



Government College, Aharwala (Bilaspur)
Yamuna Nagar
(Affiliated to Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra)



under the banner of
Internal Quality Assurance Cell
of the College
Organizes
One-day Multidisciplinary DHE Sponsored
National Seminar
on the theme
“Sikh Guru Tradition : The Martyrdom of Hind Ki
Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur”
on
29th January, 2026

About the College

Government College, Aharwala (Bilaspur) was established in 2018 and is located in the foothills of Shivalik Mountain Ranges of Himalayas at Village Aharwala, Kapal Mochan in District Yamunanagar. The College campus spreads over 8.5 acres and is surrounded by lush green area, beautiful roads and the famous Guru Gobind Singh Martial Art Museum. It is located at holy place 'Kapal Mochan' near the Saraswati River which is an ancient place of pilgrimage. Kapal Mochan is also known as Gopal Mochan. It is about 17 Kms northeast of Jagadhri. Kapal Mochan is mentioned in Puranas as Somsar Teerath. Its importance is evident from the fact that its name appears at numerous places in Mahabharata and Purans. Kapal Mochan has been mentioned in all the three mythology worlds and is believed to be the destroyer of all sins. The devotees get rid of sins by taking a dip in the sacred Sarovars. This place was also visited by Guru Gobind Singh after the battle of Bhangani on his way to Paonta Sahib. Guru Ji stayed and worshipped here for 52 days. His soldiers cleaned their weapons and tested them to meet future challenges. He gave a copper plate having his signature as memento to the chief priest of Kapal Mochan. Dropadi and five Pandavas also visited this holy place. The area is full of Archaeological and Historical sites e.g., Adibadri, Lohgarh, Bilaspur, Sandhai, Sadhaura, Chhachhrauli, Chanetti etc. The college is imparting higher education in the fields of arts, commerce & sciences and is running various courses viz. Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Commerce (Computer Applications Vocational), Bachelor of Science (Physical Sciences), Bachelor of Science (Life Sciences), Bachelor of Computer Applications and Master of Commerce.

About the Department of Higher Education, Haryana

Department of Higher Education, Haryana imparts and controls the higher education in the state of Haryana. Besides providing the healthy environment for education, it also focuses on teaching-learning and mentorship to research scholars in order to establish and sustain a culture of research. It is striving to enhance the quality of higher education by providing facilities to the Institutions to acquire highest level accreditation. It governs 10 State Universities, 25 Private Universities, 04 other Universities, 186 Government Colleges, 96 Aided Colleges, 94 Private Colleges, 475 Self Financing B.Ed. Colleges, 20 State/District Libraries, 06 Sub-divisional Libraries and 22 NCC Units/Btn.

About the Seminar

Rishis, Munis, Saints and Gurus played a vital role towards nation building and for cultural, social, political and economic growth of Bharatvarsha. In present times, it is important for us to understand the roles of Gurus, specially the Sikh Gurus, and sacrifices they made for 'Dharma'. Among these the ninth Guru of Sikhs, Sri Teg Bahadur Ji, is respected as the 'Protector Shield' of India and humanity for his supreme sacrifice in protecting religious freedom and human rights. In a world where intolerance and persecution still exist, Guru Teg Bahadur Ji's sacrifice stands as a powerful example of defending the right to freedom of belief and worship. His life teaches the importance of standing up for justice and human rights, inspiring individuals to act with courage and selflessness in the face of oppression. Sri Guru Teg Bahadur's commitment to righteousness offers lessons in ethical leadership and integrity relevant to contemporary social, political, and personal challenges. The significance of this seminar is to explore and disseminate the teachings and life philosophy of Shri Guru Teg Bahadur, focusing on his message of human values and sacrifice for the Dharma. The Theme of the Seminar "Sikh Guru Tradition: The Martyrdom of Hind Ki Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur" will try to highlight the values of tolerance and respect for diverse faiths, which are crucial for peaceful coexistence in today's societies. It will also help the younger generation to understand their rich cultural and religious heritage, fostering pride and identity while promoting universal values of humanity. The seminar will surely provide a platform to bring together scholars and academicians and will also give them an opportunity to discuss the relevance of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur's philosophy in contemporary times and to instill his teachings in the present young generation.

Objectives of Seminar

The objectives of the seminar "Sikh Guru Tradition: The Martyrdom of Hind Ki Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur" could be articulated as follows:

- To provide a comprehensive understanding of the life, teachings, and spiritual legacy of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji.
- To highlight the historical context and significance of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji's sacrifice for the protection of religious freedom.
- To explore the values of courage, selflessness, and commitment demonstrated by Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji in standing up against tyranny and oppression of Mughals.
- To inspire attendees to imbibe the principles of tolerance, sacrifice, and human rights championed by Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji.
- To foster awareness about the importance of religious harmony and coexistence in a diverse society.
- To encourage academic discussions and research on the contributions of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji to Sikhism and Indian history.
- To inculcate moral and social values among youth by taking examples from the life of Sikh Gurus.

Important Dates

Last date for receipt of full length papers	:	20th January, 2026
Last Date for Acceptance	:	24th January, 2026
Date of National Seminar	:	29th January, 2026

Theme of the Seminar

Sikh Guru Tradition: The Martyrdom of Hind Ki Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur

The motive behind organizing the seminar on "Sikh Guru Tradition: The Martyrdom of Hind Ki Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur" is to create awareness among the general masses specially students about the Sikh Guru Traditions, Teachings and the Martyrdom of Hind Ki Chadar Sri Guru Teg Bahadur ji and to provide a common platform to academicians, experts, eminent scholars and the students to exchange their ideas, knowledge and research experiences on the following sub themes:

Sub-Themes

- Sikh Guru Tradition
- Brief Overview of The Sikh Gurus and Their Teachings
- The Role of Sikh Gurus in Spiritual and Social Reform
- Meeri-Peer
- The Martyrdom of Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji
- Life of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur and His Spiritual Journey
- Contributions of Sikh Dharma to Society
- Religious Persecution under Mughal Rule and the Plight of Kashmiri Hindus
- Sri Guru Teg Bahadur's Stand for Religious Freedom
- The Martyrdom of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur : Events and Significance
- Arrest and Trial of Guru Teg Bahadur
- Makhan Shah Labana
- Khushal Singh Dahiya
- Legacy of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur
- Influence of Sikh Gurus on Indian Freedom and Human Rights Movements
- The Title "Hind Ki Chadar" and Its Symbolism
- Contemporary Relevance of the Martyrdom of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur
- Sri Guru Teg Bahadur's Message in Today's Context
- Lakhi Shah Banjara
- Panj Pyare
- Organisation of Khalsa
- Char Sahibjade
- Banda Singh Bahadur
- Social Media and Teaching of Sikh Gurus
- Ethical Economics in Sikhism: Teachings of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur.
- Role of Guru Teg Bahadur Ji in Protecting Socio-Economic Rights.
- Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) through Sikh Values.
- Honest Labour (Kirat Karni) and Its Relevance to Modern Commerce.
- Ethics in Commerce: Insights of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur's Life.
- Business Ethics: Lessons from Sri Guru Teg Bahadur
- Any other Sub-Theme related to the main Theme

Registration Details

- Seminar shall be held in offline mode.
- Acceptance of paper shall be subject to the blind peer review.
- Registration is mandatory for participation.
- Registration fee will be collected on the spot in cash and will be Non-Refundable.
- Certificate will be issued to duly registered participants only.
- Registration fee shall be as follows:-
 - **Rs. 200/- (Academicians/ Professionals)**
 - **Rs. 100/- (Students/ Research Scholars)**

Guidelines for the Author(s)

Original and unpublished research papers based on given sub-themes or any other topics related to the theme are invited as per following guidelines and the accepted papers will be presented in the seminar by the author(s).

- The abstract should not exceed 200 words including title (with complete details of the authors/presenter)
- Full length papers should be between 1500 - 2500 words.
- Full length paper must be typed in Times New Roman (for English), Mangal (for Hindi), and Gurmukhi (for Punjabi) in 12 font size with 1.5 line spacing, heading bold, on A4 size paper, including name, official address and email of author/authors.
- It shall be the sole responsibility of authors to submit the plagiarism free abstract/paper.
- High grade scholarly papers will be published in a book with ISBN, hopefully in the coming months.
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