



REPORT ON

OBSERVANCE OF STUDENTS' DAY, 2023

As initiated by the Government of Assam and as per order from Dr. Ranaj Pegu, Education Minister of Assam to observe 31st May as Students' Day in all educational institutions, the Department of Education, Lumding college in association with the IQAC, organized a seminar titled "Education and Academic Matters" on the occasion. The day has been taken up to be observed as Students' Day to commemorate the birth anniversary of Upendranath Brahma, a Bodo leader who has given the title of Bodofa (Guardian of the Bodo community) in North eastern region of the country. He was born on 31 March 1956 in Assam. Upendranath Brahma was a Bodo social activist and the former president of All Bodo Students' Union (ABSU). He was the vice-president of All Bodo Students Union between 1981–1983 and president from 1986. He worked for the education and wellbeing of the Bodo community. Under his leadership, the ABSU agreed to include political issues as part of its agenda to give political maturity to the students. Brahma died in Mumbai on 1 May 1990 as a consequence of blood cancer at an age of just 34 years.



The programme was held in two parts. At 8:45 am in the seminar hall of the college, floral tribute was paid to the photo to U.N. Brahma by IQAC coordinator Dr. Sanjay Kanti Das, Bilashri Brahma and Dr. Mousumi Dutta from the Department of Education, Sri Anjan



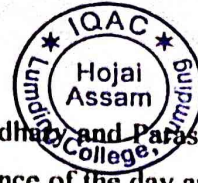


Paul from the Department of Bengali and Sri Shalch Akram from the Department of Botany in the presence of students.



Next, the seminar organized on the occasion started at 1 pm. At first the dais was formed where IQAC coordinator, Dr. Sanjay Kanti Das, NSS Choudhary from the Department of Botany and Parashu Upadhyay from the Department of History took their respective seats. They were felicitated by the bodo traditional scarf “aronai”. Next, a speech was delivered by Dr. Sanjay Kanti Das. In his speech he highlighted the role of students in nation building and the duty of teachers towards students and vice versa. He also appreciated the initiative of the Assam government to dedicate a day to the students, also at the same time remembering late





Upendranath Brahma. Followed by his speech, NSS Choudhary and Parashu Upadhyay also delivered speeches, both of them talking about the importance of the day and the life of U.N. Brahma.

Bilaishri Brahma, from the Department of Education, spoke about the life of U.N. Brahma, highlighting major aspects of his life and his achievements. Sri Bablu Basumatary from the Department of Physics, Raju Boro from the Department of Economics and a 6th semester student, Sri Johan Chakroborty also delivered speeches on the occasion. The programme ended with a vote of thanks by Reeta Das from the Department of Education.

Some snaps from the seminar:





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