## Report on Educational Field Visit, 14<sup>th</sup> November 2022, Department of Zoology, Kamrup College, Chamata (KCC)

The Department of Zoology, Kamrup College, Chamata, organized a one-day field visit to Manas National Park (MNP) on 14th November 2022, as part of the course curriculum for B.Sc. 1st semester (Honours). A total of 17 students and four faculties (Teachers in charge), and one non-teaching staff were involved in the group. We started our trip at around 7 AM on that particular day from the College entrance. We visited the Field Director Office of MNP, Simlaguri, Barpeta, where three experts from MNP, namely, Mr. Jyotishman Deka (Field Biologist), Mr. Udipta Deka (Assistant Field Biologist) and Ms. Papari Kachari (FR-I, Security incharge), provided a series of talks related to the MNP's history, various sampling techniques used, conservation works done at MNP and others. Our students interacted with them through detailed questions & answer sessions. The interaction ended at around 11.30 AM, after which we moved to MNP. We took jeep safaris from the Bansbari range of MNP to visit and experience the forests and wildlife. Inside the MNP, students have observed forest types, and various animal and plant species. We returned from the MNP with some amazing experiences. In addition, students have to submit a report to the department summarising their journey and experiences at MNP.



Three experts of MNP, faculty members in-charge and the students of 1st semester at the Field Director Office, MNP.



Mr. Nipu Kumar Das, Dept of Zoology, KCC during the introductory speech. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman



Students during the introductory session at Conference Room, Field Director Office, MNP, Simlaguri, Barpeta. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman



Mr. Jyotishman Deka, Field Biologist during his lecture about the MNP's background and history. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman



Mr. Udipta Deka, Assistant Field Biologist, MNP, during his talk on different sampling techniques used at MNP. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman



Ms. Papari Kachari, FR-I, Security in-charge, MNP, during her talk on different conservation works at MNP. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman



Faculties and students (B.Sc. 1st semester -Honours, 2022) of the Department of Zoology, KCC. Photo Credit: Dr. Pintu Barman

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