



GOVERNMENT ZIRTIRI RESIDENTIAL SCIENCE

COLLEGE

ACTIVITY REPORT

(to be submitted at activityreport@gzrsc.edu.in within one week after the conduct of the activity)

I. Activity Details:

1	Name of the Activity:	Seminar on “Forests and Economies”
2	Date and Time:	Dt.19.03.2026 (Thursday) 11:00 AM
3	Venue:	College Main building, Room No. 2/206
4	Resource Person with short bio-note:	Dr. R. Lalengmawia, Associate Professor. Dept. of botany, Govt. Zirtiri Resi. Science college. He is a seasoned academic with over 36 years of teaching experience He earned his Ph.D. in Forestry from Mizoram University and has dedicated his career to advancing science education and environmental awareness in the region. Since 2012, he has served as the President of the Science Teachers Association Mizoram (STAM) and held different posts for more than 20 years before serving as a President. He had been the Editor of <i>Mizoram Science Journal</i> for many years and is currently the Publisher.
5	Number of Participants: i. Number of Students: ii. Number of Teachers:	Students : 36 Teachers : 6
6	Target Group:	VI Sem. Botany Major
7	Organisers:	Department f Botany, GZRSC
8	Sponsoring Agency:	Nil
9	Whether Institutional/ State/ Regional/ National/ International Level?	Institutional
10	Reported by	Dr. R. Lalengmawia

II. Activity Summary:

International Day of Forests or World Forests Day i.e. 21st day of March is Saturday in this year. So the day was celebrated on Dt.19.3.2026 (Thursday).

The Lecture includes –

A. Values of Biodiversity –

1. Ecological Value (Ecosystem Services) like Regulating Services: Supporting Services: Disease Control:
2. Economic Value like Productive Use Value: Consumptive Use Value: Non-Timber Forest Products (NTFPs), Energy Supply: and Tourism:
3. Medical and Scientific Value like Pharmaceuticals and Genetic Reservoir:
4. Cultural and Aesthetical Value like Cultural Identity and Aesthetic Value

B. Causes of Loss of Biodiversity like

Habitat Destruction

Habitat Fragmentation

Habitat Degradation and Pollution

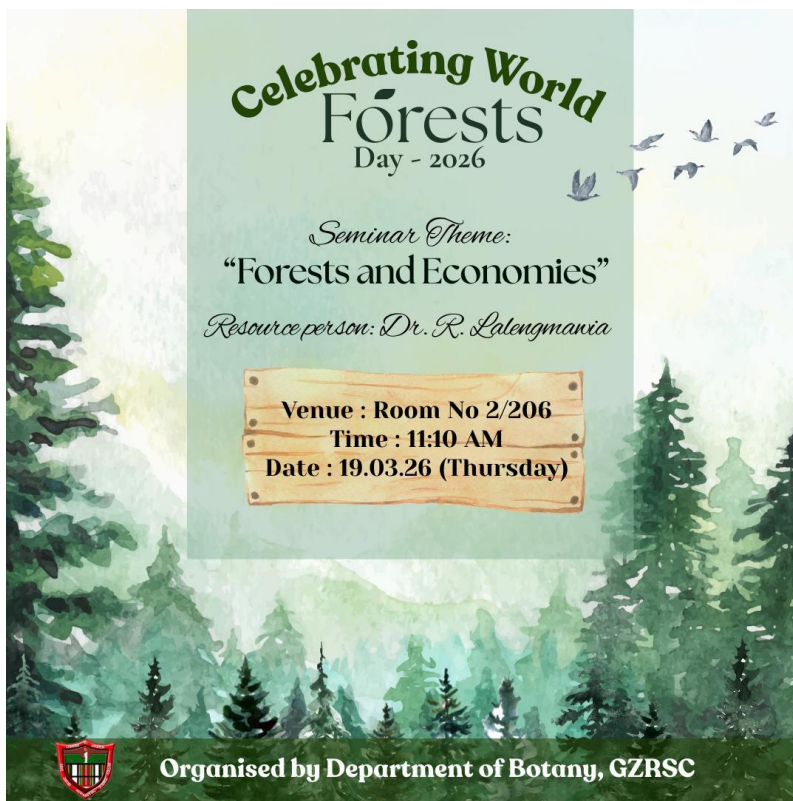
Introduction of Exotic Species

Diseases

Overexploitation

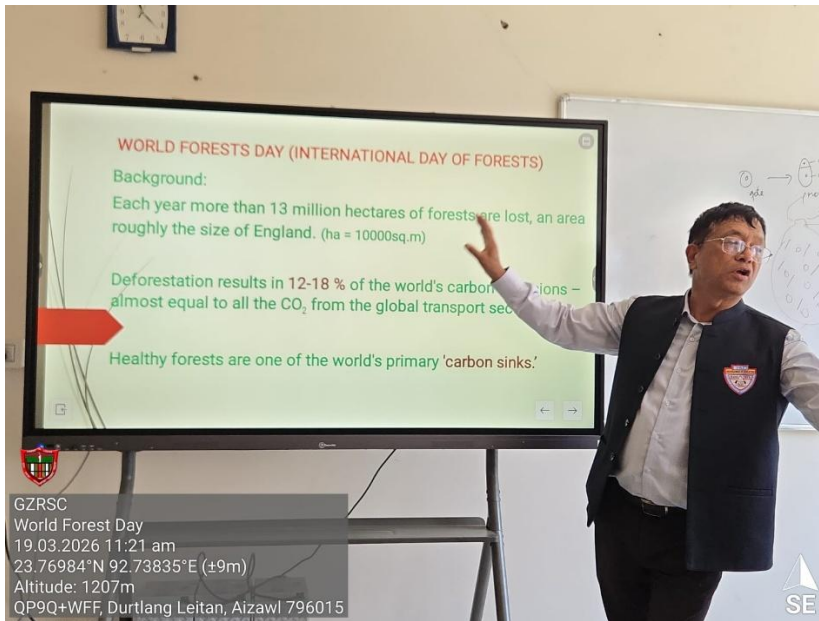
Shifting cultivation

III. Activity Picture:





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World Forest Day
19.03.2026 11:18 am
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World Forest Day
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