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REPORT OF EXTENSION PROGRAMME

On

**Improving Communication Skills in English among Secondary Level
Students of Vernacular Medium Schools**

**Organised by
Department of English
Rangapara College
In collaboration with IQAC**

Objectives of the Programme:

1. To make students aware of the need of communication skills in English for future prospects
2. To make the students aware of the English language as a powerful instrument of economic, social and political change
3. To make the students aware of the challenges and possible solutions in learning English effectively.

Target Group: Students of Mansiri High School

Description of the Event: The programme started with the inaugural speech of the Headmaster of the school, Shivsankar Sarma. He was very enthusiastic about the awareness programme and the possible benefits the students will reap from the programme. This was followed by lecture by Deependra Sarma, HoD English where he spoke on the importance of English in this global world. His speech also focussed on how learning English can serve as an instrument for better prospects and also open a world of possibilities. He also talked about how the teachers can make learning fun and engaging to encourage students to participate in the learning process. This was followed by another lecture by Dr. Pamela Sarmah, Assistant Professor, Dept.of English, where she emphasized the necessity of effective speaking skills. Dr. Sarmah also talked about the crucial role of a teacher in encouraging and motivating students. Ms. Meghali Saikia, Assistant Professor also spoke on the role of effective communication skills in securing employment. She also spoke extensively on the strategies which can be employed by strategies which can make learning English simple yet effective. The participation of the students was quite encouraging. Almost 95 students participated in the awareness programme. Towards the end of the programme there were queries and doubts from the part of the students which were clarified by the teachers in the programme.

