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SUST closed till June 25 amid flooding

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Shahjalal University of Science and Technology has been closed until June 25 as the flood situation has worsened in Sylhet.

The university authorities took the decision at an emergency syndicate meeting on Friday morning, considering the suffering of the teachers, students, and employees due to floods in the city and other parts of the district, SUST treasurer Md Anwarul Islam said.

He said that many parts of the university had been inundated due to heavy downpours and the onrush of hilly water.

Meanwhile, students from the dormitories are leaving the campus as they are facing severe problems, including power cuts and a crisis of drinking water.

However, the first-year admission test of the 'Cha' unit for the 2022-2023 sessions was held on Friday, braving the flood.

The overall flood situation has worsened in Sylhet, Sunamganj, and Moulvibazar as rivers continue to swell due to the onrush of hill water and heavy downpour for the last several days. Army troops have been deployed in Sylhet to tackle the situation.



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