

GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
TRIBAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS DURING 2019-20

❖ **Educational Programme**

- Boarding house stipend provided to 26,050 nos. ST students.
- Pre-Matric Scholarship (Class VI to VIII) provided to 28,995 nos. ST students.
- Pre-Matric Scholarship (Class IX to X) provided to 10,463 nos. ST students
- Post Matric Scholarship provided to 22,212 nos. ST students
- Merit Award provided to 9,566 nos. ST students.
- Supply of Free Text Books has been provided to 22,489 nos. ST students.
- 300 nos. ST students were provided coaching under the scheme of Madhyamik Drop-out Coaching.
- 8,239 number ST students/boarders of 135 nos. ST hostels attached to the Govt. run HS/High School were provided free coaching in Science Group, English etc. under the scheme of Special Coaching in core subject.
- 290 students have been sponsored for different job oriented courses like B.Ed, D.El.Ed & GNM & Paramedical courses.
- 9 nos. ST students have been sponsored for coaching for UPSC Competitive Preliminary examination-2020 at New Delhi.

❖ **Infrastructure Development**

- Presently, 4(four) nos. Eklavya Model Residential Schools (EMR) are functioning. In addition, during the academic session 2019-20, 1(one) Eklavya Model Day Boarding School (EMDBS) was also made functional at Killa.
- During 2019-20, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Govt. of India has sanctioned 4 (four) new EMR School namely at Hezamara, Rupaichari, Karbook and Mungiakami and construction work of 3(three) EMRS namely at Hezamara, Rupaichari, Karbook have already been started. Land for EMRS at Mungiakami has been identified and diversion of forest land is in process.
- During 2019-20, MoTA has sanctioned 3 (three) nos. College hostels attached to Gandacherra Govt. Degree College, Fatikroy Degree College and Women's College, Agartala under Grants under Article 275(1). Site has been identified for all the 3 nos. hostels and CEO, TTAADC has been entrusted for implementation of the works.
- 100 seated Girls hostel attached to Bhuratali Residential School under Sabroom Sub-Division has been inaugurated.
- During 2019-20, funds have been sanctioned for setting up of 4 nos. Deep Tube Well for Irrigation purpose and fund already placed to the various divisions of PDW (WR).

❖ **Support for Income Generation Activities.**

- During the year 2019-20, total 3,528 nos. ST beneficiaries have been benefitted for various income generating schemes like ARDD Activities (Duckery & Poultry), Horti activities (Vermi compost, exotic flower, Mushroom, Arecanut, Banana), Agri & Pisciculture activities under SCA to TSS.
- Soft loans have been provided to 434 nos. ST youths from ST Corporation for self-employed economic activities viz. small business, transport business and Agri & Allied etc. Education loan have been provided to 54 nos. ST students for pursuing higher studies from ST Corporation during 2019-20.
- During 2019-20, Skill Development training and short duration training for Army Recruitment rally has been provided to 436 nos. ST Youths.

❖ **Health**

- Financial assistance provided to 1,302 nos. poor ST patients for medical treatment under Nucleus Budget Scheme.

❖ **Implementation of RoFR Act, 2006 (As on 30th November, 2019)**

- 1,30,903 nos. of Forest Dwellers have been given Forest Rights Patta under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 and the quantum of land involved is 1,86,229.02 hectares.
- 1,09,662 nos. of Forest Dwellers have been assisted through various programmes of Line Departments/ MGNREGA for sustainable livelihood under the State Level Flagship Programme namely, “Economic Benefit Scheme for the Recipients for the Forest Dwellers”.
