practical & Theory Examinations.                                                                       |
| January - February 2027 | Workshop on 'Apparel Designing, Tie-Dye, and Local Handicrafts ( <i>Chikan</i> work/Embroidery)'.                   |
| March - April 2027      | Exhibition of student products (handicrafts, preserved foods); Mid-term evaluation and practical file review.       |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Examinations and annual departmental audit.                                                           |

#### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Home Science Entrepreneurship Hub promoting micro-enterprises in food preservation, catering, and textile design.
- Community outreach on Maternal and Child Health, Malnutrition Eradication in Azamgarh rural blocks.
- Value-added Certificate Course on 'Dietetics, Wellness, and Lifestyle Management'.

## Department of Mathematics

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Science*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To cultivate analytical reasoning, mathematical modeling, computational proficiency, and problem-solving abilities applicable to pure and applied sciences.

### **Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Mathematics**

| <b>Timeline / Month</b> | <b>Academic &amp; Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)</b>                                                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Orientation for B.Sc. Mathematics, introduction to Differential Equations, Calculus, and Algebra under NEP CBCS. |
| September 2026          | Workshop on ‘Mathematical Software & Tools (Python/MATLAB/GeoGebra basics)’.                                     |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term examinations, problem-solving tutorial sessions, and assignment review.                                 |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Examinations.                                                                                       |
| January 2027            | National Mathematics Day Celebrations (Commemorating Srinivasa Ramanujan) - Math Quiz & Poster Competition.      |
| Feb - March 2027        | Special lecture series                                                                                           |
| April - June 2027       | Mid-term internal tests, practical viva, and Even Semester University Examinations.                              |

### **Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:**

- Mathematics Club ‘Euler Circle’ for hosting weekly problem-solving contests and competitive exam preparation (JAM/CUET).
- Remedial coaching modules for students transitioning from varied higher secondary backgrounds.
- Integration of Python-based numerical computing in practical curriculum.

## Department of Physics

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Science*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To provide rigorous foundation in fundamental and applied physics, experimental optics, electronics, and scientific research methodologies.

### **Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Physics**

| <b>Timeline / Month</b> | <b>Academic &amp; Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)</b>                                                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Orientation, Physics laboratory safety guidelines, introduction to Mechanics, Electromagnetism, and Optics. |
| September 2026          | Hands-on workshop on ‘Electrical Circuit Designing, Instrumentation, and Maintenance’.                      |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term internal evaluation, practical lab examination, and assignment submission.                         |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Practical and Theory Examinations.                                                             |
| January - February 2027 | National Science Day (Feb 28) celebrations: Science exhibition, Physics model presentation.                 |
| March - April 2027      | Seminar on ‘Renewable Energy Technologies and Solar Applications’; Mid-term tests.                          |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Examinations and lab inventory verification.                                                  |



### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Energy Conservation and Renewable Energy Cell promoting solar energy awareness on campus.
- Upgradation of Optics and Digital Electronics laboratories with modern digital measuring devices.
- Skill Enhancement Course on ‘Basic Electrical and Electronic Repair Skills’.

### Department of Chemistry

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Science*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To instill deep understanding of chemical principles, green chemistry practices, analytical laboratory skills, and industrial applications.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Chemistry

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                      |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Orientation, Chemical safety protocols, introduction to Organic, Inorganic, and Physical Chemistry. |
| September 2026          | Workshop on ‘Green Chemistry and Waste Chemical Management’.                                        |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term exams, quantitative and qualitative laboratory analysis tests.                             |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester Examinations.                                                                          |
| January - February 2027 | Industrial/Laboratory exposure talk on ‘Water Quality Analysis and Environmental Testing’.          |
| March - April 2027      | Student seminar on ‘Role of Chemistry in Pharmaceuticals and Agriculture’; Mid-term evaluation.     |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Practical and Theory Examinations.                                                    |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Water and Soil Testing Community Project analyzing agricultural soil and drinking water samples from Ahiraula region.
- Implementation of microscale chemical experiment techniques to minimize chemical waste.
- SEC Course on ‘Analytical Chemistry & Quality Control’.

### Department of Botany

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Science*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To advance knowledge of plant sciences, biodiversity conservation, ethnobotany, biotechnology, and sustainable agricultural practices.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Botany

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                          |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July – August 2026      | Orientation, intro to Plant Diversity, Anatomy, and Physiology; Laboratory setup guide. |
| September 2026          | Plantation Drive on campus & Botanical excursion to local ecosystem/herbarium creation. |
| October – November 2026 | Mid-term assessments, herbarium submission, and spot identification tests.              |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                   |
| January – February 2027 | Workshop on ‘Mushroom Cultivation and Organic Gardening Techniques’.                    |



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| March – April 2027 | Departmental Seminar on ‘Medicinal Plants of Eastern UP and Ethnobotany; Mid-term tests. |
| May – June 2027    | Even Semester Examinations and Botanical Garden maintenance drive.                       |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Maintenance of Institutional Herbal Garden featuring indigenous medicinal plants.
- Hands-on training in Vermicomposting and Organic Farming for rural economic upliftment.
- Digital Herbarium cataloging project driven by undergraduate students.

### Department of Zoology

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Science*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To promote understanding of animal biology, genetics, ecology, physiology, human health, and sustainable bio-resource utilization.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Zoology

| Timeline / Month        | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                                          |
|-------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026      | Student induction, lab safety protocols, introduction to Animal Diversity, Cell Biology, and Genetics.  |
| September 2026          | Wildlife Week Celebrations: Quiz competition, wildlife photography, and conservation awareness seminar. |
| October - November 2026 | Mid-term internal evaluation, slide preparation practical tests, record review.                         |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                                   |
| January - February 2027 | Workshop on Sericulture, and Aquaculture as Cottage Industries.                                         |
| March - April 2027      | Health and Vector-Borne Disease Awareness drive in surrounding rural areas; Mid-term tests.             |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Practical and Theory Examinations.                                                        |

### Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:

- Eco-Club and Biodiversity Monitoring Cell to survey local avian and insect fauna.
- Certificate Skill Program in ‘Commercial Poultry & Apiculture Management’.
- Health & Blood Grouping Camps organized for students and local community.

### Department of Commerce

**Faculty Affiliation:** *Faculty of Commerce*

**Departmental Vision & NEP Mandate:** To empower women in financial literacy, accounting, taxation, corporate governance, e-commerce, and digital banking applications.

### Academic Calendar 2026–2027: Department of Commerce

| Timeline / Month   | Academic & Co-Curricular Activities (NEP 2020)                                          |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| July - August 2026 | Orientation on BCom NEP framework, Financial Accounting, Business Management, and Law.  |
| September 2026     | Workshop on ‘Digital Banking, UPI Security, and Personal Financial Planning for Women’. |

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| October - November 2026 | Mid-term tests, GST practical session evaluations, assignment submissions.                 |
| December 2026           | Odd Semester University Examinations.                                                      |
| January - February 2027 | Industrial/Bank visit & Seminar on 'E-Commerce Trends and Startup Ecosystem in India'.     |
| March - April 2027      | Practical Workshop on 'Income Tax Return (ITR) Filing and GST Compliance'; Mid-term tests. |
| May - June 2027         | Even Semester Examinations and annual placement assistance drive.                          |

### **Key Departmental Initiatives & Skill Enhancements:**

- Commerce & Financial Literacy Cell conducting financial awareness programs for rural women.
- Hands-on Certificate Course on 'GST Application'.
- Incubation & Entrepreneurship Cell promoting student business plan competitions.

## INSTITUTIONAL GOVERNANCE, QUALITY ASSURANCE & NEP MONITORING

To ensure effective implementation of the departmental calendars and NEP 2020 initiatives, Government Girls Degree College, Ahiraula, Azamgarh, has integrated institutional oversight through key administrative bodies:

- **Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC):** Schedules quarterly monitoring meetings (e.g., Q4 review), collects feedback from students, faculty together with other stakeholders, and ensures academic excellence across all 13 departments.
- **Institution's Innovation Council (IIC):** Drives innovation, entrepreneurship workshops, startup orientation, and skill development activities in partnership with external organizations like Samarth Shakti Foundation.
- **Research and Seminar Committee:** Coordinates departmental national/state webinars, faculty development programs, and student research project evaluations.
- **Career Counseling / Placement Cell:** Facilitates job fairs, soft skill training, and industry exposure tailored for female graduates in Azamgarh division.

### Career Counseling, Placement & Equal Opportunity Cell

Dedicated to providing career guidance and competitive exam preparation tailored for rural female graduates:

- **Competitive Exam Coaching:** Special weekend guidance sessions for UPPSC, SSC, B.Ed. Entrance, Banking exams and after PG UGC/CSIR NET exams.
- **Skill Development Workshops:** Partnering with State Skill Development Mission (UPSDM) for certified job-oriented training.
- **Entrepreneurship Cell:** Promoting micro-enterprises, handicraft sales, and local cottage industry startups.

### Student Welfare, Digital Roadmap along with Support System

To ensure that academic plans are backed by robust infrastructure and support systems, GGDC Ahiraula has prioritized the following initiatives for 2026–2027:

- **Smart Classroom Expansion:** Upgrading existing classrooms with interactive digital boards and multimedia to facilitate blended learning.
- **Library Digitization and ONOS / N-LIST Access:** Integrating 'e-granthalaya' software, expanding text/reference books for NEP syllabus, ONOS access, and proposal to provide N-LIST INFLIBNET access to students.
- **Remedial & Enrichment Framework:** Identifying slow and advanced learners based on preliminary tests; offering specialized remedial classes and advanced reading lists.
- **Empowerment & Safety Cell (Mission Shakti):** Conducting self-defense training workshops, legal awareness seminars, and operating a 24x7 Counseling Helpline for female students.

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