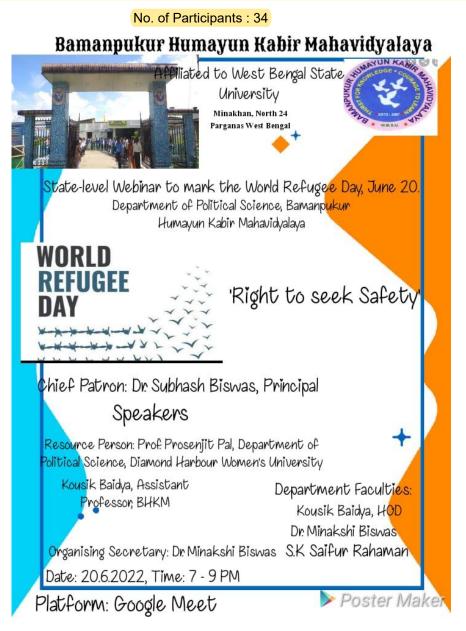
## Report of State-Level Webinar on World Refugee Day, June 20,2022. Time: 7-9 PM, Google Meet

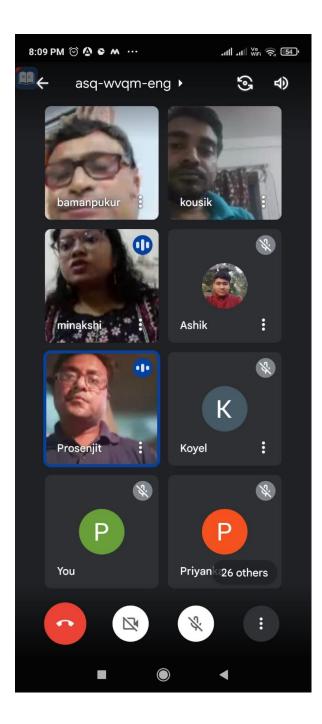
## **Department of Political Science**

## Bamanpukur Humayun Kabir Mahavidyalaya

Chief guest and keynote speaker: Prof. Prasenjit Paul, Dept. of Pol Science, Diamond Harbour University



The State-Level Webinar was organized between 7-9PM to mark the World Refugee Day on June 20, 2022 by the Department of Political Science, BHKM. The resource person for the event was Dr. Prosenjit Pal, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Diamond Harbour Women's University. The event began with a brief introduction stating the significance of the day by Dr. Minakshi Biswas, the organizing secretary of the event and Assistant Prpfessor, Department of Political Science, BHKM.



This was followed by a short speech by the Principal of BHKM, Dr. Subhash Biswas who stressed upon the need for recognition for the refugees, their protection and safety. His speech was followed by the lecture delivered by the resource person Dr. Prosenjit Pal who highlighted several issues like that of statelessness, right to life of the refugees, presence of laws on refugee rights yet their sad plight. He stressed upon the gap between developed and developing nations and the lack of capacity among developing nations to accommodate refugees due to their resource crunch. His speech was followed by a talk presented by the HOD of Department of Political Science, BHKM, Kousik Baidya. Prof. Baidya stressed upon the fact of how partition in India gave rise to refugees. He spoke at length about how refugees have been borne out of political crises in Sri Lanka and countries like Afghanistan. This was followed by a short comment by another department faculty, S.K Saifur Rahaman. The event came to an end with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Minakshi Biswas.

