

O Level, A Level exams in time: British Council

BC to resume normal services soon

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CAMBRIDGE International Examinations and Pearson Edexcel, widely known as O Level and A Level exams, will take place in time, as scheduled, British Council said amid guardians' concern over uncertainty of the exams.

British Council in a press statement on Saturday said they would like to assure their partner English medium schools, parents and all O Level and A Level candidates (Cambridge International Examinations and Pearson Edexcel) that the exams would take place on time, as scheduled.

The uncertainty loomed after the British Council temporarily closed its offices in Bangladesh in order to review their security procedures on July 27.

A number of guardians of English medium schools had expressed concern over if the exam would be held and said they had heard rumours that the exam centre would be shifted to other neighboring countries.

Besides, a number of candidates and would-be candidates of The International English Language Testing System, or IELTS, are concerned over results of their tests and possible date of tests.

The British Council offices remain temporarily closed in Bangladesh. However they are running their operations remotely and plan to continue all operations and services across the country. They hope to reopen offices and resume normal services as soon as possible, the statement said.

The registration deadline for the Cambridge International Examinations in November 2016 session has been extended to 10 August.

School candidates are requested to contact their school for a unique school candidate registration link. Private candidates can apply through the website www.britishcouncil.org.bd. This is for all the candidates from Dhaka, Chittagong, Sylhet, Dinajpur, Rajshahi, and Khulna, the statement said.