

Field Study



The students of Fourth Semester (Major Course, Paper IV M-403) Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College went to **Daponibori Area**, Morigaon, Assam, about 70 km from Charaibahi College on 15 February 2017 under the Supervision of Smt. Bandana Boruah, Sri Joydev Sarmah, Smt. Gitanjali Khataniar and Dr. Jumi Baruah Assistant Professors of Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College. The team was also accompanied and helped by Sri Hari Narayan Deka, Assistant Professor of the Department of English, Sri Biresh Kumar Deka and Sri Dipak Kumar Das, Assistant Professor of the Department of Political Science.

The team investigated all the elements of the Tribal population, especially Karbi and Tiwa people of Daponibori area of Morigaon, Assam, which consist of their faith, culture, traditions, festivals, food habit, dresses, and ornaments.

Smt. Nirmala Ronghangpi, Sri Ramkrishna Das, Sri Pranjit Deuri, Smt. Anu Deka along with other local social workers helped and guided the students in collecting data from every walk of life of the people of that area.



The Students of Fourth Semester (Major Course, Paper IV M-403), Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College, Morigaon went to **Tegheria Area**, Morigaon, Assam, nearly 60 Km away from Charaibahi College, Morigaon, on 14th of March' 2018 under the Supervision of Smt. Bandana Boruah, Sri Joydev Sarma and Smt. Gitanjali Khataniar Assistant Professors of the Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College. The team was also accompanied and helped by Sri Debaswar Bordoloi, Office Assistant, Sri Jitumoni Bordoloi Library Assistant and Sri Suresh Nath (Grade-iv) of Charaibahi College.

The team investigated all the elements of the Tribal population, especially Karbi people of Tegheria Area of Morigaon, Assam that consist of their Faith, Culture, Traditions, Festivals, Food-habits, Dresses, and Ornaments.

Sri Mohon Kathar, Smt. Madhuri Kathar, Sri Subudh Rongpi, Sri Simanta Rongpi and Smt. Rashmi Kathar along with other local social workers helped and guided the students in collecting data from the grass root level of the people of that area.



The Students of Fourth Semester (Major Course, Paper IV M-403), Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College, Morigaon visited Dhekiakhuwa Bor Namghar, Jorhat, Assam on the 15th of February 2019 under the Supervision of Smt. Bandana Boruah, Sri Joydev Sarmah, Smt. Gitanjali Khataniar and Dr. Jumi Baruah, Assistant Professors of the Department, which is 255 km away from Charaibahi College, Morigaon. The team was also accompanied by Dr. Kamal Chandra Nath, Principal, Charaibahi College.

The team investigated all the elements of Dhekiakhuwa Bor Namghar with special emphasis on the role of 'Satras and 'Namghar' in spreading the teachings of 'Vaishnav dharma'.

Dhekiakhuwa Bor Namghar was established by Mahapurush Sri Sri Madhab Dev. The students collected in details all the data related to Dhekiakhuwa Bor Namghar's history, its rituals and faiths and the roles played by the 'Bhakots' the followers. The students took help from respected persons and local social workers like Sjt. Lila Dutta, Sjt. Bipin Saikia, Sjt. Hemchandra Dutta, Sjt. Kolia Neog in collecting the data.



The students of Fourth Semester (Major Course, Paper IV M-403) Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College, Morigaon went to **Basundhari Than, Amsoi**, Morigaon, Assam, about 75 Km from Charaibahi College, Morigaon, on the 2nd of March 2020 under the Supervision of Smt. Bandana Boruah, Sri Joydev Sarmah, and Dr. Jumi Baruah, Assistant Professors of the Department of Assamese. The team was also accompanied by Dr. Kamal Chandra Nath, Principal, Charaibahi College and Smt. Pompi moni Dewri, part time Assistant Professor.

Basundhari is a Goddess worshiped by the Tiwa community. Many historical and mythological stories are prevalent in the society relating to the Goddess Basundhari. Presently, in the month of January or February when the Eleventh Lunar Day is fallen a special religious festival known as 'Bhaimi Akadashi Mela' is observed, and in the month of April, on the day of 'Bahag Bihu', a 'Mela' is organized under the leadership of 'Chahari Raja'. The team tried to investigate in depth, all the elements of Basundhari Than. Sri Suren Deuraja the present king, helped and guided the students in collecting the information and related data of Basundhari Than.



The students of Sixth Semester (paper ASM-HE-6056) Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College, Morigaon went to **Hariamukh Satra, Raha**, about 45 Km away from Charaibahi College, Morigaon, on 9th May 2022 under the supervision of Dr. Bandana Boruah and Smt. Gitanjali Khataniar, Assistant Professors of the Department. The team was also accompanied by Dr. Kamal Chandra Nath, Principal, Charaibahi College, Smt. Dipika Goswami, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Charaibahi College and Sri Lakhyajyoti Hazarika, part time Assistant Professor, Department of Assamese.

Sri Nayanjyoti Goswami, the Satradhikar of Hariamukh Dihing Satra, Raha, has provided relevant data and information of the Hariamukh Dihing Satra to the team. The team tried to delving deep into the role plays by the ‘Satra’ in spreading the movement and teachings of ‘Vaishnav dharma’. Sri Chandan Goswami helps the team in selecting and collecting data related to the satra.



The students of Sixth Semester (paper ASM-HE-6056,) Department of Assamese, Charaibahi College, Morigaon, went to **Auniati Satra, North Guwahati**, about 120 Km away from Charaibahi College, Morigaon, on 22th February 2023 under the supervision of Dr. Bandana Boruah, Smt. Gitanjali Khataniar, Joydev Sarmah and Dr. Jumi Boruah Assistant Professors of the Department. The team was also accompanied by Sri Lakhyajyoti Hazarika, part time Assistant Professor of the Department of Assamese.

Sri Jogesh Saikia, a social worker of North Guwahati, Prasanta Sarma ,Tralokiya Sarma , Udhav Kalita and Bhabendra Nath Barpujari members of the Satra have given relevant data and information of the Satra. The team strived to search in depth of all the aspects of the Satra and the role played by the ‘Satra’ in spreading the movement and teachings of ‘Vaishnav dharma’.