

NewLifeBibleCollege

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Dobam, Papum Pare Arunachal Pradesh

Prospectus

203-2024



From the Principal's Desk

Welcome to NLBC!

I am very happy to know that you are interested to pursue your theological studies in New Life Bible College, Dobam, Papum Pare, Arunachal Pradesh. The NLBC strives to impart sound theological knowledge to its students, for which we seek to maintain a high academic standard. On the other hand, to sharpen the gifts and abilities of students we offer ample opportunities in practical training. Alongside all these important aspects, the spiritual attribute is also taken very seriously. Our vision is to produce quality men and women of God who will reflect the image of Christ both in words and deeds. We have well trained, dedicated, and dynamic faculty who give their best to help our students to attain what we aim for. We believe that you will not regret about your choice to study in this college. We joyfully welcome you to NLBC.

May God bless you

Rev. Dr. Ayang Sor Principal

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THE GOVERNING BODY

The New Life Bible College, which is situated at Dobam village, Papum Pare, Arunachal Pradesh is owned by Arunachal Arunachal Pradesh Christian Revival Church Council.

Board of Management:

Chairman- Rev. Dr. Nyakdo Tassar Member Secretary- Mr. Tuli Basar Members- 15 Nos

Development Committee:

Chairman- Mr. Tarh Kama Secretary- Pastor Nabam Maha Members-12 Nos

THE FACULTY

Rev. Dr. Ayang Sor Principal

B. Th., M.A., M. Miss., D. Div. (Honorary)

Tatung Solung Academic Dean

B. Th., M. Div., D. Min. (Candidate)

Ranbir Rai Dean of Practical Ministry

B.A., M.A., B. Th., M.Div.

Bijoy Tamang Accountant cum Chaplain

B. Com., M. Div.

Ransham Mossang Dean of the Students (men)

B. Th., M. Div., M. Th. (Christian Theology)

Elizabeth Koyu Dean of the Students (women)

B. Th., M.Div.

Lahu Melo

B. Th., M. Div., M. Th. (New Testament)

Tame Jamu (on study leave)

B.A., B. Th., M. Div. (pursuing M. Th. Old Testament in SAIACS)

Khoda Tari

B. Th. Dip. in Children Ministry

Tesong Bayang Librarian

B. A., M.Lib.

BRIEF INTRODUCTION AND HISTORY

The existing Bible College (NLBC) at Dobam village, Arunachal Pradesh, was established back in the year 2004 as New Life Bible Training Institute with the intention to educate the local Christian workers theologically, under the ambit of Arunachal Christian Revival Church Council. The then President of NEIRCRCC, Rev. Dr. Shiwoto Sumi dedicated the college in December 2003. The institution commenced its first academic session on 15 February 2004. It humbly started with fifteen students and few faculty headed by Rev. Tinu Yangba Imchen, and it offered only C. Th. and Dip. Th. Despite numerous challenges, Rev. Tinu Yangba Imchen and his wife unwearyingly carried NLBTI ministry since its inception to till 2017.

The need for effective and relevant ministry led NLBTI to offer B. Th. Hence, it has been upgraded to a full-fledged theological college since 2016. Now the College is popularly known as New Life Bible College, and it runs proficiently as Bible College.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of NLBC is to train and equip the men and women of God to be effective and efficient in responding "The Great Commission" in obedience to the Lordship of Jesus Christ.

VISION

We believe that with the help of Almighty God we will produce Godfearing men and women who will impact the people around them by the power of God's word.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe in

- The divine inspiration, authencity and final authority of the sixty-six books of the Bible as the word of God, the only rule of faith and practice for Christian believers.
- One personal God, eternally existent in three persons;
 Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- The deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, His humanity, His virgin birth, His sinless life, His atoning death, His bodily resurrection on the third day, His ascension, His priestly intercession, His personal return in power and glory to finally judge the living and the dead, and to consummate His kingdom.
- The Holy Spirit, His work of regeneration, sanctification, and indwelling in the life of the believers, enabling them to live a holy life, to teach and to witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ to all nations.
- The Creation of man in the image of God, his willful fall into sin, standing in need of regeneration, justification and salvation by grace through faith in Christ and the bodily resurrection of all human beings either to eternal life or to eternal condemnation.
- The spiritual unity of all believers in Christ Jesus, our Lord forming the church, the Body of Christ, visibly expressed in worship and service.

LOCATION

The NLBC is situated at Dobam Village, under Banderdewa circle, Papum pare, Arunachal Pradesh. The distance is about 1.5 km west of Banderdewa Police checkpoint, and 29 km east of the capital city, Itanagar.

CREDENTIALS

- NLBC runs under the aegis of APCRCC (Arunachal Pradesh Christian Revival Church Council).
- NLBC is recognized by ACF (Arunachal Christian Forum).
- NLBC Is accredited to IATA (International Association for Theological Accreditation).

COURSES OFFERED

Courses	Duration	Eligibility
Dip. Th. (Diploma in Theology)	2 Years	10th Passed
B. Th. (Bachelor of Theology)	3 Years	12th Passed

CURRICULUM

DIPLOMA IN THEOLOGY (Dip. Th.)

Department of Biblical Studies

- Introduction to OT
- Introduction to NT
- Life of Christ
- Life and Teachings of Paul
- Introduction to Biblical Interpretation

Department of Theology

- Introduction to Christian Theology
- Basic Bible Doctrines

Department of Missiology

- The Role of the Church in Mission
- Introduction to Christian Mission

Department of Christian Ministry

- Introduction to Christian ministry
- Introduction to Christian Leadership

Department of Christian History

• Introduction to Church history

Department of Religion

 Introduction to Major Religions

General Studies

- Basic English
- Methodology

Elective Subjects

- History of Israel
- Major Prophets
- Minor Prophets
- Missionary Biography
- Discipleship
- Christian Etiquette
- Deeper Life Ministry
- Theology of Worship
- Introduction to Christian Counselling
- Gifts and Fruit of the Holy Spirit
- Bible Geography
- Bible Character
- The History of CRC
 with special emphasis
 to APCRCC
- Basic Computer
- Church Music
- Introduction to the Theology of Worship

Bachelor of Theology (B. Th.)

Department of Biblical studies

- OT Survey
- NT Survey
- Preliminary Greek
- Synoptic Gospels
- Pauline writings
- Hermeneutics
- Preliminary Hebrew

Department of Theology

- Systematic Theology I
- Systematic Theology II
- Christian Ethics
- Dispensations
- Contextual Theology

Department of Missiology

- Introduction to Mission and Evangelism
- Cultural Anthropology
- Cross-Cultural Communication

Department of Christian History

- General History of Christianity
- History of Christianity in India
- History of the Pentecostal Movement

Department of Christian Ministry

- Homiletics
- Church Administration and Management
- Pastoral Care and Counselling
- Christian Education
- Biblical Leadership
- Crisis Intervention

Department of Religion

- Survey on world Religions
- Modern Religious and Secular movements in India

General Studies

- English
- Study Methodology
- Christian Spirituality
- Basic Computer

Elective Subjects

- Theology of Worship
- Johanine Literature
- Wisdom literature
- Biblical Counseling
- Apocalyptic Literature
- Children Ministry
- Youth Ministry
- Book of Acts
- Apologetics
- Contemporary Issues in Mission
- Introduction to Tribal
 Theology
- Christian Communication
- Cult and Occult
- Church Music
- Role of Women in Ministry
- Catholicism
- Deeper Life Ministry
- Theology of Mission
- Romans and Galatians
- Basic Computer

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

- Academic Year: It begins in June and ends in March; it includes two semesters and both summer and winter breaks.
- Medium of Instruction: The medium of instruction will be in English; therefore every student is expected to communicate in it.
- Application Process: Applicants should collect prospectus from the Academic office at NLBC and fulfill all the requirements mentioned in it at the stipulated time.
- Admission Date: 28th May, 2022.
- Entrance Test: All applicants must clear the entrance test to get admission in NLBC; it will be conducted during the time of admission.

REQUIRMENTS FOR APPLICATION

1.Diploma in Theology

- Must be a baptized member with good testimony in his/her Church.
- Must be clear about his/her divine call.
- Must be in good physical health.
- Must have completed his/her 10th class or equivalent.
- Must clear the entrance test.
- Must be above 18 years of age.

2. Bachelor of Theology

- Must be a baptized member with good testimony in his/her Church.
- Must be clear about his/her divine call.
- Must be in good physical health.
- Must have completed his/her 12th class or equivalent.
- Must clear the entrance test.
- Must be above 18 years of age.

Note- All the forms must be filled completely and properly. In case of any discrepancy in the required documents, applicants will be rejected.

STUDENT LIFE

Spiritual life: The spiritual growth of students is one of the top priorities of the college. The College conducts prayer and fasting programs at the end of every month; on weekdays, students and faculty meet for chapel twice a day. Besides, the college seeks to conduct seminars, spiritual awakening programs, retreats etc. Hostel: The NLBC has hostel facility; it can accommodate all the enrolled students suitably. Therefore, every student is expected to reside in the hostel, except for a few exceptional day scholars. Currently, we do not have separate accommodation for married students.

Note: Day scholar option is only for those who are engaged in active ministry and if they can prove that they can meet all the academic requirements. And he/she will be required to submit a ministry report to the dean of Practical Ministry monthly

Practical Training: Alongside the academic standard, the college seriously concerns for the practical training of students. The college has a Practical ministry department who handles affairs pertaining to the practical training of students. Students get ample opportunities to be involved in practical ministry, such as evangelism and church visitation, where they preach, teach, sing and use their spiritual gifts. We also send our students for internship to different places far and near, where they experience and learn about Christian ministry practically.

Library: One new library building construction has been completed recently. It has enough space to study, which can accommodate around 200 students at a time.

Presently, there are more than 3,000 volumes of Books.

Thousands of books related to the curriculum are likely to be added shortly.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The essence of this college is to impart sound biblical knowledge to its students; therefore the college has done its best to minimize the expenses and make it affordable. Therefore, every student is expected to fulfill all the financial requirements of the college

SCHEDULE OF STUDENT FEES

	Dip. Th. 1	Dip. Th. 2 and B. Th. 1	B. Th. 2	B. Th. 3
1. Enrolment	2600	2600	2100	1600
2. Tuition	14000	14000	15000	16000
3. Id Card	200	200	200	200
4. Examination	300	300	300	300
5. Library	1500	1500	1500	1500
6. Games and Sport	300	300	300	300
7. Students' welfare	400	400	400	400
8. Seminars	300	300	300	300
9. Practical	500	500	500	500
10. Computer	200	200	200	200
11. Development	500	500	500	500
12. Affiliations	100	100	100	100
13. Electricity and Wate	r 600	600	600	600
14. Accommodation	5000	5000	5000	5000
15. Mess	18500	18500	18500	18500
16. Total	45,000	45,000	45,500	46,000

The yearly fee can be paid in 2 installments, at the beginning of each semester

Note: Graduation fee, Rs. 1000 (only for Graduating Students)

NLBC'S CALENDAR (2023-2024)

·Admission 29th March 2023

•Arrival Day 2nd June2023

.Spiritual awakening 3th-4th June 2023

Orientation 5th June 2023

•Beginning of classes 6th June 2023

·Fresher's meet 16th June 2023

• First-semester final examination 16th- 20th Oct. 2023

·Sports week 25th- 27th Oct. 2023

· Second-semester classes begin 30th Oct. 2023

·Pre-Christmas 8th Dec. 2023

·Winter Break 9th Dec. 2022 to 9th Jan. 20234

·Second semester final examination 21st- 26th March 2024

•Graduation service 29th March 2024

Fun time



Cell group fellowship



Sports





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