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Press Communiqué

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The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, Lt Gen KT Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.), handed over a collection of library books to the children of Oju Mission at Lok Bhavan, Itanagar, on 19th February 2026.

As part of his philanthropic initiative, the Governor donated more than 150 books aimed at nurturing curiosity, values, and imagination among young readers. The collection included Amar Chitra Katha comics, books on inspiring personalities and Indian freedom fighters, illustrated editions of the Ramayana and Mahabharata, Panchatantra tales, titles on inventions and discoveries, and stories of Param Vir Chakra awardees.

Interacting warmly with the children, the Governor encouraged them to cultivate a regular reading habit, emphasizing that books are lifelong companions that expand knowledge, strengthen character, and open doors to new opportunities. He expressed hope that access to good reading material would inspire the children to dream big, learn continuously, and grow into responsible citizens who contribute positively to society.

The Chairperson of the Oju Mission, Smt. Ratan Anya, attended the occasion along with her dedicated team of teachers and social workers, and the children in need. Expressing her heartfelt gratitude, she profusely thanked the Governor for his generous and compassionate gesture, noting that it would greatly benefit all the special children of the Mission.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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