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ACTIVITIES



New Year Celebration

GCCN team celebrated New Year 2025 on 1st January. It was a lovely program where everyone spontaneously joined. Managing Director of Healthcare Services along with the Principal of GCCN also participated in the celebration with a cake-cutting ceremony.

Presentation by 3Z Global Centre

The 3Z Global Centre hosted an engaging information session on January 7, 2025 at the Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing (GCCN). The event attracted 60-70 enthusiastic students eager to learn about the 3ZERO Club and its mission to address global challenges through collaboration and meaningful action. During the session, students were introduced to the 3ZERO Club's core objectives, emphasizing its role in fostering innovative ideas and creating a positive impact on society.



Faculty Development Training

A staff development program was held from 9th to 14th January, 2025 on Disaster Management. Experts from Adelphi university conducted the session which includes topics covering emergency response in disaster hit areas. Finally, the participants received certificates from the trainers.

Food Fair

The students from the BSc in Nursing (Post Basic) organized a food fair on 25th January, 2025 in the campus as a course requirement for the subject of Nutrition, Nutritional Assessment & Bio-Chemistry. The food fair provides practical implication of theoretical knowledge regarding nutritional values.



Sarawati Puja

Grameen Caledonian College of Nursing (GCCN) students and faculty members came together to beautifully arrange Sarawati Puja, seeking the blessings of Goddess Sarawati, the embodiment of wisdom, learning, and creativity. The vibrant decorations, devotional rituals, and heartfelt prayers made the celebration truly special.





Placement at NITOR

The students from BSc. in Nursing (2nd Year) had their clinical placement on 4th February, 2025 at NITOR Sher-e-Bangla Nagor, Dhaka-1207 for the duration of 2 weeks. The subject of their clinical placement was Orthopedic Nursing. The students under the guidance of experienced faculty members learned clinical practice in real life situation.

International Mother Language Day

GCCN Students and staffs observed International Mother Language Day on 21st February, 2025 at the college campus. The program began with the National Flag hoisting half-mast in the early morning. Then a rally with flowers, banners, and festoons participated by the college staffs and students was held around the campus. After that flower wreath was laid on to the Shaheed Minar as a respect for the sacrifice of Language Martyrs.



Annual Picnic

GCCN organized an annual picnic 2025 with its staff and students at Dhaka City Inn on 12th February, 2025 located in the riverbank of Dhaleshwari in Keranigonj. The day was full of fun and sports activities. In the afternoon a delicious lunch was provided before the raffle draw in which many attractive prizes were given.

Capping Ceremony

A Capping Ceremony was held for the students of First Year (Diploma in Nursing, Diploma in Midwifery & BSc in Nursing programs). It is a formal initiation of nursing education through oath taking and commitment to ethical nursing care. The honorable Chairman of Grameen Group accompanied by Managing Directors and invited guests graced the event. The ceremony was concluded with a spectacular cultural programs attended by everyone including staff and students.





Placement at Kurmitola Govt. General Hospital

The students of BSc in Nursing (4th Year) began a clinical placement in Midwifery on 1st of March, 2025 for 3 weeks. It was a course requirement by the curriculum for practical learning. The students experienced various maternal and child health related care under the supervision of staff nurses and faculty members.

Placement at Kuwait Bangladesh Friendship Hospital

The students of Diploma in Midwifery (1st Year, 2nd Year & 3rd Year) initiated a clinical practice in Midwifery at Kuwait Bangladesh Friendship Hospital on 1st March, 2025 for the duration of 3 weeks.



VISITS



Accreditation Team Visit

A team comprised of 5 members from DGNM & Pro-Nurse visited GCCN from 12th to 13th January, 2025 as a requirement for Accreditation Process. The team visited the campus, lab facilities and met with the teachers and other officials.

Visit by Springdale International School

GCCN received students and staff from Springdale International School for their field trip on 28th January, 2025. The Grade 3 students visited GCCN to inquire into human body system and how they work.





DU Inspection

An inspection team from the University of Dhaka visited GCCN on 1st March, 2025 for the extension of MSc in Nursing and BSc in Nursing programs to increase the seat capacity. Their visit was a significant step toward expanding opportunities for advanced nursing education. The team highly appreciated the college's operations, academic excellence, and commitment to quality education.

Visit of delegates

Three religious delegates from Christian faith visited GCCN on 7th March, 2025. The honorable delegates were led by Mr. Dominique Dauster, MD. YY Foundation. The visitors were highly impressed by the college activities, vision toward shaping the future of nursing in Bangladesh.



EXAMINATION



Midterm Examination

BSc Nursing & Diploma in Nursing Science & Midwifery & Diploma in Midwifery students appeared for Midterm examination from 6th February, 2025. This examination has helped the students assess their preparation for the final examination.

Final Examination of BSc in Nursing (Post Basic)

The BSc in Nursing (Post Basic) final examinations started on 2nd March, 2025. The University of Dhaka provided the rules and regulations for the exam. GCCN hosted the exam as a venue. Besides GCCN, the students from 2 more colleges (Daffodil Nursing College, HBH International Nursing College) participated in the exam.

