

10 hurt in Sylhet MC College BCL factional clash

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AT LEAST 10 Bangladesh Chhatra League activists were injured Tuesday in a factional clash on the Sylhet MC College campus.

The warring factions of the Awami League-backed student organisation also vandalised two motorbikes parked on the campus and five more in the adjoining areas, witnesses said.

One of the injured was admitted to Sylhet MAC Osmani Medical College Hospital in a critical condition, doctors said.

MC College sources said the BCL took out a procession on the campus at around 11:00am welcoming the freshmen.

After the procession, a group of supporters of suspended BCL Sylhet district unit president Pankaj Parakayastha locked horns with a rival group of BCL activists loyal to AL Sylhet district unit youth and sports affairs secretary Ranjit Sarker over dominance on the campus.

They used machetes, hockey sticks, and iron rods in the scuffle.