Workshop on waste management at Dispur College

GUWAHATI, May 24: A capacity building programme-cum-workshop for student training on 'Source Segregation and Home Composting' under the Swachh Bharat Mission 2.0 was organized a couple of days back at Dispur College by the Guwahati Municipal Corporation, Guwahati in association with the National Service Scheme (NSS) and 48 Assam Naval Unit NCG, Dispur College, a press release stated.

The programme began with lighting of the lamp by Dispur College Principal Navajyoti Borah, and Guwahati Municipal Corporation Assistant Commissioner Parinita Sharma, along with dignitaries such as Nitish Kumar of the GMC and Prakash Sharma, chairperson (Guwahati Chapter) of the Confederation of Indian Industry.

Following the ceremony, Borah delivered his welcome speech wherein he highlighted the college's commitment at environmental sustainability through its dedicated prevention of 'Single-Use Plastic' in organizing its functions, activities and events. This was followed by the Pranita Sharma's address in which she appreciated the college as an environmentally conscious and conscient institution that diligently works at achieving a sustainable world for the posterity.

A demonstration was conducted by Shabnam Parbin Hussain of 'The Midway Journey' wherein she emphasized the significance of segregation of different kind of wastes to ensure an efficient waste disposal-cum-management system in the nation.

The programme was attended by more than 200 students. The vote of thanks was delivered by Malabika Bhattacharyya, programme officer of the NSS unit of the college. Serlin Engjaipi and Sutibra Malakar coordinated the event along with Bhattacharyya.