

6.64cr textbooks to be printed for pry students

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The government will print 6.64 crore copies of textbooks for the primary school students in 2004.

The decision was taken at a meeting yesterday with Prime Minister's Advisor on Primary and Mass Education Prof Jahanara Begum in the chair.

The meeting decided to supply 100 per cent new textbooks to all students of class one through class three and 50 per cent new books to the students of class four and

five.

Prof Jahanara Begum asked the officials to ensure that the students receive textbooks at the very beginning of the year.

He also asked them to strengthen the monitoring system to maintain quality in printing and binding of the books.

Officials of the Primary and Mass Education Ministry, Primary Education Directorate and National Curriculum and Textbook Board attended the meeting.