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Name of the Institute: ICAR-Directorate of Coldwater Fisheries Research, Bhimtal

Name of Activity: Awareness on utilization of organic wastes/ generation of wealth from wastes in nearby school in Bhimtal

A programme on creating awareness on utilization of organic wastes, generation of wealth from wastes was organized in the **Government Primary School, Vinayak Road, Gorakhpur, Bhimtal** by the staff of the institute including job contract staff. An interaction with the students was held and they were brief about the generation of wealth from the wastes. Awareness created on segregation of organic and inorganic wastes. They were made aware on making of compost manure out of their kitchen and home wastes, which in turn can be utilized in their kitchen gardens and if generated in big quantity, can be utilized in agriculture. They were briefed on the harmful use of plastic wastes, which is entirely non-biodegradable. The hazardous of single use plastic was also informed and how we can avoid single use plastic.

An interaction with the students was organized by putting a number of questions related to the environment and nature and they have answered very well to all the questions.

The Head of the school alongwith the teachers also took part in the programme with keenness.

