

Visit to Aquaculture & Biodiversity Centre of Gauhati University

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A Field trip to Aquaculture & Biodiversity Centre, Department of Zoology, Gauhati University was organized by the Department of Zoology for a Training on Ornamental Fish culture for the Student of B.Sc. 6th semester on 3rd January, 2022. The main aim of this training is to promote self employment among the students. Prof. Dhandhar Sharma, Coordinator of the Aquaculture & Biodiversity Centre gave a lecture on indigenous ornamental fish species of Assam and North east India and its importance and future scope. He explained how indigenous ornamental fish species can be an alternative source for self employment for the students of the locality. He also demonstrated various methods of ornamental fish culture. The participant also observed the aquarium park, hatchery, rearing and stocking tank of the centre. The students practically observed how Tubifex can be cultured artificially in the fish farm itself which is the main fish food for ornamental fish species. The training programme was lead by teacher in-charge Mrs Nanda Devi and Dr. Rekha Chetri.



Dr. Dandadhar Sarma interacting with the students