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### **NOTICE**

Date: 03/08/2026

All the students of the Department of Political Science are hereby informed that a Special Lecture will be organized on the topic: **"Defection in Indian Politics: Trends, Challenges, and Democratic Implications"**

The lecture aims to provide an in-depth understanding of the phenomenon of political defection in India, its evolving trends, the challenges it poses to democratic stability, and its broader implications for governance and political ethics.

#### **Details of the Programme:**

**Resource Person: Dr. Manas Chakrabarty, M.A., Ph.D.**

*Former Professor and Head, UGC Emeritus Professor and Senior Fellow of ICSSR,*

*Department of Political Science, University of North Bengal, Darjeeling, West Bengal*

Date: **11<sup>th</sup> August, 2026(Tuesday)**

Time: **12 P.M onwards**

Venue: **Room No.-14**, Maynaguri College.

All students are hereby instructed to attend the programme and benefit from the lecture. Attendance is highly encouraged, and participants are expected to maintain discipline and actively engage in the discussion.

The cooperation of all concerned is highly appreciated.



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**SPECIAL LECTURE**

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