

Police-students clash in DU

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A brief clash between the police and a group of students occurred on Dhaka University campus following the assault of two Chhatra Shibir activists who came to the campus to collect admission forms for first year honours' class on Saturday.

Police lobbed three rounds of tear-gas shell and the students pelted bricks in encounter. The assaulted youths were identified as A.B.M. Shafiqul Islam and Mamoon. Both of

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then are the activists of Islami Chhatra Shibir:

Witnesses said, some youths picked up Shafiqul Islam and Mamoon separately from in front of TSC Janata Bank and beat them taking inside the TSC.

Police rushed to the spot and rescued them. After a few minutes of the incident, police captured a youth in connection with the incident but he was snatched by some students. At this stage, police chased the students and resorted to lathicharge while the students encountered by pelting bricks.

Police lobbed teargas shell to disperse the students.

The situation became normal after the intervention of some student leaders.

Meanwhile, no classes were held in Dhaka University on Saturday due to the strike called by a group of students in protest against the death of a student and alleged negligence of duty of the DMCH doctors.