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Farmers hold meeting with Sadhguru

Coimbatore: Around 100 farmers and representatives from farmer organisations from across the state met at the Isha Yoga Center, Velliangiri, on Thursday and discussed about various ways to save the country's rivers and secure farming practices.

The farmers met with **Sadhguru Jaggi Vasudev** and discussed methods to ensure soil and water are being used sustainably so that food and water security is achieved, a release from the centre said. The farmers also discussed measures to increase farmers' incomes, improve agricultural productivity, organic farming, and to strengthen the market position of farmers.

The release quoted Sadhguru as saying farmers represented 65% of the state's population and own 40% of the land. "If farmers come together, they are bigger than any industry or corporation in the country," he said. If farmers became united, they will not only become more productive but also more effective in marketing their produce." TNN