

Exposure visit of Students of Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat

Twenty three numbers of final year students of College of Agriculture, Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat who have been attending 'Rural Agricultural Work Experience Programme' visited Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat (Assam) on 4th November, 2015. The students visited under the guidance of Sri Sanjib Gogoi, Scientist, KVK, Jorhat.

Sri R. K. Kalita, Head, Forestry Extension Division welcomed the visiting students. He delivered a brief PowerPoint presentation on the various research and development activities of the Institute. He also made another presentation on bamboo and its applications. He sensitized the students on the role of bamboo for livelihood generation, more particularly, of people of North East.

The students visited bamboo nursery, bamboo germplasm collections and bambusetum. Sri Kumud Bora, Research Assistant guided the students and explained the students about different techniques of bamboo propagation. He also showed different species of bamboo and explained different identifying characters of bamboo species.

The students visited Bamboo Composite Center and experienced various bamboo products which were being displayed. They were also explained about the application of machines for making various bamboo handicraft products.







