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Children Day observed in Raj Bhavan

Make yourself good and useful citizen of the country: Governor to children

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) celebrated the Children's Day with differently abled students of Donyi Polo Mission School for Hearing and Visually Impaired, Chimpu and Government Schools of Itanagar on 14th November 2019. First Lady of the State, Smt Neelam Misra, State Education Minister, Er. Taba Tedir and Commissioner to Governor Shri R.P. Upadhyay, IPS, also attended the programme, which was organised in the Darbar Hall of the Raj Bhavan, Itanagar.

Greeting the children on the occasion, the Governor appealed to them to make themselves good and useful citizens of the country.

The Governor said that Children Day is a day of introspection for the parents and guardians to review whether they are providing the correct education and living standard to their children or wards. He said that it is their responsible and duty to provide every opportunity to their wards to excel in life. He also advised the parents to prepare themselves first by way of mustering them necessary resources before bringing a child to this earth.

The Governor further advised the parents to send their children to school and ensure timely vaccinations.

The Governor said that the State Government also has a responsibility towards the wellbeing of the children, their education, health and physical activities. He appealed to the people not to take away the leg space and lung space of the students by encroaching upon the school lands. The Governor advised the State Education Minister to initiate action against the encroachers to stop and recover the school land across the board.

The Governor also advised the Minister for streamlining the 'Mid Day Meal' programme and creating awareness against food wastage, which he stated as wastage of National Resources.

State Minister for Education, Er. Taba Tedir, who also addressed the children, advised them to maintain cleanliness and preserve the natural flora and fauna.

The participating students presented a colour traditional cultural programme with the spirit of patriotism, preservation and protection of flora and fauna and the rich cultural heritage of the State.

Later, the Governor, accompanied by State Education Minister visited the Government Primary School, Raj Bhavan, B-Sector, Itanagar and advised him, item by item where further improvement is required in the school.

The Governor advised the Minister to improve the education scenario of the State with special focus on the elementary education. With better education to children at the primary level, particularly in remote areas of the State, we will be setting up a strong foundation for our future generation, the Governor said.

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