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REPORT ON

“Education Tour to Kurseong”

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**Title: Educational Tour to Museum of Subash Chandra Bose
and Forest Museum in Dowhill, Kurseong**

Date: 3rd September, 2022

Introduction:

On September 3, 2022, the Department of Sociology organized a one-day educational tour to Kurseong- a hill station nestled in the hills of Darjeeling which bears its own uniqueness and charm. Students from the sixth semester of the B.A. Hons and fourth semester students from B.A. Hons Sociology went on the tour under the guidance of the H.O.D. Dichen Lamu Sherpa and Department faculties Farching Dukpa and Prabhu Das at 10:30 AM, the students were instructed to congregate at Darjeeling More a location common for all. Dr. Birendra Mridha, the college's principal, wished every student a safe and happy travels.

We started our journey at 11'clock and reached at 12: 00 noon approx. At the Museum of Subash Chandra Bose, the management warmly welcomed all of us and the students thoroughly enjoyed the historic events and partial life of Subash Chandra Bose during the times when he lived there. The museum had collection of letters (personal and official) written to his wife there in England, where narrations about his life in India were vividly discussed and shared and letter he had written to various other Important figures during the struggle of freedom fight. The Museum had remains of his apparels, furniture and his personal room with his closet and bed, pictures of various moments were hung throughout the wall of the museum. The museum portrayed a story in itself, a colonial touch with the architecture and decor.

After spending few hours there, the group headed to Forest area, Dowhill, and visited to the museum which had collections of the flora and fauna. There was a park next to the museum and the students along with the faculties rested and rejoiced over some talks and snacks.

Next, the group headed to a tourist spot "Hanuman Park" and then to "Rohini park" and enjoyed the nature and rested for a while and headed back to our starting point.

Objectives of the Tour:

The Education tour had the following key objectives:

- a. To explore the Museums which both were never visited by the students.
- b. To explore the nature and give an opportunity for the students to learn through practical exposure.
- c. To develop practise of teaching and learning in an innovative method

Key Outcomes:

- a. Increased awareness and understanding of the life of Subash Chandra Bose.
- b. Enhanced knowledge of the various kinds of flora and fauna, wild animals and bio diversity present in the hills of Darjeeling.
- c. An exposure to the different geographical landscape, recreational and strengthening integration of the faculties and students of Department of sociology.

Conclusion:

The educational tour provided valuable insights into the life of the Freedom fighter, to understanding the flora and fauna and feel one with nature which was a lifetime opportunity for many students as they had never visited to the hills. The event fostered meaningful discussions and highlighted the need for continuous efforts to organize such events in the future and give the students an opportunity to learn in a different method. The Department Of Sociology would like to engage more on establishing such academic and recreation platform for opening up the corridors of discussions and strengthening ties for both Faculties and the students community.