

Student unfurls flag in Kokrajhar



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A Government school in Kokrajhar set a record on Monday when a girl [student](#) hoisted the tricolor in presence of her teacher and class mates on the occasion of the 70th Independence Day.

She was none other than Nabajyoti Basumatary, who acting on the advice of the teachers unfurled the flag before singing the national anthem. The school along with many others across the country received the instruction from the Government.

Talking to Assam Times, the teachers said, "this time our school witnessed that national flag was hoisted by a [student](#) under advice from government. We celebrate the day with befitting manner where teacher and students participated and enjoyed national freedom moment."

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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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