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Education System

Sir,

There are three systems of education prevailing in the country—Madrasa, English medium and Bengali medium. Madrasa students concentrate mainly on the teachings of the Quran and Sunnah. English medium students are pursuing education on the British pattern. Their aim is 'A-Level', to pursue higher studies abroad and most of them do that. Here most come from well-to-do families. The majority of the students mostly from the middle class follow Bengali medium, which is basically the British system of colonial education. Students studying abroad bring with them foreign culture. Thus there are three types of citizens in the offing in the country. Complexes are developing between groups as they do not have a common base. Further, economic disparity is widening between them. Where this will lead?

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