

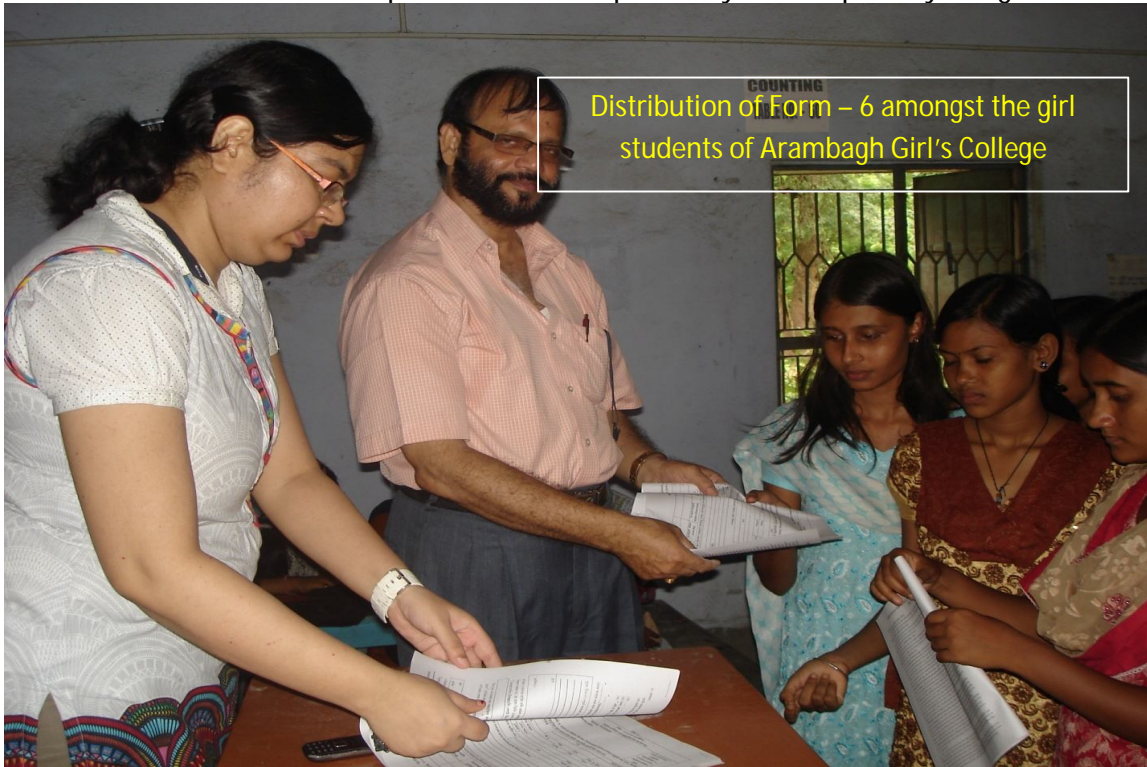
SVEEP UNDER Arambagh Sub-Division

As per the policy and instruction from the Election Commission of India , a strong emphasis has been laid on SVEEP this time under Arambagh Sub-Division.

Drawing competitions have been held in all the six Blocks as well as in Arambagh Municipality on 05.09.2013.

To ensure an overall participation of people from all sections human chains have been formed by the members of Self Help Groups in different Polling Stations in the six Blocks under this Sub-Division.

Few innovations have been adopted with focus upon the youth, especially the girls.



Ms. Anindita Bhowmick, WBCS(Exe), 201-ERO Goghat (SC) A.C. took a special drive in the Arambagh Girls' College by helping out the potential electors to fill up the form 6.

Out of a sample of approx. 100 , the 1st year students, we found 26 to be attaining 18 years by 1st Jan 2014 and 12 have already attained 28 yrs., yet not registered as an elector.

The SDM Arambagh and ERO 200 Arambagh A.C. took up spot hearing and disposed as many applications in Form 6 , as possible. For applications in Form 8A, the collected forms have been taken to the SDM Office for checking of serial no. in the concerned parts and being disposed by the ERO concerned and then only sent to BDO and



AERO for causing entry in Form 9 by the concerned D.O.

A drive has been initiated in the Sub-Division for inclusion of a maximum number of women within the above mentioned age group for minimizing the gender gap as far as possible.

Quiz competitions have been held at the Polling Station level as well as at the Block Level for generating awareness amongst



the general public as to " My vote my right - my vote my might "

An all round effort has also been launched to create a general awareness amongst the common public regarding the importance of exercising voting rights as well as universal franchise.