

# **Exposure Visits To The Assam Legislative Assembly**

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## **Benefits (Exposure Visits To The Assam Legislative Assembly)**

- 1.
- Practical Exposure: Students gain practical experience by visiting the Assam Legislative Assembly and witnessing the legislative sessions, debates, and bill discussions.
- 2.
- Interaction: Students have the opportunity to interact with dignitaries such as the Hon'ble Speaker, Chief Minister, Ministers, MLAs, and senior officials.
- 3.
- Understanding of Governance: The scheme helps students understand the functioning of the State Legislative Assembly and the legislative process.
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## **Eligibility (Exposure Visits To The Assam Legislative Assembly)**

- 1.
- Educational Institutions: High/Higher Secondary Schools and colleges within Assam are considered for participation.
- 2.

- Subjects/Streams: Students from related subjects such as Political Science, Economics, etc., within the Arts/Humanities streams in colleges/higher secondary schools, and social sciences in secondary schools are preferred.
- 3.
- Selection: Students showing good academic performance and enthusiastic participation in extracurricular activities like debating competitions, student activities, mock parliament, etc., may be selected.
- 4.
- Batch Size: The total number of students in one batch should not exceed 50.
- 5.
- Voluntary Participation: Student participation in the visit is voluntary, and only willing students should be selected.
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### **Application Process (Exposure Visits To The Assam Legislative Assembly)**

- 1.
- The selection of educational institutions and students is done in consultation with the respective District Collectors (DCs)/Inspectors of Schools.
- 2.
- Invitations are issued to the Heads of educational institutions with due approval from the Hon'ble Minister, Parliamentary Affairs.
- 3.
- Recommendations from dignitaries like the Hon'ble CM, Ministers, Speaker, Dy. Speaker, MLAs, MPs, etc., are considered for extending invitations.
- 4.
- The participating institutions inform the students about the visit and the code of conduct to be followed.
- 5.
- Transportation arrangements to and from the Assembly and around Guwahati city are made by the Assam State Transport Corporation (ASTC).
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### **Documents Required (Exposure Visits To The Assam Legislative Assembly)**

- 1. Identity cards of participating students. 2. List of participating students provided to the Assembly Secretariat for the issuance of passes. 3. Brief write-up (not exceeding one page per student) summarizing their experience and feedback within a week. ■