



## Gunshots again rock DU campus

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Gunshots again rocked the Dhaka University campus over a trifle altercation between supporters of two factions of Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal (JCD) on Monday.

Witnesses said a group of JCD cadres led by Santu of Soil Water and Environment Department beat up three students - Reza, Rana and Liton - of Geology Department and fired several rounds of gunshots to establish supremacy at the Science Cafeteria at about 1:30 pm following an altercation.

JCD sources said Santu was backed by the Imran group of Shahidullah Hall unit JCD and the others were related to Jahangir group of the same hall.

Later police arrested Santu, Masad and Manju—all belonging to Imran faction—for their involvement in the firing incident.

Earlier on Sunday night Santu threatened Reza not to gossip at the Science Cafeteria with his friends as his friends had connections with Jahangir group.

Talking to this correspondent both Imran and Jahangir, president and general secretary of the Shahidullah Hall unit JCD, denied their involvement with the incident.

"The incident took place as a sequel to simple departmental enmity," said Imran. But Jahangir added that the incident was given a political colour by some outsiders.