## PROGRAMME: WORKSHOP OF GENDER GAP AMONG WOMAN AND GIRLS IN OUR SOCIETY DATE: 22nd JANUARY, 2021

The Folklore Department of Nonoi College had organized an event about the topic of Gender gap among women and girls in our society. In this workshop the department aimed to touch upon issues concerning gender inequality and sex role stereotypes, Nowadays economic models have failed to generate progress and prosperity for all. Mrs. Rita Sarmah, Principal i/c spoke about the lack of opportunities for women and girls to voice their concerns regarding the suppression of the genuine rights and privileges of women in many vital aspects of our domestic and social life. Our community still has quite big problems about gender inequality. Representation of women in economy is limited. Our main objective is to increase awareness about gender inequality and discrimination in our society. Our Resource Person Mr. Kalyan Nath, Assistant Professor ,Department of Geography delivered speech on Gender equality and observed that a lot need to be done in this regard in every country of the world. Women and girls have less access to education and healthcare, too often lack economic autonomy and are under-represented in decisionmaking at all levels. Mr. Ranjit Kumar Saikia, head of the department of Folklore, Nonoi College concluded his remarks on a positive note saying that the ILO hopes that through various activities at various levels by the government, by the employers themselves, by the unions, the issue of gender discrimination at the workplace could be addressed. Therefore, he urged all concerned to come forward to promote gender equality at the workplace also. Almost 80 students and teachers of this college participated in these workshops. At the end of this event the college visited their locality and spread awareness about this topic.



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