

Non-govt teachers start six-day strike

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ABOUT five lakh teachers and employees of 28,000 non-government educational institutions all over the county on Saturday began their six-day strike to press home their 17-point charter of demands.

The strike has been called by the Bangladesh Teachers-Employees Oikya Parishad whose coordinator Kanjil Kumar Saha told New Age that the teachers have boycotted the classes and all termnal exams in private educational institutions.

The decision to go on a six-day strike was taken at a meeting of the Bangladesh Shikkhak Samity held at its central office on Topekhiana Road on Friday with its president Ajar Rahman in the chair.

Oikya Parishad's leaders that being enjoyed by those teachers will stage a grand rally in the capital on September 25, the meeting by September 25, the rally in the capital on September 30 and announce a fresh protest programme, he said.

Others, were present at the meeting. Their demands include quick implementation of the National Education Policy 2010, increase of house rent, medical and festival allowances, annual increment for the teachers and employees of non-government institutions equal to that being enjoyed by those teachers will stage a grand rally in the capital on September 25, the meeting by September 25, the rally in the capital on September 30 and announce a fresh protest programme, he said.

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