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Mamata Banerjee in Burdwan on Friday.

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Mamata sops for Bankura

BURDWAN: Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee on Friday promised all-round development of Bankura district, saying an eco-tourism park would be set up in the district and announced online availability of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe certificates. Speaking at the inauguration of Trans Damodar Thermal Mining Project here, she also announced five modern high schools for Bankura and allotment of 100 scholarships to meritorious students. She distributed some of them at the

function.

She also declared allotment of six lakh Kisan Credit Cards by which farmers can get a benefit of Rs 50,000 as loan from banks. She distributed some of them.

She distributed land deeds (patta) and forest deeds among people under the Nija Griha Nija Bhumi (Own House Own Land) scheme.

In Purulia district, Banerjee inaugurated the thrice-weekly Purulia-Vellupuram super fast train

from Purulia station.

Railway Minister Mukul Roy present at the function said soon a Howrah-Bankura train service in the morning

would be started.

Banerjee inaugurated a urban haat (market) at Durgapur in Burdwan district, which has been set up on five acres of land and has around 400 stalls and a food court.

Banerjee also laid the foundation stone of a private medical college in IQ city.

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