## GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT ARUNACHAL PRADESH ITANAGAR

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## Governor visits Jawaharlal Nehru College & Government Poytechnic College, and College of Horticulture & Forestry at Pasighat

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) visited Jawaharlal Nehru College, Pasighat on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2018, which is the oldest institute of higher studies in the State and was established in 1964. Accompanied by the First Lady of the State, Smt Neelam Misra, East Siang Deputy Commissioner Shri Tamiyo Tatak and Shri Prashant Gautam, the Governor met the faculty members and students.

Interacting with the students, the Governor advised them to prepare themselves for the future challenges and sustenance. He emphasised that they must instil knowledge and proficiency to go for entrepreneurship and self-employment.

Stating that 1962 must not be repeated, the Governor exhorted the students including the girl students to join Indian armed forces. He informed them of the vacancies in Indian Army in coming days, for which he has already taken initiative.

The Governor said there will be pre-recruitment trainings and coaching conducted by the Indian Army and the all the youth must avail it. He asked the National Cadet Corps (NCC) in-charge of the College Captain (Dr.) K.K. Mishra, Lecturer (Geog) to motivate the cadets and also other students to join the Army.

The Governor also advised the students to ensure that every six years and above child is send to school. They must volunteer themselves to see that every child gets an opportunity to be educated.

Visiting the college library, the Governor assured to provide books to the library, provided that the list of books required is forwarded to him by the committee of faculty.

Earlier, the Governor visited the Government Poytechnic College, Pasighat and met the students and faculty.

The Governor also visited the College of Horticulture & Forestry, Pasighat. Interacting with students, the Governor exhorted the students to go for research projects, which will facilitate in the development of the people, society, State and the nation. He said that there are many programmes and schemes in agriculture and horticulture sectors and the students of the institute must assist the people in implementing it in scientific manner.

Sharing his discussion with Chief of Army Staff, General Bipin Rawat about horticultural projects which will help the people in the remote areas, the Governor suggested the students for research on early bearing walnuts and pine nuts.

Encouraging the students towards innovations and to 'think out of box', the Governor advised them to add something new, which will be beneficial to the agrarian community and is organic.

Later he released two publications, 'Production Technology of legume vegetables' and 'Rainwater harvesting and its management for horticultural crops'.

PRO to Governor Arunachal Pradesh ITANAGAR, March 14, 2018