

OFFICE OF THE RETURNING OFFICER :: D.C.S.U. ELECTION 2024

Notice No. – 01

Date: 09/09/2024

Election to the Executive Committee of Darrang College Students' Union (DCSU) will be held on 23/09/2024 for the following Portfolios :

1. **President**
2. **Vice-President**
3. **General Secretary**
4. **Assistant General Secretary**
5. **Sectional Secretary for Literature**
6. **Sectional Secretary for Culture**
7. **Sectional Secretary for Debate & Discourse**
8. **Sectional Secretary for Arts & Crafts**
9. **Sectional Secretary for Gymnasium & Asanas**
10. **Sectional Secretary for General Sports**
11. **Sectional Secretary for Outdoor Games**
12. **Sectional Secretary for Indoor Games**
13. **Sectional Secretary for Boys' Common Room**
14. **Sectional Secretary for Girls' Common Room**
15. **Sectional Secretary for Social Service**

For the post of President, students from FYUGP 3rd or TDC 5th semester can contest. For the post of Vice-President, students from FYUGP 1st or 3rd semester can contest. The General Secretary and the Assistant General Secretary shall be elected from FYUGP 1st and 3rd Semester classes. The Sectional Secretary for Literature shall be elected from FYUGP 1st and 3rd Semester classes. Under articles 14 (b) of the Constitution of Darrang College Students' Union, female candidates are debarred from contesting for the post of Sectional Secretary for Boys' Common Room and male candidates are debarred from contesting for the post of the Sectional Secretary for Girls' Common Room.

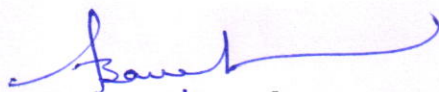
The entire election process will be completed within 10 working days, starting from 13.09.2024 (issue of nomination form) and ending up by 24.09.24 (declaration of counting result), as per the task schedule to be notified hereafter.

Under Article 14(a), (b) and (c) of the Constitution of Darrang College Students' Union –

1. Election to the Executive Committee of D.C.S.U. shall be by secret ballot by the regular students of the college.
2. Any student member of the Union, male or female, belonging to any faculty and section is eligible to contest and vote in the election subject to the provisions of the constitution.
3. **As per Lyngdoh Commission Report –**
 - (a) The Contesting candidates should not be less than **17 years** and exceed **22 years** of age on **01/09/2024**.
 - (b) Candidates should not have any academic arrears in the year of contesting the election (2024).
 - (c) The candidates should not have a previous criminal record, that is to say he should not have been tried and/ or convicted for any criminal offence or misdemeanor. The candidate shall also not have been subjected to any disciplinary action by the College / University Authorities.
 - (d) Students, intending to contest, are hereby informed that the candidate shall have one opportunity to contest election.
4. **A student member of the Union shall be disqualified for candidature in the Election if –**
 - a) He/she is a casual student.
 - b) He/she is a defaulter in the college.
 - c) He/she seeks election to the office of the president but does not belong to FYUGP 3rd or TDC 5th semester.
 - d) He/she seeks election to the office of the Vice-president but does not belong to FYUGP 1st or 3rd semester.
 - e) He/she seeks election to the office of the General Secretary and Assistant General Secretary but belongs to TDC 5th Semester and H.S. 1st and 2nd year classes.
 - f) He/she seeks election to the office of the Sectional Secretary for Literature but belongs to TDC 5th Semester and H.S. 1st and 2nd year classes.
 - g) Male student member contests for the office of the Secretary for Girls' Common Room and female student member contests for the office of the Sectional Secretary for Boys' Common Room.
 - h) He/she contests for two or more office simultaneously.
 - i) He/she fails to deposit security money at the time of submission of nomination papers.
 - j) He/she does not have 75% or more class attendance (*Excluding MDC, VAC & SEC*) as follows –

HS 1 st year :	02-08-24	to	07-09-24
HS 2 nd year :	01-08-24	to	07-09-24
FYUGP 1 st semester :	01-08-24	to	07-09-24
FYUGP 3 rd semester :	02-08-24	to	07-09-24
TDC 5 th semester :	02-08-24	to	07-09-24

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