

IT course for high schools, colleges in Ctg soon

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CHITTAGONG, Mar 3 - Chittagong City Corporation (CCC) is learnt to have taken an initiative to insert computer course as compulsory one in the schools and colleges under its control soon. The initiative has been planned for making the secondary and higher secondary graduates fit to face the challenges of higher education by better exposing them to information technology and its applications.

Informed sources said that a decision had also been taken in this regard at the meeting of the board of governors of the Premier University (PU) that took place at the auditorium of the university yesterday.

Chairman of Board of Governors of the Premier University and Mayor of Chittagong City Corporation Alhaj ABM

Mohiuddin Chowdhury presided over the session while eminent scientist and Professor of Emeritus Jamal Nazrul Islam joined it as the chief guest. The computer course will initially be launched at city's 20 schools and the scheme will be extended to all other schools and colleges of city in phases.

Department of Computer Science and Engineering of the Premier University will supervise the program. The newly appointed Vice-Chancellor of Chittagong University (CU) Professor Abu Yusuf Alam, Vice-Chancellor of PU Professor Omupom Sen, Chief Education officer of CCC Professor Rowsan Akter Hamid and Deputy Registrar of PU Sheikh Mohammad Ibrahim among others were present the meeting.