

## GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL PRESIDENCY COLLEGE, MOTBUNG

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## Report on Observation of Commemorative days, events and festivals

The college organises birth and death anniversaries of great Indian national heroes and personalities as well as observe important days of national and state's importance. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> October, the Gandhi Jayanti day, the college observes cleanliness programmes with teachers and students involving in the drive for cleaning the campus and the surroundings in memory of the Father of the Nation on his birthday.

World Environment Day is celebrated every year in the college. NSS unit of the college takes major role for the celebration. Trees are planted in and around the college campus on this day. Cleanliness drive is also taken place.

Presidency College also observes international Yoga Day on 21<sup>st</sup> June every year. Teachers and students along with non-teaching staff perform Yoga asans in the college on this day. Observation of this day encourages the participants to regularly perform the Yoga asans for keeping healthy.

Every year the college observes Patriots Day on the 13<sup>th</sup> August in memory of the freedom fighters of Manipur who were hanged to death on this day by the British. The function consists of offering floral tributes to the departed heroes of Manipur and listening to the experts talking on the event of Manipur's fight against the mighty British.

On November 11 every year the college organises National Education Day to commemorate Maulana Abdul Kalam Azad who was born on this day and became the first Education Minister of free India. On this day seminars and symposia are organised with an aim to enhance education in interior areas of the state and reaching the unreached through ICT.

The College also observes Teachers Day every year on 5<sup>th</sup> September or on a suitable day in commemorate the birth day of Shri Dr. RadhaKrishnan, the former President of India. It's organised by the students of the college in a massive scale. Teachers are honoured with gifts and Cultural programmes are also performed on the day by the college students.



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Nupilal memorial day is observed every year on 12<sup>th</sup> December to commemorate the strong fights taken place by the Manipuri women against the British in 1949. Observation of the day could remind the sense of bravery of the Manipuri women to the new generation and also it will impart feelings of national ism to the people.

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas is observed on the 31<sup>st</sup> October every year and taking pledge for the national unity is a regular feature performed by the teachers and students. Independence Day is observed on the 15<sup>th</sup> August to commemorate this great occasion when India was freed from the clutches of the British colonial rule.

The College also takes part in celebrating Republic Day on the 26<sup>th</sup> January every year. Parades are held and cultural programmes are organised in the district and state levels. The college deputes a march-past contingent of students every year at the Republic Day celebration held at the district headquarters being organised by the district administration.

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