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## Healthy academic atmosphere on all campuses stressed

Staff Reporter

Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University Prof. Abdul Mannan has stressed the need for maintaining a healthy academic atmosphere in all the educational institutions.

Prof. Mannan was speaking as chief guest at an orientation programme of the freshers of Law and Economics Departments of DU at the Teacher-Student Centre yesterday.

Organised by the Students Guidance and Counselling Centre of the university, the function was addressed by, among others, Syed Maksud Ali, Dean of Social Science Faculty, Z I Choudhury, Dean of Law Faculty, Proctor Prof. Abdul Mannan Choudhury.

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Prof. Momtazuddin Ahmed and Dr. M. Ershadul Bari, Dr. Meherunnessa Choudhury, acting Director of the Centre, was in the chair.

The Vice-Chancellor said that classes and examinations were now being held normally at the university and the rules for distribution of seats at the residential halls were being strictly followed. The present normalcy on the DU campus would be maintained at any cost in the interest of the general students he added.

Prof. Mannan hoped that the freshers of the university would properly utilise the academic facilities at the DU and build themselves as worthy citizens of the country.

Meanwhile, addressing the freshers of Psychology department at the auditorium of Institute of Business Administration, Prof. Mannan advised the students to help bring an end to terrorism on the campus.

The function was chaired by Dr. Sultana Sarwat Ara Zaman and addressed by Dr. Sulana Banu, Mr. Serajul Islam Khan, Md Reazul Haq, Md Shamsul Alam and Abdul Quddus.