

Appeal for sapling plantation



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In an effort to inculcate the habit of plantation of saplings among [student community](#), a tree plantation drive within the college campus was formally [launched](#) at [Tangla](#) College one of the premier educational institution of undivided Darrang and present [Udalguri](#) district on Wednesday.

Attending the programme [as chief](#) guest Pabitra Rabha, a [National](#) School of Drama (NSD) graduate and a theatre personality of the [state](#), who is also an alumnus of [Tangla](#) College planted tree saplings in presence of students, faculties, [Tangla](#) College Union body members and [Principal](#) of the institute Dr. Prasen Daimari.

Speaking on the occasion artist Rabha said "I along with [Zubeen](#) Garg have been visiting in various corners of [state](#) from March this year to appeal people to carry plantation drives.

It is a bizarre truth that a section of unscrupulous people in past years made great damage to the ecosystem by dealing in timber business in the region.", said Rabha.

Rabha further said "I feel proud to launch a tree plantation drive here in [Tangla](#) College of which I am an alumnus. We will survive only when trees survive."

Along with the scores of benefits trees have including maintaining [green](#) environment, economic values of timber producing trees also has a good prospect. He exhorted every student to plant at least [10](#) plants individually at their homes. Earlier the welcome address was delivered by Swdmsa Boro General Secretary of College Union. [Principal](#) Dr. Prasenjit Daimari also appealed students to actively participate in plantation drive within the college campus.



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