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Udayan teachers express regret at trimming full-sleeves of girls' school uniforms

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ADMINISTRATION of Udayan Higher Secondary School, Dhaka expressed their regret at the incident of cutting full-sleeves of the girls' uniform to half-sleeves.

Talking to reporters, the institution's principal Umme Salema Begum claimed that she was not informed properly before her deputy went for cutting the full-sleeves of the girls' uniform.

'I would not permit the vice-principal to do it,' she said.

However the vice-principal Mahbuba Khanam Kalpona responding to the show-cause notice of the authorities on May 25 expressed her sorrow with the students and guardians.

Salema said that the vice-principal was asked to show cause on May 23, the next day of the incident.

The administration also identified three more teachers of the institutions who allegedly cooperated Mahbuba for cutting the sleeves of the uniforms.

Mahbuba in her response said three teachers—KG Mostafa, Mehjabin Alam Chowdhury and Sufia Khatun helped her to force the students to maintain the dress code properly.

However, the dress code of the institution in the summer allows only half-sleeves of the uniforms not more than 10 inches for girl students.

Meanwhile, the guardians under the banner of 'Udayan Avivabok Parishad' formed a human chain in the morning demanding the removal of the principal and her deputy.