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An appeal to the Learned Users of Library Department, NSOU

Dear Users,

At Library Department, NSOU, in view of the pandemic outburst of Corona virus attack, the health and safety of learners, faculty members and other users has now become a top priority. In this circumstances, the lending and reading facilities of the library services at the Kalyani R.C. will remain suspended till 15/04/2020. However, a host of our online services e.g. access to e-resources and related services and activities as described below will be available:

- Perpetual access of e-books of various vendors such as Cambridge University Press, Sage Publications, EBSCO, World e-Book Library. List of e-books are displayed in the website.
- Various e journals of Sage Publications etc. The list of these journal titles are uploaded in the website.
- JSTOR e-aggregator which provides access to 12,000,000 (12 million) academic journal articles of 150 journal titles, 6000 e-books etc. on 75 disciplines.
- Library got access to Web Dewey recently. Latest concepts can be classified with the help of this service.
- Library is a member of DELNET. It is a network which provides resource sharing facilities such as inter library loan. They browse articles of journals and send photocopies if requested. DELNET also provides access to certain e books and e-journals.



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- At present processed meta data are incorporated in the database which is in KOHA (version 19.05.06 released on December 2019) software.
 - Recently KOHA database is hosted to cloud by L2C2 technologies. Learners can browse the meta data (library catalogue) from any point time 24x7days and from any location.
 - Online catalogue (OPAC) is available in NSOU website (www.wbnsou.ac.in) under the heading **Library Services** . Above seven (7000) thousand books are incorporated in KOHA.
 - Apart from that e-mail and telephonic services are available in the office hours.

Thank you,

Yours faithfully,

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