

## **Training Programme on Role of Micro and Macro Propagation for Large Scale Production of Quality Planting Stock with Focus on Economically Important Tree Species**

A training programme on “Role of Micro and macro propagation for large scale production of quality planting stock with focus on economically important tree species” for forest guards of Kerala Forest and Wildlife Department was conducted at IFGTB on 26-27 March 2012. Twenty-seven participants attended the training programme. Hands on training on macro propagation methods of economically important species including Eucalypts, Casuarina, Thespesia, Melia, Ailanthus and Bamboos was imparted in addition to the lectures. Participants were also made aware of the importance of genetic improvement programmes and management of common diseases in clonal nurseries. Demonstration on various micro-propagation techniques in forest trees was also a highlight of the training programme. A training manual was also provided to the participants. The training was organized by the Biotechnology Division of IFGTB. Shri.K.S.Venkataramanan, Research Officer organized the training programme. The Forest Guard trainees appreciated the quality of the training and considered it very professional and useful.



**INAUGURATION OF THE TRAINING PROGRAMME**



CLASS ROOM SESSIONS



A SESSION OF THE TRAINEES



FIELD TRAINING



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*Two days training program on  
Role of Micro and Macro Propagation for Large Scale Production of  
Quality Planting Stock with Focus on Economically Important Tree Species  
26/03/12 to 27/03/12*