

Man jumped to death in Gaurang River pond



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It is a sensational and rare incident took place that a resident of Ward No. [2](#) in Kokrajhar town, Bikash Kar, 22-years-old was [found](#) jumped to death in nearby Gaurang River pond due to family quarrel, whose body was recovered this morning around 9 am in Kokrajhar.

According to Anil Kar, [father](#) of Bikash, a family quarrel was occurred in their family on Tuesday night and then he ran away to the Gaurang River pond side where he jumped and went missing till yesterday, but today his body was recovered. The incident took place around [10.30](#) pm on Tuesday and immediately searching was conducted to fish out, traced was not reached till last night. He had followed his son Bikash after quarrel, but could not protect him and since then his son remained under water. Local peoples along the pond told that villager and police have been conducted search to fish out since after incident, but today recovered body after his body come out of the water on the pond. Police said that police administration also searched to fish out repeatedly after getting information about incident and today recovered his body from the pond.

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KOKRAJHAR, September 22, 2026 — The All Bodo Students' Union (ABSU) on Tuesday burnt copies of a book titled *Hamkoshar Parishista* during protests held at several locations across Assam, including Gauhati University, objecting to what it described as the use of the Assamese script to represent the Bodo language.

Hamkoshar Parishista is a multilingual appendix containing learning resources for indigenous languages of Assam, including Bodo, Rabha, Mising and Karbi.

During the protests, ABSU members alleged that Bodo has been represented in the publication using the Assamese script instead of Devanagari, the script used for Bodo.

The organisation asserted that Bodo is recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution of India and is an Associate Official Language of Assam. ABSU demanded that Bodo be represented in its recognised script in educational and learning resources.

ABSU president Khwrrwmdao Wary said the use of the Assamese script to represent Bodo in the publication was disrespectful to the Bodo language and literature.

He said Bodo is an Associate Official Language of Assam and a language recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution.

Wary demanded the immediate withdrawal of the publication in its present form and called for the use of the Devanagari script for Bodo in the book.



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