

P.O. SIMALUGURI, PIN: 785 686, DIST. SIVASAGAR (ASSAM)

#### **Report on Botanical Excursion**

Place of visit: Sunderban National Park and Kolkata

Date of Visit: 2<sup>nd</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2023

Total No. of Students visited: 21

Course: BC409P

#### Rationality of the Programme:

• Excursion helps to fly in nature, accumulate practical knowledge and strong theoritical knowledge.

• It also gives the students classroom supplement, informal learning environment, break from the routine, creates an interest in subjective professions, real-world experience, connection to community, etc.

#### Brief Report:

As a part of syllabus, a botanical excursion trip to Sunderban National Park and Kolkata was organized by the department for B.Sc. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students. Two faculties Dr. Dimbeshwar Das and Miss Sandeepa Agarwalla accompanied the students in the excursion.

The journey started from Simaluguri Railway Junction. Everything was planned beforehand for food and lodging. The stay for the journey was Sonar Tari located in Sunderban National Park for two days and then in Ullas Residence in Salt Lake, Kolkata for the next 3 days. In Sunderban, the students visited Gosaba Island, Hamilton Bangla, Sajnekhali Tiger reserve and Panchmukhi point. In Kolkata the students visited, BSI, Kolkata, Dakhineshwar Mandir, Indian Museum, Victoria Memorial and a local mela. From the excursion the students were able to see the Mangrove vegetation which is a unique adaptation of plants in saline water. They were also able to witness many floras and fauna of Sunderban, the aesthetic beauty of Victoria memorial, herbarium preparation technique in BSI, the Great Banyan Tree located in BSI, the art and fossil galleries of the Indian Museum.

#### Permission Letter:

Dr. Dimbeshwar Das HOD, Botany Gargaon College Simaluguri, Sivasagar Pin - 785686, Assam Date: 26/10/2022 То. The Principal Gargaon College Simaluguri, Sivasagar Pin - 785686, Assam Subject: Permission to Visit the Kolkatta. Sir I am writing this letter to request you to kindly allow us to visit the Kolkatta from  $2^{nd} - 10^{th}$  January 2023. for the academic purpose for the Honours students of the Department of Botany, I am hereby also attaching the list of the total number of students and Teacher – in – Charge I also request you to kindly issue the railway concession form for the same. With regards (Dr. Dimbeshwar Das) Head Department of Botany Gargaon College Simaluguri Dist Sivasagar Pin 785686, Assam

#### List of Students:

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	Name of the Student	Class Roll No.	Semester	Age	Gende
Sl. No.		255	1st	18	M
1	MADHUJYA GOGOI	83	3rd	20	M
2	KRISHNA MONI DUTTA	321	3rd	19	M
3	AAYAN UPAM HANDIQUE	335	3rd	19	M
4	POLLOB SAHU		3rd	20	M
5	SHYAMOL BORUAH	340	3rd	20	F
6	NILUTPAL BORUAH	4		20	F
7	SHABNAM BEGUM	104	5th		F
8	DIKUMONI BORAH	173	5th	20	F
9	URBASI CHETIA	190	5th	20	
10	NISHITA GOGOI	211	5th	21	M
11	SAHIL HUSSAIN	262	5th	20	M
12	NISHITA GOGOI	269	5th	22	M
13	NILOTPAL CHETIA	211	5th	20	M
14	PRACHURJYA GOGOI	321	5th	21	M
	DIPJYOTI DIHINGIA	323	5th	22	M
15	ABHINOB BORAH	342	5th	21	M
16		308	5th	21	F
17	BIKRAM LAHON	60	5th	20	F
18	MRINMOY GOGOI	244	3rd	20	M
19	RATUL ALI		3rd	20	F
20	JENISMITA SAIKIA	101	3rd	20	F
21	BHITALI HAZARIKA	65	310	20	

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#### Course Code: BC409P Core Course IX - Practical: Plant Ecology and Phytogeography

- Study of instruments used to measure microclimatic variables: Soil thermometer, maximum and minimum thermometer, anemometer, psychrometer/hygrometer, rain gauge and lux meter.
- Determination of pH of various soil and water samples (pH meter, universal indicator/Lovibond comparator and pH paper)
- Analysis for carbonates, chlorides, nitrates, sulphates, organic matter and base deficiency from two soil samples by rapid field tests.
- Determination of organic matter of different soil samples by Walkley & Black rapid titration method
- 5. Comparison of bulk density, porosity and rate of infiltration of water in soils of three habitats.
- 6. Determination of dissolved oxygen of water samples from polluted and unpolluted sources.
- 7. (a). Study of morphological adaptations of hydrophytes and xerophytes (four each).
  - (b). Study of biotic interactions of the following: Stem parasite (Cuscuta), Root parasite (Orobanche) Epiphytes, Predation (Insectivorous plants).
- Determination of minimal quadrat size for the study of herbaceous vegetation in the college campus, by species area curve method (species to be listed).
- Quantitative analysis of herbaceous vegetation in the college campus for frequency and comparison with Raunkiaer's frequency distribution law.
- 10. Quantitative analysis of herbaceous vegetation for density and abundance in the college campus.
- 11. Field visit to familiarise students with ecology of different sites.

#### Suggested Readings

- Odum, E.P. (2005). Fundamentals of ecology. Cengage Learning India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi. 5<sup>th</sup> edition.
- Singh, J.S., Singh, S.P., Gupta, S. (2006). Ecology Environment and Resource Conservation. Anamaya Publications, New Delhi, India.
- 3. Sharma, P.D. (2010). Ecology and Environment. Rastogi Publications, Meerut, India. 8<sup>th</sup> edition.
- 4. Wilkinson, D.M. (2007). Fundamental Processes in Ecology: An Earth Systems Approach.

#### Photographs:







# ON SUNDARBAN NATIONAL PARK & KOLKATA



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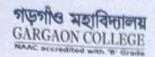
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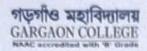


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