

Advance film appreciation course from Feb 1

The Film Institute and Archive, Ministry of Information, Broadcasting, Sports and Culture will start an advance film appreciation course from February 1, says an official announcement.

The advance course will be for a duration of six months and will consist of 12 main lectures each of 2 hours duration on aesthetics, art direction motion picture photography, screenplay and shooting script followed by 3 film criticisms classes and making of one 10 minutes film. The course includes research and practical guides to help the students. Finally thesis on film will be submitted by each student. Guest lecturers will also be invited to take the classes.

At the end of the course, written, practical and viva voce examination of 500 marks will be conducted and the successful students will be awarded certificates.

Mr Nur Mohammad Khan State Minister for Information, Broadcasting, Sports and Culture will open the course at 4 p.m. on Monday next. The function will be presided over by the Information Secretary Mr Khorshed Alam and Mr Obaidul Huq, Editor, Bangladesh Observer will attend as a special guest.

Students admitted to the course have been requested to be present at 3-30 p.m. on February 1 at the Archive's Auditorium.