

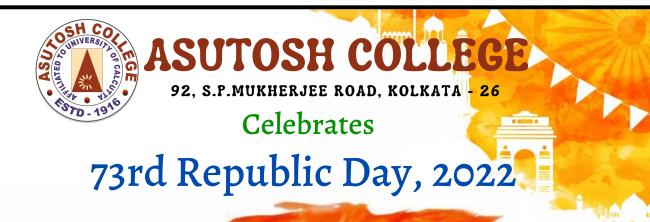
Republic Day commemorates the date of commencement of the Constitution of India on the 26th of January, 1950. With this commencement, independent India declared to the world her identity as a sovereign, socialist, democratic republic.

With the Indian Independence Act of 1947, the Dominion of India came under the legislative authority of the Constituent Assembly, and the responsibility of drafting the Constitution was given to a Drafting Committee on August 29, 1947. Under the chairmanship of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the Committee presented the Constitution of India which was adopted by the nation on the 26th of November, 1949, and came into force in its entirety on January 26, 1950. By the 42nd Amendment in 1976, the Indian Republic also became a secular state. The date January 26 was a deliberate choice. The Indian National Congress had announced its demand for *Purna Swaraj*, that is, complete freedom from the British, on that date in 1930.

On this landmark day, let us remind ourselves of the ideals etched in the Preamble. Let us also pledge that we, the people of India, will ensure, through our thoughts and deeds, **justice** - social, economic, political,- **liberty**- of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship-, **equality** of opportunity, and **fraternity** for all who call this **country** their home and motherland.

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> > -EVENT ORGANISING COMMITTEE



PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

► Welcome address: Dr. Keya Ghosh, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, President, Students' Union, Asutosh College.

- ▶ Inaugural Address: Prof. Apurba Ray, Vice Principal, Asutosh College
- ► Flag Unfurling ceremony to be streamed live from college campus: Group Activity performed by Students, Non-Teaching & Teaching Staff Members.
- ► Speaker: Dr. Manorama Chatterjee, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Asutosh College.

▶ Speech: Sri Uttaran Banerjee, General Secretary, Students' Union.

▶ Cultural Programme **"O AMAR DESHER MATI**" (ও আমার দেশের মাটি) performed by students of our college.

► Cultural Programme Anchor: Dr. Sayanti Kar, Department of Environmental Science.

► Muktiro Mandiro Sopanotale: Musical Tribute to our Freedom-fighters by students of Asutosh College

► Concluding programme: National Anthem performed by Students, Non-Teaching & Teaching Staff Members, to be streamed live from college campus.

Programme Host: Smt. Sritama Chaudhuri, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology.

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