VIVEKANANDA MISSION MAHAVIDYALAYA
[ CHAITANYAPUR, HALDIA, PURBA MEDINIPUR ]
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

## Field Work Report , 2022

Department - Environmental science
Place - Arabari forest, west medinipur, westbengal
Duration -08/06/2022 and 11/06/2022
Participants -520 students
We visited Arabari forest at west Midnapur on 08/06/2022 and 11/06/2022 for field work with 520 students .we choose Arabari forest because joint forest management of india started from arabari forest under the leadership of Dr Ajit Kumar Banerjee of westbengal.

## Objectives

1.To identify the type of the forest
2.To identify the structural levels in the forest.
3.To identify food chains and interpret food web
4.To interpret the temparature and moisture control functions of the forest.
5.To identify the abundance of different plant species in the forest.
6.To identify the abundance of different animal species .
7.To observe feeding pattern of animals.
8.to know the current status of joint forest management of arabari forest.

## Findings

1.Students found that the forest is decideous in type.
2.Students observed various levels of the forest -ground, undergrowth,trunk, branches, canopy .
3.Students observed different food chains such as -Flowers- Butterflies - spiders

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4.Students felt the moisture and coolness of the forest air and compared this with the drier and warmer temperature outside the forest cover.
5.Sudents observed the richness of the sal tree and also found cashew plant, teak plant etc in the forest 6.Students observed different types of birds, animals like butterfly,spider rabbit,elephant etc.
7.Students found that the animals are very wary of human beings as man has killed them for many years.These animals move very stealthily.
8.Students observed that JFM has worked well and has been replicated in West Bengal and also in the rest of the country .

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## To

The Principal
Vivekananda Mission Mahavidyalaya.
Viveknagar, Poo- Chaitanyapur(Haldiya)
Dist- Purba Medinipur, West Bengal,
Pin 721645
Sub :- Permission for the student of Vivekananda Mission Mahavidyalaya, Ref:- Your office letter NIL dt.24.05.2022.

Sir,
You are hereby allowed to visit the Forest of Arabari Range with your students subject to the following conditions.
I). Your field project will be within the area which will be guided by forest staff all time.
II). Security of your students will be ensured from your end. keep close vigil on the security of the students during the visit as area is prone to wild elephant movement.
III) Maximum a group of 100 Nos. of Students is to be allowed for their environmental study in a day as per the scheduled given by the Range Officer.
IV) No research work on wildlife area to be allowed without the permission of Chief Wildlife Warden
V) No sample, will be collected from the Forest which tantamount to violation of Forest laws.
VI) Don't leave anything to the Forest except the foot step in the interest of Conservation of Biodiversity and with a successfully study tour.

This is for your information and taking necessary action.








ENVS Field Work at Arabari Forest on 08.06.2022
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