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From— The Principal / Secretary,

Report of the Seminar

The Department of Chemistry, Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya, Bhupatinagar, Purba Medinipur, in association with the Indian Photobiology Society (IPS), Kolkata, organized a One-Day State Level Seminar on “*Molecules to Materials: A Green Chemistry Approach for a Cleaner Environment*” on 12.09.2025 at the S. N. Bose Seminar Hall. The seminar aimed to exchange scientific ideas and promote a vision where research and sustainability go hand in hand. The central theme focused on how simple molecules, through research and innovation, can be transformed into advanced materials guided by green chemistry principles—reducing pollution, conserving resources, and ensuring a healthier planet.

The event was inaugurated by Dr. Swapan Kumar Misra, Principal, with a tribute to Acharya P. C. Ray. Eminent speakers included Prof. Chittaranjan Sinha (Jadavpur University), Prof. Jhuma Ganguly (IIST Shibpur), and Dr. Gourisankar Roy Mahapatra (HIT Haldia), who delivered talks on sensing probes for public health, functional microgels for greener technology, and computational chemistry. About 118 students were present in the seminar.

The insightful lectures and interactions inspired young researchers and encouraged future collaborations. Three research scholars received the *IPS Research Excellence Award* for outstanding paper presentations. The seminar marked a meaningful step toward fostering a scientific community committed to both innovation and environmental responsibility.

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