



**NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME
TEZPUR UNIVERSITY, ASSAM-784028**



EVENT- GANDAGI MUKTA BHARAT

DATE- 18/08/2020

PLATFORM- ONLINE

NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPANTS- 355



NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME TEZPUR UNIVERSITY, ASSAM-784028



Cleanliness refers to the art of keeping our body, mind, house, work area, and surroundings clean. We can divide cleanliness into various types such as cleaning clothes, cleaning streets, clean surroundings, clean homes, and personal cleanliness. We should make cleanliness our habit because the cleanliness of our surroundings, environment, and self is essential for social and intellectual health. We should never compromise with cleanliness. Cleanliness is not others' responsibility. It is our responsibility.

The NSS cell of Tezpur university held the 'Gandagi Mukt Bharat' event on the 18th of August, 2020 to make its volunteers aware of the importance of a clean surrounding in our lives. 315 volunteers participated in the event. The volunteers had to clean their homes, clean any surrounding building, *shramdaan* in any nearby building work like helping masons or painters or sweepers, planting saplings, clean nearby streets, etc. The volunteers had to send in photographs of them helping in any of such cleanliness work. The event was conducted under the guidance of the Program Coordinator of NSS Dr. Amiya Kumar Das.

Few glimpses of the event:



This event was conducted keeping in view and to promote the mantra of '*Na Zindagi karenge, Na karne denge.*' A clean surrounding leads to a clear heart and a clear heart leads to a pure soul. Cleanliness is next to Godliness. Clean surroundings help us to be healthy and sound. It's our foremost duty to keep our environment clean and healthy. We can do so by actively participating more in such cleanliness drives in our locality or home and the drives like Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.