Visit of Teachers of Kendriya Vidyalayas of FRI under the "PRAKRITI" programme on 16th May 2023

As a part of promoting the ecological and environmental awareness among the educational institutions under the programme "PRAKRITI" and in continuation of the same a group of 51 primary school teachers coming from Kendriya Vidyalayas of Dehradun and Chandigarh Regions viz. Baddowal Cantt, No.5 Bathinda Cantt, Fad Dappar, IIT Ropar, No. 3 Jalandhar Cantt, Nabha Cantt, No.1, AFS Adampur, Tibri Cantt Gurdaspur, No. 1 Patiala Cantt, OCF Sector 29 ,Chandigarh, No. 1 AFS Halwara, Mohali, Nangalbhur, Sec 47 First Shift Chanidgarh, ONGC Dehrdun, Raiwala, BHEL Haridwar, No 1 HBK Dehradun, SSB Srinagar, OLF Raipur, Dehradun, KV No.2 SOI HBK Dehradun, OFD Raipur Dehradun, IIP Dehradun, OFD Raipur, Dehradun, FRI Dehradun, 1st Shift KV ITBP Dehradun, I.T.B.P. 2nd Shift Dehradun, Kashipur, K. V. No. 1, Roorkee, Haldwani Cantt, Shift 2, Birpur, Upper Camp Dehradun, Abohar, 3 BRD, Chandigarh, and No. II Jalandhar Cantt visited FRI on 16th May 2023 under the programme "PRAKRITI" as per MoU signed between Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, Dehradun and Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan and Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti.

At the outset, Dr. Devendra Kumar, Scientist E and Coordinator programme "PRAKRITI", Extension Division, FRI welcomed the all the teachers and gave brief introduction about Forest Research Institute, Dehradun and technologies developed by Scientists in last 100 years.

He invited to Mr. Mahaling, IFS, Head, Extension Division, FRI for addressing the gathering. He spoke about the significance of conservation of flora and fauna particularly birds' elephants, Tigers, and other Natural wilderness areas including rivers, hills and mountains and reflected on various aspect of interdependent coexistence of different species and how current economic development is influencing structural and functional integrity of the natural ecosystem.

Later Dr. Charan Singh, Scientist F, Extension Division, FRI was invited for briefing about museums of FRI. He briefed about every museums, artifacts and technologies of FRI shown there. He also shared his experience of Agroforestry and its recommended models applicability.

Then teachers were brought to visit various museums like Forest Pathology Museum, Silivilcuture Museum, Timber Museum, Forest Entomology Museum, Non-Wood Forest Products Museum, and Technology Demonstration Centre. Queries raised by KV teachers about on related issues during their visit of museums have been explained by Scientists/ Technical staff deputed in museums. Programme was conducted by Dr. Devendra Kumar, Scientist E and Coordinator programme prakriti, Extension Division, FRI. Mr. Vijay Kumar, ACF, Mr. P. P. Singh, FRO, Mr. Kheema Nand, Mr. Naveen Chauhan, Mr. Amit Singh, Ms. Garima Nath, Technicians, Extension Division, FRI and other staff contributed a lot to make successful visit.

The glimpses are given below:





























