

Foundation Stone of New Academic Building laid on June 15, 2018

S.B.Deorah College organized the Foundation Stone Laying ceremony of a 6 storied New Academic Building within its college premises on 15th June 2018. The proposed building will house a Central library, Seminar Hall besides departmental classrooms of the Science Stream to be started this academic session. Hon'ble Minister of Education, Government of Assam Mr.Siddhartha Bhattacharya was present on the occasion as the Chief Guest. Delivering his key note address, Mr.Bhattacharya nostalgically recalled his association with the college ever since its inception in 1984. He assured financial support to the college and urged the teachers to perform their duties with sincerity and dedication. He also asked the students not to let any distractions interfere with the single minded pursuit of knowledge. In his welcome speech, Principal of the college, Dr.Dharmendra Nath expressed hope and optimism that infrastructure development of the college would go a long way in improving the academic performance of the students. The Programme was presided over by President of the Governing Body of the College, Mr.Sumanta Chaliha. In his speech Mr.Chaliha regretted the recent incident of mob lynching where two Assamese youths from Guwahati lost their lives. He also reiterated the need to develop social responsibility as an integral part of the educational programme to check the degeneration of values among the younger generation. Also present in the meeting was eminent litterateur Dr.Lakhinandan Bora. Dr Bora urged the students to inculcate reading habit which is on the wane due to technological encroachment. In her brief address to the gathering, Mission Director RUSA Mrs.Madhurima Sen Baruah informed that a total of 87 provincialised colleges had been able to avail a financial grant of 2 crore rupees under Phase I of RUSA. However, the number of colleges who could qualify for the same under Phase II had sharply fallen to 45 due to the failure to meet the requisite norms. The Programme was ended with vote of thanks.

