

## Central Library

**Location and floor area** Ronald Ross Building, 3rd Floor and 6th Floor – 2400 m<sup>2</sup> total

### Sections

- Postgraduate & Postdoctoral Reading Room
- Undergraduate Reading Room 1 and 2
- Teachers Reading Room
- Librarian Room
- Staff Room
- Computer Room
- E-Library
- Photocopy Room

**Working hours** 8:00 AM to 9:00 PM in 2 shifts

**No. of Books** 21,263  
(i) Text 15,850  
(ii) Reference 5,413

**No. of books purchased during the last 3 years**

2015-16	366
2014-15	151
2013-14	289

### No. of Journals subscribed annually

(i) Indian 79 (ii) Foreign 38

Free full text access to about 244 E-journals from 5 reputed publishers, through the ERMED consortium initiative of the National Library of Medicine (NLM), New Delhi, is available.

**Back issue volumes** Journals: (i) Indian 3000 (ii) Foreign 26000  
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### Staff

Librarian Mr. Partha Roy Chowdhury (Library In-charge) B.Sc. (Hons), B.Lib. (Sc.)  
Mr. Dhanapati Mondal M.A., B.L.I.S.  
Mr. Nirmal Saha B.Sc., B.Lib. (Sc.)

Library Assistants Mrs. Ranu Valmiki  
Mr. Santanu Das

Peons Mrs. Rupashree Mukherjee

Sweeper Mr. Liaquat Ali (Sweeper)

**System of Cataloging** Unit form of cataloging [AACR]

The Library caters to the needs of Faculty, Students and Research Scholars of this Institute and also to scholars of other Institutions. Internet facility available free of cost for the Library users within the reading room. Scanning facility is also available.

Central air-conditioning of the library (section on 4th floor of Ronald Ross Building) was completed this year. An unfortunate fire incident in the 6th floor of the Ronald Ross building has caused damage to old periodicals. The damaged section is being renovated.