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No classes held in DU

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The classes of Dhaka University were not held on Tuesday as Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD), the student wing of the main Opposition BNP, called a general strike in the university campus on the day.

The classes, however, were suspended upto 12 noon for Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina's visit to the campus to inaugurate the "Bangabandhu Chair" in Dhaka University.

The strike was observed peacefully in and around the campus, but five university buses were attacked allegedly by the JCD activists outside the campus.

The Central Library of the university, most of the departmental offices, and offices in the Registrar Building however, remained open despite the strike.

Unlike other strikes, the gates of the university remained open during Tuesday's strike.