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Training for primary teachers from May 5

Nearly one lakh sixtysix thousand and seven hundred primary school teachers will be oriented on the new curricula and syllabi under a massive training programme from May 5.

Sponsored by the Education Directorate with the financial assistance of the UNICEF, the training programme will be completed in four phases.

The training programme will be inaugurated by Mr. Abdul Baten Minister of State for Education at Bangladesh Education Extension and Research Institute (BEERI) where 202 trainer teacher will be imparted training in the first phase.

In the second phase of the training 36,700 head teachers of primary schools will be oriented at 47 Primary Teachers' Institutes (PTI) in the country from June 10 to 20.

Under the third phase which will begin from August 21 to conclude on September 18 five hundred fifty five field level supervisors like district education officers district inspector of schools subdivisional education officers and thana education officers will be oriented at the Academy for Fundamental Education Mymensingh.

The last phase of the programme will begin on September 20 to conclude on October 11 to orient 1,30,000 primary teachers at respective school level.

The training programme first of its kind in Bangladesh is expected to be of great help to the primary school teachers in the light of the newly introduced text books at the primary level.