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1000 SSC examinees expelled on Saturday

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About 1,000 Secondary School Certificate (SSC) examinees were expelled from different centres under four education boards of the country on Saturday for adopting unfair means in the examination.

The examination of English Second Paper was held on Saturday. The SSC examination began on May 2.

The board-wise break up of the expulsion figure was not available excepting Dhaka Board.

A total of 287 examinees were expelled from different centres of Dhaka Board.

Four were expelled in Dhaka city, two in Dhaka District, 14 in Gazipur, 9 in Narayanganj, 24 in Narsingdi, 12

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in Munshigonj, 16 in Manikgonj, 35 in Tangail, 11 in Faridpur, 15 in Madaripur, five in Shariatpur, nine in Rajbari, five in Gopalganj, 38 in Mymensingh, 14 in Kishoregonj, 36 in Netrakona, 20 in Jamalpur and 18 in Sherpur.

The control room set up in the Ministry of Education could not provide board-wise figures and it gave figures of 45 districts out of 66 and that was 830. The control room only gave the district-wise figure of Dhaka Board.

On Thursday, a total of 1,100 examinees were expelled for adopting unfair means in the English First Paper examinations.

The Central Teachers' Action Liaison committee will observe token hunger strike on May 11 across the country. The liaison committee has been on a strike since April 18 and is boycotting the examinations to press home its four-point demand.

The action committee leaders on Saturday called upon all teachers to participate in the token hunger strike. In Dhaka, teachers are requested to assemble at the Central Shaheed Minar to take part in the programme.

A meeting of district representatives of the liaison committee will be held on May 14 at the Teacher-Student Centre of the Dhaka University.