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Annual exams in schools to start from November 24

File photo: Students busy writing answers at a centre in Dhaka during a test of the Secondary School Certificate (SSC) examinations Mehedi Hasan/Dhaka Tribune

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Finals for sixth-ninth graders and test for tenth graders to take the SSC exams will be held from November 24 to November 30.

The Directorate of Secondary and Higher Education (DSHE) announced the schedule through a press release on Wednesday.

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According to the press announcement signed by DSHE Director General Professor Dr Syed Golam Faruk all chapters from which assignments were given and lessons delivered from January 12 onwards will be considered the syllabus for the exams.

"Except for this, there will be no other assessments in the academic year 2021. Covid-19 health safety procedures must be followed when taking the SSC test and annual school exams," the release added.

After nearly 1.5 years of closure due to Covid-19 pandemic, Bangladesh reopened schools and institutions on September 12 of this year.

From primary to higher education, the country has 150,000 educational institutions with 50 million students.

The students mostly remained out of their academic study since March 17 when the educational institutions were closed due to the pandemic.