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### PM tells teachers

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Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina on Monday said a nation can't achieve its real progress and development without being educated, reports UNB.

"You are the prime tools for making the nation educated" she told the leaders of Bangladesh Primary Teachers' Association at her office in Dhaka.

A 20-member delegation led by its President Prof Abul Kalam Azad and General Secretary A K Fazlul Haq met the Prime Minister and discussed various problems of the primary teachers.

The Prime Minister said despite resource constraint, the government increased the salary of the Primary teachers and placed them under national pay scale.

She emphasised the need for training of the teachers for their professional improvement.

The main problem of the nation is poverty and the main reason of poverty is illiteracy, she said adding that with the spread of the education the country's unemployment problems will be solved.