

BAMANPUKUR HUMAYUN KABIR MAHAVIDYALAYA
ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR SEMESTER II, 2022-2023

COURSE TITLE: **Generic Elective 02 (PHIGCORO2T/PHIHGECO2T) Western Epistemology and Metaphysics**

TOTAL CREDIT: 6 MARKS: 75

TEACHER IN CHARGE: OMAR KHAIYAM AHAMED

Unit-wise distribution of Lectures

UNITS	LECTURE HOUR	DURATION
1. Theories of the origin of knowledge: Rationalism, Empiricism and Kant's Critical Theory. By P.M	15	
2. . Realism and Idealism as theories of Reality: i. General Introduction ii. Realism: Naive Realism, Locke's Representationalism.By P. M	12	
3. Idealism: Subjective Idealism :Berkeley - refutation of the distinction between Primary and Secondary qualities, Subjective Idealism.By O.K.A	5	

Selected References

1. Mitra ,Chatterjee o Sarkar, *Manodarsan: Sarirbad O Tar Bikalpo.*
2. Phalguni Mukhopadhyaya, *Bhartiya O Paschatya (Jnanavidya – Adhividya) .*
3. Samarendra Bhattacharya,*Snatak Darsana – [3rd Part]*
4. Samarendra Bhattacharya, *Paschatya Darsana*
5. John Hospers, *An Introduction to Philosophical Analysis*

4. Substance: Empiricist and Rationalist view of Substance. By P.M	15	
5.Causality: Entailment theory, Regularity Theory. By O.K.A	14	
6. Mind-body Problem: Interactionism, Parallelism, and Epiphenomenalism. By P.M	14	

1. Library Day: 27th April
2. Debate: 4th May
3. Quiz: 11th May
4. Extempore : 20th May

All dates for events to be organised by the department are tentative and subject to change.