## A STUDY ON VIEWS OF UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL STUDENTS TOWARDS THE FOUR YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME SPECIAL REFERENCE TO KAMARGAON COLLEGE, GOLAGHAT

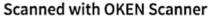
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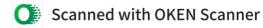
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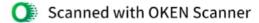
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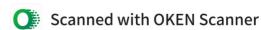
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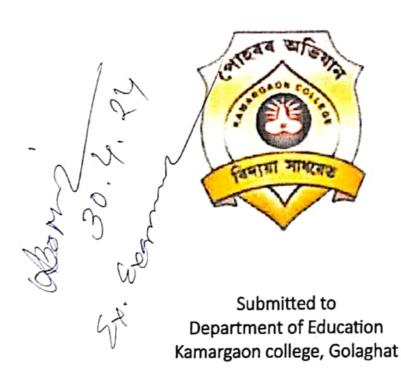
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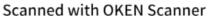
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#### SYLLABUS OF THE UG PROGRAMME IN EDUCATION DIBRUGARH UNIVERSITY B.A. IN EDUCATION (HONOURS)

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Expected Learning Outcome: After completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- 1. explain the process of conducting a Project.
- 2. identify the problems for Educational Project.
- 3. solve problems faced in educational field through project.
- 4. prepare a project report.

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	1.2 Characteristic of a good project			ш	
	1.3 Steps of conducting a project			ш	
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	Formulation of Objective			ш	
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	Selection of Sample			ш	
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	<ul> <li>Analysis and interpretation of data</li> </ul>			ш	
	Report Writing			ш	
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#### End-Semester Assessment:

The end-semester assessment will be based on the project report and viva voce. The assessment will be carried out by a team of examiners consisting of at-least one external examiner and one internal examiner. The distribution of marks will be as follows:

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#### Suggested Readings:

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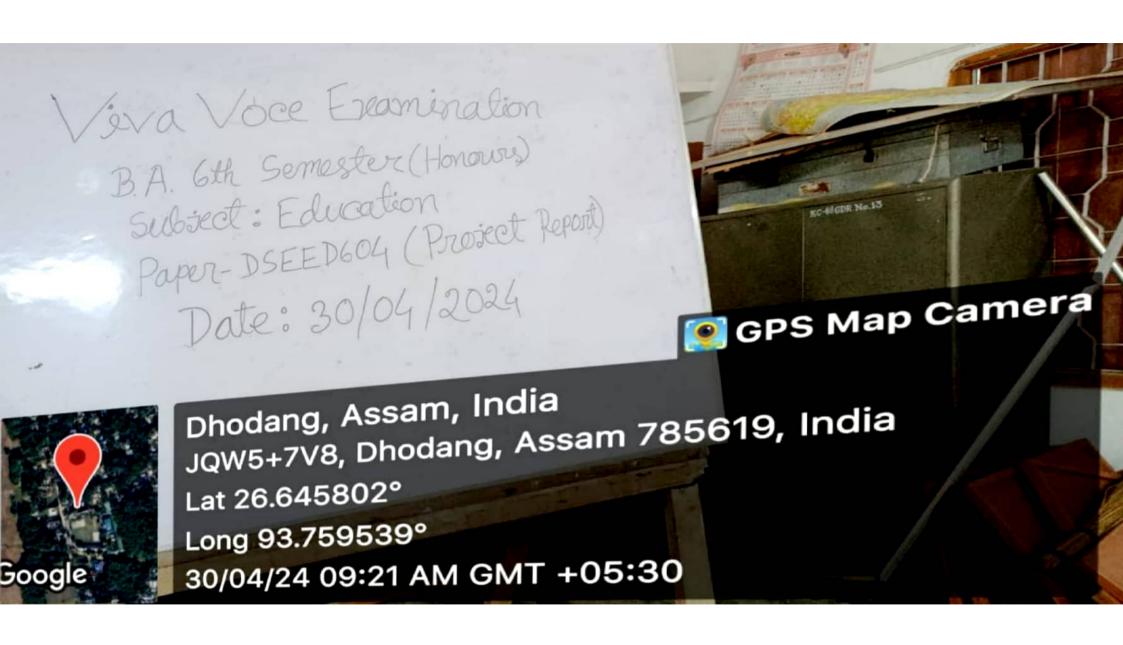
















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# FIELD SURVEY REPORT ON QUALITY OF CHILD CARE SERVICES AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT ISSUES AT THE CHILD CARE HOME IN BOKAKHAT



# FIELD STUDY CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, KAMARGAON COLLEGE

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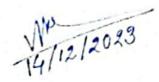
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## **OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY**

- 1. To assess the availability and quality of child care services in Bokaakhat.
- 2. To understand the socio-economic background of the families utilizing these services.
- 3. To evaluate the impact of these centre on child development
- 4. To identify the challenges faced by child care centre in providing quality services.

## **ABSTRACT**

The study, conducted by the Department of Sociology at Kamargaon College on 14th November 2023, focuses on evaluating child care centre in Bokakhat, a semi-urban area in Assam. The primary objectives were to assess the quality of child care services, evaluate the impact on child development etc. The study employed a mixed-method approach, including Interviews, Direct Observation, and Focus group discussions. The research revealed a significant disparity in the quality of child care services provided across different centres. While some centres were well-equipped with trained staff and adequate facilities, others lacked basic amenities such as proper sanitation, clean drinking water, and educational materials. The high teacher-to-child ratio in many centres resulted in insufficient attention to individual children, affecting their overall development.

Children attending better-equipped centres demonstrated positive cognitive, social, and emotional development, while those in less resourced centres showed lower levels of engagement and progress. Parental involvement was generally positive, with many expressing satisfaction with the availability of child services. However, concerns were raised about the safety, hygiene, and lack of developmental activities in some centres. The study identified key challenges faced by the child care centre, including financial constraints, lack of government support, and difficulties in retaining trained staff due to low salaries and limited professional development opportunities.

The findings highlight the urgent need for government intervention to standardize and improve the quality of child care services in Bokakhat. Recommendations include infrastructure development, capacity building for staff, and increased community awareness about the importance of quality child care in early childhood development. This study aims to contribute to the enhancement of child care services, ultimately improving the well-being and development of children in the region.

## INTRODUCTION

Child care centre play a crucial role in early childhood development, providing essential services that support both children and their families. In regions like Bokakhat, a semi-urban area in Assam, these centres are particularly important due to the socio-economic dynamics that often necessitate both parents working outside the home. Despite the critical role of child care centre, there is a significant variability in the quality and accessibility of these services, which can have profound implications on the development of children and well-being of families.

The Department of Sociology at Kamargaon College undertook a field study on 14th November 2023 to explore the state of child care centre in Bokakhat. The study was motivated by the need to understand how these centres function, the challenges they serve. Bokakhat, with its mix of rural and urban characteristics, provides a unique context for this study, offering insights into the broader issues faced by child care centre in similar semi-urban settings across India.

The objectives of this study were multifaceted. First, it aimed to assess the availability and quality of child care services in Bokakhat, examining how well these centres are equipped to understand the socio-economic background of the families who rely on these services, as this often influences the type of care they centre on the cognitive, social, and emotional development of children, which are study aimed to identify the challenges faced by child care providers, including financial, infrastructural, and human resource constraints.

## **METHODOLOGY**

The field study on child care centre in Bokakhat was conducted using a mixed-method approach, incorporating both qualitative and quantitative research techniques to ensure a comprehensive understanding of the subject.

Survey: The survey focused on gathering data about the socio-economic background of families, their satisfaction with the services, and their perceptions of the impact on their children's development.

Interviews: In-depth interviews were conducted with key stakeholders, including the administrators, teachers, and support staff at the child care centre. These interviews aimed to uncover the operational challenges faced by the centres, as well as the strategies they employ to manage these challenges.

Observation: Direct observation was employed to assess the physical environment of the child care centre, including infrastructure, safety standards, and the daily activities provided for children. Observations were also made on the interactions between staff and children to evaluate the quality of care.

Focus Group Discussions: FGDs were conducted with the administrations, teachers, and also with the support stuff to know about their experiences and concerns regarding the child care services. This method provided deeper insights into community perceptions and the social dynamics influenching child care choices.

These combined methodologies provided a well-rounded perspective on the state care services in Bokakhat.

strides toward ensuring that all children have access to the nurturing, supportive environments they need to thrive.

The path forward requires concerted effort, sustained commitment, and a focus on collaboration. By taking these steps, Bokakhat can create a more equitable and supportive environment for its youngest residents, fostering their development and contributing to the long-term well-being of the community as a whole.

## SOME PICTURES OF THE FIELD STUDY IN CHILD CARE CENTRE IN BOKAKHAT



1. A GROUP PICTURES WITH THE PROFESSORES, STUDENTS AND STUFFS IN THE CHILD CARE CENTRE



2. PICTURE OF A DROWING COMPITION AMONG THE CHILDREN IN THE CHILD CARE CENTRE



3. PICTURE OF A EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIER AMONG THE CHILDREN IN THE CHILD CARE CENTRE

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Responsibility: NGOs, task force, child care providers.

### 10. Strengthen Government Support and Oversight:

Action: Advocate for policy reforms that increase government support for child care centre, including financial assistance, technical support, and more stringent regulatory oversight. Work with government officials to draft and implement these policies.

Timeline: Policy reform initiatives launched within 6-12 months.

Responsibility: Task force, government agencies, advocacy groups.

#### **Monitoring and Evaluation:**

Action: Develop a robust monitoring and evaluation framework to track the progress of these initiatives, measure outcomes, and make necessary adjustments. Conduct periodic assessments and report findings to stakeholders.

Timeline: Ongoing, with quarterly reviews.

Responsibility: Task force, independent evaluators, government agencies.

By following this detailed implementation plan, the recommendations can be systematically introduced, leading to significant improvements in the quality of child care services in Bokakhat. This coordinated effort will require ongoing collaboration, adequate resources, and a commitment to sustaining progress over time.

## Conclusion

The field study on child centres centre in Bokakhat has illuminated the critical role these centres play in the early development of children and the challenges they face in delivering quality services. The study's findings highlight significant disparities in the availability and quality of care, largely driven by financial constraints, infrastructural deficiencies, and a shortage of trained staff. These issues are compounded by a lack of government regulation and community awareness, which further exacerbates the challenges faced by child care providers.

However, the study also underscores the potential for positive change. By implementing targeted recommendations such as increasing financial support, improving infrastructure, enhancing staff training, and establishing quality standards, it is possible to elevate the overall quality of child care services in Bokakhat. The involvement of various stakeholders, including government bodies, NGOs, private sector partners, and the community, is essential to ensure the successful implementation of these recommendations.

Improving child care services is not just a matter of providing better facilities or more trained staff; it is about investing in the future of the children in Bokakhat. Quality early childhood education and care lay the foundation for lifelong learning, social skills, and emotional well-being. By addressing the challenges identified in this study, Bokakhat can make significant

Timeline: Curriculum development within 3 months, training programs initiated within 4-6 months.

Responsibility: Task force, educational institutions, NGOs.

## 5. Implement Quality Standards:

Action: Draft and disseminate quality guidelines for child care centre, including teacher-to-child ratios, health and safety standards, and educational program requirements. Establish a regular inspection and monitoring system to ensure compliance.

Timeline: Guidelines developed within 3 months, monitoring system operational within 6 months.

Responsibility: Government regulatory bodies, task force.

## 6. Community Awareness Campaign:

Action: Launch an awareness campaign to educate parents and the broader community on the importance of quality child care. Use local media, community meetings, and workshops to disseminate information.

Timeline: Campaign launched within 2 months.

Responsibility: Task force, local media, community organizations.

#### 7. Foster Parental Involvement:

Action: Create opportunities for parents to participate in child care activities, such as regular parent-teacher meetings, workshops on child development, and volunteer opportunities at centre.

Timeline: Initiate parental involvement programs within 3 months.

Responsibility: Child care centre, community organizations.

## 8. Develop Public-Private Partnerships:

Action: Engage with local businesses and private sector partners to support child care centre through donations, sponsorships, and volunteer programs. Establish formal agreements to ensure long-term commitment.

Timeline: Partnerships established within 6 months.

Responsibility: Task force, local business associations.

#### 9. Create Support Networks:

Action: Facilitate the formation of a network or association for child care providers to share resources, knowledge, and best practices. Organize regular meetings and create an online platform for collaboration.

Timeline: Network established within 4 months.



