

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**Dipsur, November 25:** Chief Minister SarbanandaSonowal has asked the respective university in Assam to incorporate National Service Scheme (NSS) in their curriculum to help the students in developing a sense of serving the nation and participation in national reconstruction by providing creative outlet of their energies through NSS.

Chairing a meeting of NSS at the conference room of his office in Janata Bhawan today, Chief Minister Sonowal said that an exposure to the ethos of NSS would enable the knowledge seekers right from their college and university days to inculcate social responsibility in them.

Taking a keen view of how NSS has been rendering its services through its volunteers in State, Chief Minister Sonowal said that incorporating NSS into the university curriculum as elective, core or skill based course would provide a learning platform to the students as the universities would be able to provide a student-centric approach for the students to learn or acquire higher education.

Chief Minister Sonowal also stressed on the need of preparing a broad road map for the NSS to perform its activities in the state. He also asked the concerned functionary for holding three state-level NSS convention, one each in Upper Assam, Lower Assam and Barak Valley. Sonowal also said that considering the all-important activities undertaken