

Hunger strike observed 'Allow 132 students to appear at exams'

Guardians of 132 HSC examinees of Motijheel Model High School & College on completion of day-long hunger strike yesterday demanding their children be allowed to appear at the HSC examination beginning April 27 announced a fresh programme, reports UNB.

They said that the girls are regular students of the college and duly paid fees for the examination. If there was any lapse, it was the fault of the college administration for which the poor students must not suffer.

The guardians after a hunger strike at Muktangan announced a fresh programme that included demonstration at the same venue folding eyes with black cloth and white khata in hand and burning effigy of college principal A M M Talibur Rahman on April 15, student-guardian strike in the college

on April 17 and a call on the Prime Minister at her office on April 18.

Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal, Bangladesh Chhatra Union, Bangladesh Chhatra Federation, Ganatantrik Chhatra Oikya and some other socio-cultural organisations expressed solidarity with their demand.

Earlier, they submitted a memorandum to the Prime Minister and Education Minister on Sunday demanding that their children be allowed to appear at the ensuing examination.

They also filed a case against the college authorities. Abdul Matin, former Principal of the college, in a press release on Monday blamed the incumbent principal for the situation.