

## SSC examination begins today

By A Staff Reporter

The Secondary School Certificate examinations 1980 begins today (Thursday) all over the country.

A total of 2,09,056 candidates will appear at the examinations under four Boards of Intermediate and Secondary Education (BISE) this year.

Under BISE, Dacca a total of 63,915 candidates will appear at the examinations at 104 centres. There will be two examination centres abroad this year—one at Washington and another at Algiers.

Of the total candidates under BISE, Dacca, about 48.5 thousand are male and 15.5 thousand are female. In Dacca city a total 11,276 candidates will appear at 32 sub centres under five zones.

About 53,200 candidates under Comilla Board 44,350 under Rajshahi Board and 47,500 under Jessore Board; will appear this year.

The theoretical part of the examinations is scheduled to be completed by April 3 next.