

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Department of Education

The Department of Educational Research and Studies of the School of Education of the University started functioning in Shillong from 1976. The M.A. programme was opened in 1978 and another M.Ed programme at Aizawl in 1979. The M. Phil programme started in Shillong in 1979. In all these programmes including the doctoral programme special attention is given to relate what is taught to the actual needs and problems of the region. The M.Ed programme is aimed at developing advanced level competence in various fields of Educational work so that it will help the improvement of standards.

Achievements of the Department

Out of the total number of students who qualified for the degree of M.Ed, 45.46 percent belonged to scheduled tribes. Many of them have become faculty members in Teacher Training Institutions, degree colleges, specialised institutions like the SCERT and also in the Department itself. Some of them function as heads of institutions.

The dissertation is one of the requirements of M. Ed programme. So far 33 dissertations have been submitted and cleared for award. These dissertations are on problems in education pertaining to this region. The results of such research is being brought out in the form of a bulletin. The research projects on micro-teaching and teacher abilities sponsored by the Ministry of Education on on followup study of national scholarships is also going on in the Department.

Break up of students' intake

Year	Male	Female	Total	of which	
				SC	ST
1979-80.					
M.Ed. Semester I	—	6	6	—	1
M.Ed. Semester II	—	2	2	—	1
M. Phil	3	—	3	—	1
Ph.D.	1	2	3	—	2

Publications

Dr. C.L. Anand.

1. Anand, C.L. and Dave, P.N. Correlates of Achievements : A Trend report, Chapter 12, Second Survey of Research in Education (Ed. M.B. Buch) Society for Educational Research & Development, Baroda, 1979, pp. 331 - 339.
2. Anand, C.L., Teaching in Higher Education, Calicut University Bulletin, Calicut, vol. 10, No. 4. Oct. 1979 pp. 12-14.

Dr. Mathew George.

1. George, Mathew, "Self Concept of Secondary School Teachers and their Classroom Behaviour" Indian Psychological Review - A Quarterly Research Journal, Indian Psychological Society. 1980. Vol. 19, No. 1. pp. 28-32.

Dr P. K. Ganguli.

1. Ganguli. P. K. Programmed Learning Potential in India. The Educational Review, Madras, 1979 (This issue was published in 1980.)

2. Ganguli, P. K, Concept of Social intelligence. Quest in Education, Bombay, 1980.

Department of Education : (Aizawl).

After the establishment of the Campus at Aizawl, Mizoram in October 1979, applications were immediately called for the M. Ed. Course. Classes were started in the month of February 1980. The course mainly caters to the need of the teachers and Administrative staff who are working in the Education Department of the Union Territory.

In the first instance, the Department admitted 19 students to the first Semester. Out of the 19 students, 17 belonged to the Scheduled Tribes of Mizoram.

Break up of Students' intake :

Year	Male	Female	Total	of which	
				SC	ST
M. Ed. 1979-80	14	5	19	—	17

Department of Education : (Kohima)

The Department of Education (M. A. Edn) at Nagaland Campus was inaugurated by Mr. L.P. Singh, Governor of Nagaland on September 7, 1978. The first academic session (1978-80) of M.A. (Edn.) has been completed. Results of the three semesters have been declared. The dissertation work which was started late on account of shortage of teaching staff, is expected to be completed by the end of the coming semester. Results of the 1979-81 session have been declared. All students of the academic session (1978-80) have cleared their three courses.

The M. Phil and Ph. D. Programmes are proposed to be started in the coming academic years.

Break up students' intake :

Year	Male	Female	Total	of which SC	ST
M. A. I. 1979-80	5	10	15	—	13

Research Programmes :

In the Academic year 1979-80 two research projects on "Micro-teaching", "Integretion of Teaching Skills" were undertaken by the Department. Another project sponsored by the NCERT. Delhi was carried out at the PGT College, Jorhat and PGT College, Shillong.