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168 schools awarded under Connecting Classrooms programme

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Some 168 schools received the International School Award under Connecting Classrooms programme of the British Council for their outstanding performances in the academic years of 2018-2021.

The British Council distributed crests and certificates among the school representatives at a ceremony held at a Dhaka hotel on Wednesday.

Deputy education minister Mohibul Hassan Chowdhury attended the programme as the chief guest with British Council's Education and English programme director David Maynard chaired the programme.

Mohibul Hassan said, 'We need to build our children imparting quality education and the world class education with the changing demand of technology and globalisation.'

David Maynard said Connecting Classrooms was a partnership journey between schools to schools, teachers to teachers and students to students. It defines the shared activities of the schools on different learning issues based on curriculum, he added.

British Council project manager, schools, Nusrat Jahan Milki moderated the session.

Around 3,000 schools from across the country were registered with the Connecting Classrooms programme of British Council Bangladesh.

The organisation offers trainings and online courses for teachers on different educational programmes, including professional skills development and teaching capability.

Around 400 teachers, education officials, policy makers and experts took part in the programme, which ended through a cultural show performed by the students of Narayanganj Government Girls' High School.



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