

RUET students boycott classes demanding seats in halls

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STUDENTS of Rajshahi University of Engineering and Technology on Monday boycotted classes, demanding seat allocation at the residential halls of the university.

Over two hundred students of all departments of the 10th batch boycotted their classes from 8:00am to 2:00pm.

They also staged a sit-in in front of the university administrative building from 8:00am to 10:00am.

Addressing the programme, they demanded that the authorities should allocate seats for them in

the halls on the campus as they felt insecure residing in private messes outside the campus.

They alleged that police harassed them at different times at the private hostels branding them as Shibir men.

The authorities did not allocate seats for them though many seats were vacant at the halls, they also alleged.

Contacted, RUET vice-chancellor Sirajul Karim Chowdhury told newsmen that he would take initiatives to allocate seats for the students in the residential dormitories soon.