

## SEMINAR REPORT

Department of English  
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### A Report on seminar held on 02/11/2023

In course of academic pursuit, the Department of English has organised a seminar on 2nd Nov 2023 in the smart class room of this college on a course related topics "**The Role Of Criticism In English Literature**". Prof Dr. Jachindra Kumar Rout retired Reader in English of B.B Autonomous College, Chandikhol, an eminent Poet, short story writer, Essayist, Critic, Translator, Grammarian, and a Columnist graced the seminar as the resource person who has penned over 12 poetry collections, 3 essay collection, a travelogue and numerous translations to his credit and his collections have been published both in English and Odia. Prof. Pabitra Mohan Mahala, Principal of this college graced the meeting as chief guest.

Prof Dr. Ambika Tripathy H.O.D of English department presided over the seminar. Prof. Gitanjali Mohanty faculty member, read out the key notes of the topic and Prof. Girish Kumar Roul conveyed vote of thanks to the guest.

First the guests were invited to the dais and offered bouquets and batches by the Hon's students. Then the seminar was inaugurated with lighting of the candles followed by devotional songs by the students.

Dr. Ambika Tripathy H.O.D of the Department of English welcomed and introduced the guest by citing their academic career and creative skills. Prof. Gitanjali mohanty, Faculty member gave an introductory speech on the topic. In her key note analysis she focussed on the basic means of Criticism, made a description about the types of Criticism and the process of evaluating a work of art. Miss Priyanka Priyadarshini Nayak +3 Final year Hon's student presented her paper on the topic "The Role Of Criticism In English Literature".

Prof. Pabitra Mohan Mahala Principal cum H.O.D of the Department of Economics highlighted the importance of Criticism on English Literature and how it helps ones creativity and improves the judging capacity of the students. Prof. Jachindra Kumar Rout the resource person encouraged the students to be Critic and elaborately analyzed the different kinds, principles and purposes of Criticism in English literature. He also encouraged students to develop their critical thinking which will help them in research field. Citing different examples from 14th century to till date he clearly explained the use of Criticism in literature.

Then the seminar continued with responses from the students and some lively discussions. Then it was followed by refreshment. At the end Prof. Girish Kumar Roul, another faculty member gave the vote of thanks. The literary session ended at about 2 P.M by giving vote of thanks to the chair.

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