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World Literacy Day today

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International Literacy Day will be observed today. Different socio-cultural organisations have chalked out programmes to observe the day.

The national association of UNESCO in Bangladesh has arranged a discussion meeting in cooperation with the United Nations Information Centre, at UNIC centre in the city at 4 pm today.

Work Minister Mostafa Jamal Hyder will attend the discussion meeting as chief guest while Mr Saiful Bari, Chairman, National Broadcasting Authority, and Mr Earling Desau, Director, UNIC and Resident Representative, UNDP, will be present as special guests.

International Task Force on Literacy, Bangladesh, will bring out a literacy procession at 7.30 p.m. from Dhanmondi.

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ground. The procession will end in front of National Press Club. It will hold a seminar on International Literacy Day at 10 a.m. at Dhaka Ahsania Mission where it will hold another seminar at 4 p.m. on the role of women in spreading literacy.

Sramajibi Samaj Kalyan Sangsad will hold a seminar at 10 a.m. at Khilgaon Government Primary School.

In observance of International Literacy Day, the United Nations Association of Bangladesh (UNAB) will hold a discussion meeting on Saturday at 4 pm at Dr. Muhammad Shahidulla Adarsha School at Mirpur.