Babu Banarasi Das University, Lucknow

Mental Health and Well-being Centre (MHWBC)

WELL-BEING ACTIVITY CALENDAR (Academic Year 2025–2026)

"Nurturing minds, fostering resilience, and building a healthier campus community."

JULY/AUGUST - Welcome & Orientation Month

Theme: A Fresh Start to a New Academic Year

- Student orientation sessions on mental health and campus support.
- Workshop: "Adjusting to University Life with Confidence."
- Peer Well-being Ambassador training (Batch 1).
- Launch of monthly wellness newsletter.

AUGUST – Building Connections & Positive Relationships

Theme: Friendship, Inclusion, and Belonging

- Event: "Buddy up Week" promoting peer bonding activities.
- Group activity: "Team Spirit Games for Emotional Connection."
- Awareness poster display: "Empathy Makes Us Stronger."

SEPTEMBER – Stress and Time Management

Theme: Balance before Burnout

- Workshop: "Beating Academic Stress: Practical Tools for Students."
- Yoga and relaxation sessions every Friday.
- Counselling Open House: "Meet Your Counsellor" interactive session.

OCTOBER – Mental Health Awareness Month

Theme: *Mental Health for All*

- Observation of World Mental Health Day (October 10).
- Mental Health Week celebration with panel talks, film screening, and poster exhibitions.
- Guest lecture by psychologist on "Breaking the Stigma."
- Launch of student wellness pledge.

NOVEMBER – Emotional Intelligence & Mindfulness

Theme: Pause. Reflect. Respond.

- Workshop: "Mindfulness and Focus Enhancement."
- Guided meditation and breathing sessions.
- Faculty sensitization program on recognizing student stress.

DECEMBER – Gratitude & Self-Reflection

Theme: Finding Joy in Simplicity

- Activity: "Gratitude Tree" students post thank-you notes on campus boards.
- Wellness talk: "Ending the Year with Positivity."
- Reflective journaling activity and wellbeing survey.

JANUARY - New Beginnings & Goal Setting

Theme: Start the Year, Stress-Free!

- Workshop: "Goal Setting and Motivation for Success."
- Resume mindfulness sessions after vacation.
- Mental Health Bulletin launch for the semester.

FEBRUARY - Self-Love & Emotional Resilience

Theme: Love Yourself First

- Activity: "Self-Compassion Wall" Messages of Self-Acceptance.
- Talk: "Emotional Strength in Relationships."
- Student panel: Sharing stories of coping and growth.

MARCH - Women's Well-being & Empowerment

Theme: Celebrating Strength and Balance

- Observance of *International Women's Day (March 8)*.
- Workshop: "Women's Mental Health and Work-Life Balance."
- Well-being circle discussion for female students and staff.

APRIL – Exam Readiness & Anxiety Management

Theme: Study Smart, Stay Calm

- Exam stress management sessions.
- Guided meditation: "Mindful Study Breaks."
- "De-Stress Zone" set up near library with quiet relaxation area.

MAY - Resilience and Reflective Growth

Theme: Learning from Challenges

- Online talk: "How to Bounce Back after Failure."
- Peer Ambassador Meet and Review of Year's Activities.

• Preparation of annual wellness report.

JUNE – Summer Wellness & Digital Detox

Theme: Disconnect to Reconnect

- Online campaign: "Digital Detox Challenge."
- Summer self-care guide shared via email and website.
- Staff mental wellness webinar.

Additional Ongoing Initiatives

- Weekly open counselling hours (Mon–Fri).
- 24×7 helpline and counselling support.
- Peer Well-being Ambassador Mentorship circles.

Contact

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Timings: Monday – Friday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

"A healthy mind builds a strong future. Let's make BBD University a stress-free, supportive, and resilient campus."