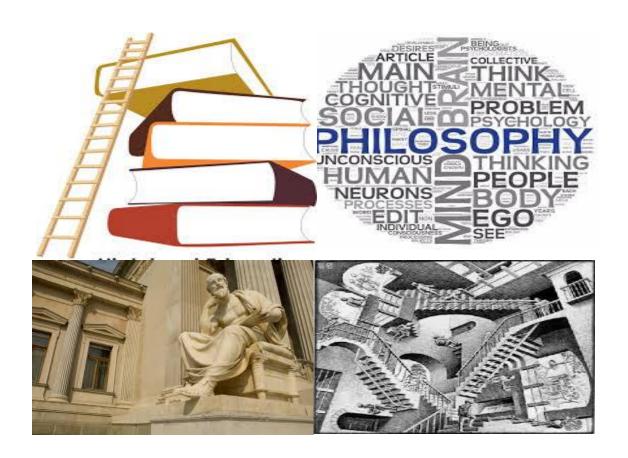
# Department of Philosophy Shri Murli Manohar Town P.G. College Ballia, U.P.

(Affiliated to Jananayak Chandrashekhar University, Ballia)

# 1. About

The department of Philosophy was established in the year 1960. Dr. LKL Srivastava, a brilliant scholar right from the beginning, did his doctoral work from BHU on Concept of Jeevanmukti. He is a renowned philosopher and astrologer. He has earned a number of recognitions and distinctions and awards throughout his life, both at national and international level. Dr. Srivastava has passed many other examinations, like Gita madhyam (BHU), Gita Uttama (BHU), Dharma (BHU) and availed various scholarships, like UP Govt Scholarship, Birla Merit Scholarship, national merit Scholarship, Advaita Vedanta Scholarship, JRF etc. There are a number of prizes and awards to his name. Dr Srivastava has also published 2 books and more than 30 research papers. Owing to his extraordinary merits, his UG department has been recognized as a Research center. Also, many honorary degrees, like Jyotish shiromani, Jyotish Samrtat, DASc, Jyotish Mahamahopadhyaya etc have been coffered upon him.



## 2. List of Faculties

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Specialisation and area of research Vedanta Philosophy

Research Papers- 02; Seminars/ Conferences- 05/01



#### 3. List of Ex-faculties:

1. Dr. Lalit Kishor Lal Srivastava

#### 4. Student Profile:

Students admitted in this department are from both rural and urban areas and from all sections of the society.

#### 5. Changes in Courses:

The syllabus of Philosophy has recently been revised in 2020.

#### 6. Success rate and drop-out rate:

The department has maintained a good success rate of students, almost 90%. The drop-out rate is almost negligible.

#### 7. Learning Resources of the department:

The department is equipped with following resources for our students-

**A. Library**: For UG students, there is a central library in the institution that has sufficient number of text books and reference books and many Encyclopedias etc. However, the faculty has a maintained his own departmental library with about 50 books and about six journals.

- **8. Modern teaching methods:** We practice classroom teaching
- **9.** Academic and personal Counseling: The faculty takes keen interest in providing academic and personal counseling to our students. We give counseling to our students according to their interests and inform them about their future avenues.
- **10. Faculty development programmes:** Dr Srivastava has attended many courses and refresher programmes.

## 11. Participation in academic activities:

**Teaching-** The faculty is regularly involved in teaching.

Other Academic Activities-

Our faculty member is routinely involved in other college activities, like proctorship, admission, examination, evaluation, etc.

## 12. Collaboration with other departments and institutions:

Dr Srivastava has worked with many philosophical and astrological societies.

# 13. Priority Areas of Research-Darshan and Astrology

**Publications-** Dr Srivastava has written three books and more than 30 research papers

14. Placement record of Students- We have a good placement record of students in different fields.

# 15. Plan of action of the department for the next five years:

The plan of action of the department in the coming years is to further improve the facilities for our student and to start PG course.