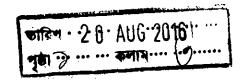
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Over half of GPA\\achievers from Dhaka board

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MORE than half of the scorers of highest Grade Point Average 5 in 2016 Higher Secondary Certificate exam are from the Dhaka education board.

The number of GPA 5 scorers from the board has kept rising for the past five years as shown document provided by the board.

This year 57.42 per cent of

the total GPA 5 scorers are from the board, which kept rising from 48.77 per cent in 2012.

Educationists have attributed this to comparatively better educational infrastructure such as library and laboratory facilities, well-trained and better qualified teachers, huge spending by the guardians and proper guidance of teachers and parents.

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Islam Nahid said meritorious students from all over the country come to the capital to study in the colleges of their choice. 'Quality of teaching, overall environ-ment of education is good in the colleges of Dhaka, so many of the GPA 5 achievers are from Dhaka board,' he said.

The number of students under Dhaka education board is also bigger that of that of others boards; it is also a reason for so many GPA 5 scorers from the board, he explained.

About 10.07 lakh stu-

dents appeared in the HSC board in 2014. exams this year from eight general educations boards and 7.29 lakh passed the exam. Officials said that 33 per cent of the total examinees took the exam under the Dhaka board.

Results published on Thursday show 28,110 or 57.42 per cent of 48,950 students who have achieved the GPA 5 are from Dhaka board.

Past year, 18,893 or 54.41 per cent of the total 34,721 GPA 5 scorers were from Dhaka board and 31,902 or 55.20 per cent out of total 57,789 were from same

In 2013, a total of 22,347 or 47.79 out of total 46,756 and 25,104 or 48.77 per cent out of 51,469 GPA 5 achievers were from Dhaka board in 2012.

Rajuk Uttara Model College, Notre Dame College and Viqarunnisa Noon School and College teachers said that 65 to 75 per cent of total student's passing HSC exam had scored GPA 5 this year.

The teachers said that 1,002 out of 1,349 students of who have passed exam from Rajuk College achieved GPA 5.

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School and College principal Sufia Khatun said that întensive classroom care, thorough following of textbooks, model tests and hard efforts of students were behind the better results.

She added said extra-curricular activities also played a vital role.

In 2016, 46,833, or 42.19 per cent of 96,769 SSC students who achieved the GPA 5 were from Dhaka board. In 2015, 39 per cent of total 93,631 were GPA 5 achievers and in 2014, 38 per cent out of 1,22,313 students who achieved GPA 5 were from the board.