## Awareness Programme On Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2023

The Dept. of English and ICGC of Samaguri College in collaboration with the Samaguri H.S School organized awareness cum extension programme on the occasion of World Drug Day i.e. on 26. 06.2023. The topic dealt with was "Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking. The awareness meeting was presided over by Mr. Tirtha Das, SMC president of Samaguri HS School. Objectives of the meeting was explained by Ms. Labanya Goswami, HOD of English dept of Samaguri college and the felicitation programme was conducted by Mr. Apurbba Jyoti Borah of the same dept. Mr. Pranabiyoti Goswami, Principal of the School delivered his welcome speech. Later Dr. Indrajit Bezbaua, Principal, Samaguri College focused on the theme of the year "People First, Stop Stigma and Discrimination and Strengthen Prevention" and motivate the participants mostly from newly admitted HS first year students. Dr. Lakshmi Talukdar, resource person from the organizing institution lucidly explained the psychological factors behind drug abuse and enlightened the participants about the ways to overcome peer pressure and say 'no' to drugs and say 'yes' to life. The participating students took pledge against the abuse of drugs and that programme was conducted by Mr. Utpal Gohain Baruah, subject teacher of Samaguri HS School. Ms. Arifa Begum from the dept. of English offered votes of thanks to all present there.

The programme was a successful one with large numbers (156) of active participants.







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