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### Dr. Shahidullah, Ali Ahsan get award of Education Ministry

Education Ministry has awarded the country's two eminent educationists, Dr Mohammad Shahidullah (posthumously) and National Professor Syed Ali Ahsan, for their contributions to Bengali literature, reports UNB.

The awards, including certificates and medals, were given at a function at Bangla Academy in Dhaka on Monday.

Education Minister Dr Osman Faruk attended the programme organised by 'International Mother Language Institute Project' of the Education Ministry.

Speaking on the occasion, the minister said the nation would always remember the two educationists with great respect for their contributions to enriching the Bangla language and literature.

Chaired by Education Secretary Shahidul Alam, the function was addressed, among others, by State Minister for Cultural Affairs Begum Selima Rahman, Director of the project Dr Altaf Hossain and Prof Dr Abul Kalam Monzur Morshed.