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To
The Principal
J. K. College, Purulia

Sub: Invitation to a Students' Seminar on 9 October 2018 at 1 p.m.

Respected Sir,

It is an honour and privilege to invite you and the students of your esteemed institution to participate in a seminar, '**Inculcation of Values through Modern Education**,' organized as part of the concluding phase of the Diamond Jubilee Celebration of Ramakrishna Mission Vidyapith, Purulia and the 125th Anniversary of Swami Vivekananda's Historic Chicago Addresses.

The seminar is scheduled to be held on 9 October, 2018 at Vidyapith Auditorium at 1.00 p.m. Swami Vedapurushanandaji Maharaj, Co-ordinator, Education Cell, Ramakrishna Mission, Belur Math, will grace the function as the Chief Guest and Dr. Sugata Marjit, Former Vice Chancellor, Calcutta University, will be present as the keynote speaker.

The event will begin with an **Inter-College Elocution Competition**, participated by the students from a group of selected institutions only. Every contestant will be given a period of six minutes to speak on the topic, '**Inculcation of Values through Modern Education**' in Bengali/Hindi/English. A panel of judges consisting of notable academicians will select the best speaker among them, who will be rewarded with the winner's prize toward the end of the event.

The contesting students may include the following points in their speech on the above-mentioned topic:

- Modern education and its objectives
- Is the modern education system thrusting today's youth into a blind race for wealth and materialistic life?
- Disorientated youth of the present age
- Need for redesigning the objectives of modern education in the light of Swami Vivekananda's ideas of education
- The place of values in the modern education system
- Man-making objective of Real Education

We would very much appreciate if you could send any one student from your college as a contestant in the competition. We would also request you to send a group of 100 students to participate as audience. They may be escorted by two teachers from your college.

Following the elocution competition, the distinguished guests will enlighten us with their views on the theme of the seminar. This will provide the students a unique opportunity to draw inspiration and novel ideas from their scholarly speeches.

We are looking forward to an enthusiastic and wholehearted participation from your college.

With loving regards and a humble prayer to Sri Sri Thakur, Sri Sri Sarada Devi & Swami Vivekananda for the well-being of the whole of mankind.

Yours in the service of the Lord,

Sw. Jnanalokananda

Secretary

- Note:**
- 1) Kindly ensure us your benign presence by 24 September, 2018 by mailing us at rkmvp.nivedita150@gmail.com
 - 2) All are requested to be present by 12.30 p.m. at Vidyapith Auditorium on 9 October, 2018.
 - 3) Presents as a token of love and refreshments will be provided to all the delegates.