

Shocking indeed: Gogoi in Narayanguri



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Chief minister Tarun Gogoi on Monday found it very shocking when he visited the Narayanguri in Baksa where armed miscreants killed at least 20 people a couple of days back.

Gogoi arrived in Narayanbari area at 11 in the morning by a helicopter and interacted with the victims' family members one by one.

The refugees, mostly, broke down in tears when they narrated the nightmare before the chief minister in the refugee camps.

He exclusively talked to three children who lost their parents at the hands of the miscreants in full view of them. "Its very shocking," told the chief minister to Dr Nazrul Islam and Rockybul Hussain.

Three of the refugees named forest officer Rajen Boro who was involved in the massacre. All they demanded arrest of Hagrama Mohilary, Khampha Borgayari and Pramila Rani Brahma alleging their direct involvement in the carnage.

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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 Khwrmmdao 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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