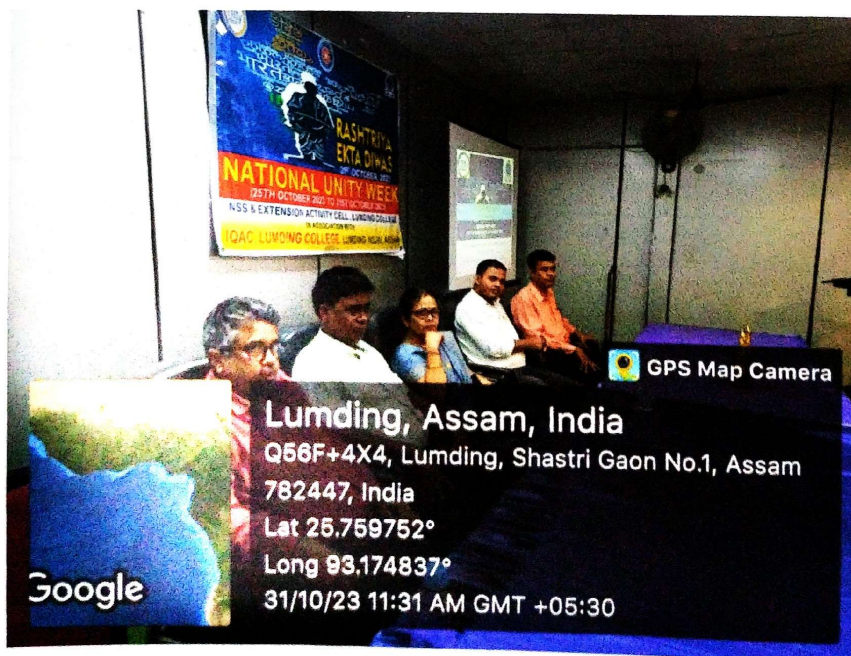


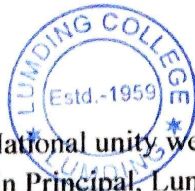
Report on National Unity Day 2023



Every year on October 31st, India celebrates National Unity Day also known as *Rashtriya Ekta Diwas* in honour of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, who was instrumental in the nation's fight for independence and the subsequent integration of princely states into the Union of India. In addition to honouring Sardar Patel's efforts, National Unity Day is observed with the intention of advancing the principles of solidarity, integrity, and unity among its citizens.

To mark the occasion, an event on the theme "Run for Unity" was organised by the NSS Unit and Extension Activity Cell in association with the Cultural Heritage Cell and Sports Committee of Lumding College, Lumding. Prior to starting the race, both teachers and students took an oath to confirm their dedication to the fundamental ideals of national unity, togetherness, and peace that unite us as a country. This pledge underscores our resolve to overcome our distinctions, embrace our variety, and strive for a tomorrow where every person is appreciated, esteemed, and embraced. The run commenced with the flag-off ceremony, where dignitaries viz the MLA (Lac-92), Shri Siby Misra and the teachers encouraged the participants and emphasized the significance of the event in fostering national unity and integration. During the run, participants ran or walk along designated routes, waving national flags and chanting slogans of unity and patriotism. Throughout the run, the Lumding College Student Union stationed along the route provided refreshments, medical assistance, and encouragement to the participants, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable experience for all involved. After completion of the run, the participants returned to the college and the program was concluded thereon. Overall, the *Rashtriya Ekta Divas* "Run for Unity" is a noteworthy occasion that unites people to commemorate the principles of inclusivity, unity, and integrity that are critical to the advancement and development of India as a country.

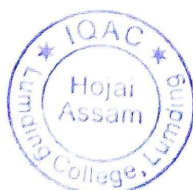




As a part of the weeklong programme 'National unity week' which ends on 31st October 2023 a special assembly was organised wherein Principal, Lumding College Dr. Mrinal Kanti Paul, IQAC Coordinator Dr Sanjay Kanti Das, Dr. Gitanjali Nath, HoD Assamese, Dr. Uttam Das, HoD Political Science, Dr. Akhil Ch. Kalita, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Hindi and NSS Programme Officer Sri Anjan Paul was attended as dignitaries. The dignitaries who attended the function deliver speeches on *Rashtriya Ekta* and its importance. All the dignitaries and participants of the special assembly take pledge on the occasion of *Rashtriya Ekta Divas*. After the special assembly the dignitaries handed over the prizes amongst the winners of essay competition which was held during National Unity Week 2023



Pledge sworn by the faculties and students of Lumding College on the occasion of *Rashtriya Ekta Divas*.





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