## **Celebration of World Environment Day**

World Environment Day was celebrated by the Geographical Forum of Nanda Nath Saikia College on 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2025 at Biki Devi Gatani High School, Bogargaon, Titabar. On this occasion, the forum organized an Art completion among the students of the school studying in class VI-VIII. The theme of the art competition was "Plastic Pollution" (প্লাষ্টিক প্ৰদূষণ). More than 40 students participated in this competition. For the student of class IX and X a sheech completion was organized and the topic was "Plastic Pollution and its Danger" (প্লাষ্টিক প্ৰদূষণ আৰু ইয়াৰ ভয়াৱহত্য). In this completion, about 15 students participated. All the winners of the competitions were awarded with books as prizes and certificates.

A talk programme was also arranged in the school on the theme of the World Environment Day, 2025, i.e. "Beat Plastic Pollution". For this purpose, the forum invited Dr. Amlan Puzari, Assistant Professor in the Department of Chemistry, Nanda Nath Saikia College to dilever the talk. The resource person discussed the adverse effects of the use of plastic products and explained how it damages the environment. The simple and thought provoking talk enlightened the minds of all the audience, especially, the students about the plastic pollution and the measures to be taken to beat the plastic pollution. Total number of participants in the programme was 160 (including teachers of both the institutions).

