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## Updating of BAU syllabi stressed

MYMENSINGH, Sept 18 (BSS) : Prof Dr A K M Zainul Haque, Vice-Chancellor, Agriculture University, on Saturday stressed the need for updating the curricula and syllabi of the University in the greater interest of agricultural education.

Elimination of malnutrition of the people by balanced diet through multidimensional research was necessary, he said.

The Vice-Chancellor was speaking at the inaugural function of a three-week workshop for the trainers of agricultural institutions in Bangladesh on "food and nutrition in agriculture" held at the BAU Zainul Abedin auditorium.

Dr S M Hasanuzzaman, Member, Planning Commission attended the workshop while the Vice-Chancellor presided over the inaugural function. Prof. Dr. Md. Hossain, Prof. Dr. Abdul Halim and Mr. Md. Amir Hossain spoke on the occasion.

Dr. Hasanuzzaman said, due to lack of fundamental knowledge the people in the country were suffering from malnutrition. BAU could play a vital role to gear up food production by removing problems in the agricultural fields, he added.

The workshop was sponsored by the Food and Agricultural Organisation (FAO). Twentyfive people are participating in the workshop.