

The department organized a lecture by Dr. Parjonyo Sen of Deshbandhu College for Girls on **20.12.2022**. The talk was entitled **“The Himalayas and Herge: The Visual Rendering of Tibet”**. Dr. Sen focused on the genre of graphic literature and the conventions of the comic book and its visual paradigms before going on to discuss *Tintin in Tibet* as a singular text in the Tintin series by Herge. The talk was accompanied by a powerpoint presentation which featured valuable pictures from archives and travelogues to further emphasize the geography of Tibet and its unique cultural ethos including the Tibetan belief in the mythical snowman or the yeti which forms a crucial component of the text. The talk was enlivened by a vibrant interactive session.

Number of participants in the programme: 50.