

Name of the Event: Local excursion to Karigori Bhawan and adjoining area, Newtown

Organised by: Department of Botany

Date of Visit: 25th August 2026

Time: 10.00 a.m.

Venue: Karigori Bhawan and adjoining area, Newtown

Number of participants: 30 students of Semester II and Sem VII, Department of Botany

Teachers: 3

Laboratory attendant: 1

Description of the Event: A local excursion was organized for the students of Semester II and Semester VII, Department of Botany, as a part of their practical and field-based learning. During the excursion, the students collected specimens of different plant species belonging to various families. They observed the habit, habitat, root, stem, leaf, inflorescence, flower, fruit, and other characteristic features of the local flora. The students also noted important diagnostic characters that helped them identify the respective plant families and species. They have collected representative specimens for further study and preparation of herbarium materials.

The students also studied the distribution and composition local vegetation following quadrat method to determine the frequency, density, and abundance of plant species. The excursion provided valuable practical knowledge about local flora, phytogeography, and quantitative vegetation analysis and helped us relate theoretical concepts of plant ecology with field observations.

Outcome: The excursion helped the students develop practical skills in plant identification, field observation, specimen collection, and documentation. The excursion provided valuable practical knowledge about local flora, phytogeography, and quantitative vegetation analysis and helped the students relate theoretical concepts of plant ecology with field observations.

