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Education Week begins today

Govt gives top priority to primary education

The National Primary Education Week '95 will begin from today (Saturday) reports BSS.

The week will be observed through various programmes which include seminars, rallies and competition. Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia will distribute prizes and certificates to the primary teachers, officials, educational personalities and winners of children in various competition and monetary awards to the best primary schools on June 7. The function will be held at the Osmany Memorial Hall.

BISWAS

UNB message adds; President Abdur Rahman Biswas Friday made a call to take initiatives for enlightening all children with the light of education to ensure national progress and welfare of society.

In a message on the eve of the National Education Week begins today (Saturday), the President said "We know children are the future of the nation and it is the duty of all to infuse interest among the children for education from the very outset

of the curriculum."

He said the present democratic government has made primary education compulsory and taken a massive programme, including, Food for Education, to bring all children under the network of primary education.

"Education masses are the asset of a country," President Biswas said adding, that the rich nations achieved their development by utilizing the educated manpower.

Terming primary education as a step towards motivating for a greater life, the President said education not only ensures welfare of a person but also improves one's surrounding environment.

The President urged all concerned, especially the teachers, to come forward for the successful implementation of the programme.

KHALEDA

Another message says: Prime Minister Begum Khaleda Zia said that primary education is the foundation of all education

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and called upon all to make the education for all programme a social movement.

On the eve of the "National Primary Education Week," begins today (Saturday), the Prime Minister in a message said. Development of human resources is only possible when the primary education can be established on a firm footing in line with the social need."

"We are committed to implement the pledges made in the constitution and international arena to ensure education for each and every citizen of the country," she affirmed.

The Prime Minister said government has attached top priority to primary education and steps were taken to improve the quality of education.

"We are heading towards achieving the goal by taking realistic programme in this regard", she said. But the achievement depends on the sincere, spontaneous and laborious efforts of all associated with the programme, Begum Zia added.

The Prime Minister called upon all, irrespective of party affiliation and opinion, to take united efforts to illuminate the light of education to every house of the country.