

**EDUCATIONAL EXPOSURE VISIT OF
KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA NO. 01 AND 05, BATHINDA, PUNJAB
STUDENTS TO FRI, DEHRADUN ON
03rd DECEMBER 2019 UNDER "PRAKRITI" PROGRAMME**

In compliance of MoU signed between ICFRE and Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan, New Delhi to promote awareness about forest and environment among school children for acquiring skills for care and protection towards forests, environment and society, a group of 53 students of Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 01 and 03, Amritsar, Punjab visited Forest Research Institute, Dehradun on 03rd December 2019 under "PRAKRITI" programme alongwith their escort teachers.

On behalf of Director, FRI, Dr. Devendra Kumar, Scientist-D, Extension Division, FRI welcomed all the students and their teachers. Dr. A.K. Pandey, Head, Extension Division, FRI gave brief information about FRI and technologies developed by FRI and its contribution to the environment and society. He said that FRI, Dehradun is the premier forestry research institute of the country catering the needs of forestry research of the north Indian states. He appealed to the students for the protection of forest and environment. He emphasized that our survival is also depend on forest and environment in the climate changing scenario.

Thereafter, students visited various museums viz. Forest Pathology museum, Silviculture museum, Timber Museum; Bambusetum and Botanical garden. During the visit of different museums, queries were raised by students and explained by concerned scientists/officers deputed in museums of FRI. The team of Extension Division, FRI including Mr. Rambir Singh, Scientist D, Shri Preet Pal Singh, Deputy Forest Ranger contributed towards successful visit of students.

The glimpses are given below:







