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Science Fair 2025: A Celebration of Curiosity

BAF SEMC hosted a vibrant and enthusiastic Science Fair Competition on the glorious morning of 25th October at the SEMC field. The event beautifully reflected team work, creativity and healthy competition among the students.

The science fair was organized into three categories: Primary (Classes 3–5), Intermediate (Classes 6–7) and Higher Secondary (Classes 8–12), allowing students of different age groups to showcase their scientific skills.

The first day featured innovative projects, eye-catching wall magazines and creative scientific artwork displayed across the venue. A sense of excitement and thrill filled the air as the Principal and science teachers visited each team, asking questions about their projects and working principles.

The students confidently and skillfully explained their ideas, leaving a strong impression on the judges. The competitive atmosphere further inspired participants to refine their projects for the second day.



The chief guest being welcomed at the entrance



The primary group proudly showcasing their projects



The chief guest keenly observing a project

The final day, held on 26th October, began with a tour of the exhibition by the respected Chief Guest, AVM Syed Sayeedur Rahman, BUP, afwc, psc, along with other Air officials and judges. Selecting the top ten projects from each category was indeed challenging due to the remarkable talent and originality displayed by the students.

Overall, the Science Fair was both inspiring and enriching, encouraging SEMCians to pursue greater achievements for themselves and, ultimately, for the nation.

Snap the magic, frame the dream: Inter-house Photography Competition 2025

From 25th to 26th October 2025, BAF SEMC Photography Club proudly hosted the Inter-house Photography Competition, where students enthusiastically expressed their creativity and passion for photography.

The event kicked off with a ribbon-cutting ceremony by our respected Principal, Gp Capt. Taslim Ahmed, psc. Following the inauguration, the Photography Club conducted an engaging workshop, where two experts- Ashraful Alom Tito and Fahad Kaizer shared practical tips and personal experiences that motivated the young photographers even more. At last, the students were handed out special gifts by the school as a token of appreciation.

On the following day, the photographs were exhibited for everyone to admire. Students eagerly gathered after school to view the stunning displays, appreciating the effort behind every click, filling the atmosphere with liveliness and excitement.

This brought Inter-house Photography Competition to an end, leaving students with a deeper appreciation for the creativity and skill behind every photograph clicked. In the end, Jupiter House proudly secured the champion title, while Venus House earned a well-deserved runner-up position.



The chief guest inspiring the photographers

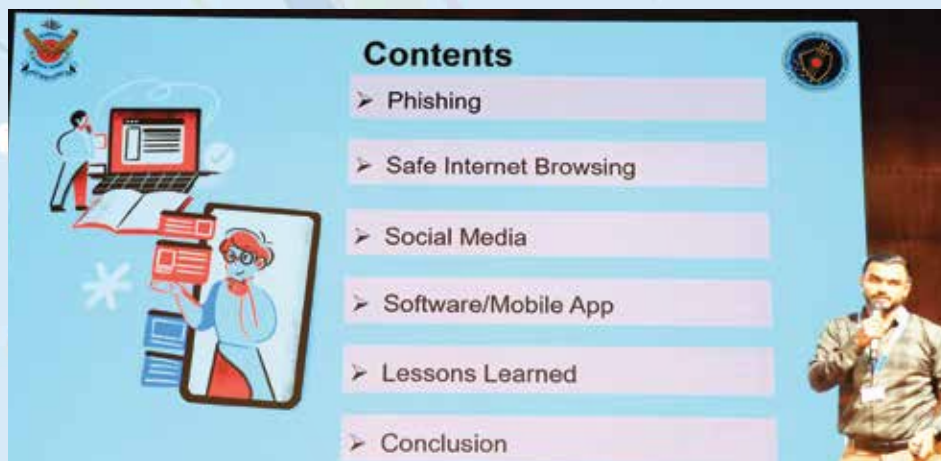


Photo session with the awardees

Cyber Security Awareness: Thinking Before Clicking Might Save You From a Dark Link

To help students understand the dangers of the online realm, BAF SEMC organized a Cyber awareness campaign for the students of STD VIII to XII on 21st October (Tuesday), 2025. All the students assembled in the school multipurpose hall at the scheduled time to attend the session. The session was graced by the presence of our respected Principal, Gp Capt Taslim Ahmed, psc, and senior teachers.

The program commenced with an enlightening speech delivered by the ICT teacher, Md Rasel Ahmed who highlighted various important aspects of cyber safety. For his speech he discussed several important topics related to cyber safety, such as the importance of using unique passwords, being cautious of phishing attempts and browsing only through trusted websites. The students were advised not to use cracked software and reminded never to share personal information online. Lastly, he encouraged students to speak to a trusted adult if they face any form of cyber bullying or online harassment.



Md Rasel Ahmed enlightening the students about cyber safety

Towards the end of the program, the Principal interacted with the students to further enhance their understanding of the topic, to encourage future awareness of internet safety. To mark the conclusion of the program, students received cyber themed pencil bags as souvenirs.

Study Tour of STD XI - Day of Learning Beyond Classroom



Education meeting adventure!

Every year, BAF SEMC organizes study tours to provide SEMCians with valuable learning experiences outside the classroom. On the 10th of November, 2025, the students of STD XI had the opportunity to visit Bangladesh Krira Shikkha Protishthan (BKSP), Dhaka where they explored the environment and took part in several planned activities. The journey commenced with the departure of all students at 8:30 am.

The students arrived at BKSP promptly at 11:30 am, marking the beginning of their scheduled activities. The students enthusiastically took part in a wide range of sports and recreational activities. They engaged in friendly matches of football, volleyball, cricket, basketball, badminton, and even skating which encouraged teamwork. As midday approached, the students gathered for lunch, which provided a much-needed break after the morning's activities. A group photo session was held capturing the joyful moments shared among the students and teachers.

The students departed in the evening filled with excitement and carrying memories of a delightful and productive day. They returned to school marking the close of a successful and memorable study tour.

Inter-House Basketball Tournament 2025

The three day long inter-house basketball competition organized by BAF SEMC from 16-18th November brought back a sense of excitement across the campus. Students eagerly welcomed the return of the tournament and the atmosphere quickly grew energetic as the house athletes prepared for their matches.

The four houses- Mercury, Jupiter, Venus and Mars completed fiercely during the group stages. After a series of intense matches, Venus and Mars secured their places in the finals. The final match was a thrilling and closely contested encounter, with Venus house emerging victorious by a narrow margin of 20-17 points. Areez Adrian Haq of Std-IX was recognized for his brilliance in the tournament with the top scorer award.



A showcase of unwavering sportsmanship

In addition to the boys' matches, a friendly girls' basketball match was also organized. The participants were divided into Team Red and Team Purple, with Team Red claiming a 6-2 victory.

The tournament wrapped up on a cheerful note with all the students cheering alongside their friends and our hardworking teachers and staff who made this tournament successful. The competition showcased true sportsmanship and unity, leaving everyone eager for future sporting events.



Venus House triumphs in victory

Prize Giving Ceremony of Inter-House Competitions

A moment of pride and celebration marked the recognition ceremony held on 19 October 2025 at 8:00 AM, as students were honoured for their outstanding achievements in various inter-house academic competitions. The ceremony commenced with the distribution of awards for the Inter-house Math Olympiad, Quiz Competition, Spelling Competition and Public Speaking Competition. During this segment, Tareef Rahman (Std. VII) received



A well deserving trophy awarded to Mars House



A young champion!

recognition as the Best Performer in the Math Olympiad and Mehnour Binte Riad (IX) and Tanmoy Sen (A2) were honoured as the Best Spellers in the secondary and higher secondary categories respectively, reflecting the school's commitment to nurturing diverse academic talents. The programme then proceeded to acknowledge the contributions of the six student organisers of the SEMC Football

Fest 2025, whose dedication and leadership played a pivotal role in the event's successful execution. The ceremony concluded with an address by the Principal, who congratulated all honourees, expressed appreciation for their achievements and encouraged students to continue striving for excellence in both academic and co-curricular pursuits.



A token of glory earned by Venus House

Cultural Competition 2025: Enlightening the Skilful Artists of SEMC

The much-awaited Cultural Week 2025 commenced with excitement, creativity and vibrant performances that filled the campus with cultural spirit. Organized every year by SEMC, this competition is an opportunity for the cultural enthusiasts to showcase their talent and develop a strong passion for Bengali culture.

The opening day, 14th October 2025, featured a recitation competition, where young reciters took the stage, presenting outstanding pieces of poetry. The respected judges were the honorable reciters, Bhaswar Bandyopadhyay and Golam Sarower. The top three participants from each group earned positions as rewards for their touching expressions and vocals.



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Held on 15th October 2025, the dance competition was a flamboyant show of the graceful dancers of SEMC. The spectacular choreographs of creative, classical and folk dances mesmerized the audience and earned each dancer huge rounds of applause. The distinguished dancers, Benezir Salam and Munmun Ahmed graced the event as judges. Despite tough competition, they skillfully awarded the winners for their outstanding performances, alongside encouraging all participants to keep building on their passion for dancing.

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The Tour of Enlightenment of STD-X



A captivating study tour of extravagance

Like every other year, BAF Shaheen English Medium College organized a study tour for the young minds of STD-X as a unique educational experience on the vibrant and sunny morning of 28th October. After a long and awaited journey, the students reached the much-anticipated destination, Sonargaon, Panam City. The tour allowed the pupils to catch a glimpse of the lifestyle of our ancestors from the ancient buildings and their complex architecture, proving the contrast between modern and medieval times. Apart from gaining knowledge, the students also took pictures, holding memories that can be later reminisced. Overall, the tour was a wholesome remembrance for the students that created a stronger bond between the students and the teachers.

BAF Shaheen English Medium College Programming Contest 2025-26

This session, BAF Shaheen English Medium College marked a proud moment as The ICT Club organized the first-ever programming contest in the institute's history. The event aimed to test students' digital programming skills using Python, Java, Scratch, and Visual Basic. Participation was enthusiastic and to maintain relevance, students were divided into two categories: Group A – STD IV–VII who were assigned Scratch programming, and Group B – STD VIII–XII, with the choice of Python, Java or Visual Express.



Focused programmers!

The selection round of Group A was held on 30th October at the ICT Lab, followed by Group B on 06th November. Those who passed the qualification rounds advanced to the final stage, held on 12th November 2025 from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM at the same venue. Moreover, this novel initiative shaped SEMC's future generation of programmers, an invaluable asset in the emerging tech world.

Inter-House English Debate Competition 2025

The Inter-house English Debate Competition of 2025 unfolded on the 19th and 20th of November, uniting the four houses of BAF Shaheen English Medium College for two days of articulate arguments and sharp rebuttals. In the first match, Venus House competed against Mars House, with Venus advancing to the final. The second debate saw Mercury House face Jupiter House, where Jupiter House secured the second place in the Finals.



A confident debater presenting his arguments

The Final Round featured a competitive debate between Venus House and Jupiter House. Following a close exchange of arguments, Jupiter House emerged as the Champion, while Venus House secured the Runner-Up position. Shamaila Chowdhury (STD XI), from Venus house was recognised as the best speaker of the competition.

The prize-giving ceremony was held later that same day, graced by the presence of the Chief Guest, Air Commodore Abul Fazal Muhammad, BSP, GUP, ndc, psc, Director of Education of the Bangladesh Air Force, who congratulated the participants and presented the trophies to the winners. The ceremony concluded with an inspiring speech by the Chief Guest.



The Champion house proudly receiving the trophy from the chief guest

Untamed Glory: SEMCians Shine on Global Stage

SEMCians have once again brought pride through extraordinary achievements in the Outstanding Cambridge Learners' Awards 2025, earning global recognition in O-level and A-level results.

With exceptional academic distinction, the Top in the World honors were achieved by Muhammad Rafan Azman in O-level Additional Mathematics, Ayman Hassan and Rokib Hasan Khan in O-level Mathematics Syllabus D, Nayeef Abrar Masud in AS-level Mathematics, and Shafqat Naveed in A-level Mathematics.

Marking a proud national milestone, a Top in Bangladesh Award was earned by Saheel Wazir Mamun in O-level Accounting.

The remarkable results reflect the dedication and hard work of SEMCians and highlight the unwavering encouragement provided by the teachers, staff and parents to build these brilliant minds.



The rising stars on the podium of Cambridge Learner Awards

A Delightful Culinary Extravaganza : Teachers' Food Fest 2025

The Teachers' Food Fest was held on 9th December 2025 in the Multipurpose Hall of BAF SEMC, graced by the presence of the Principal and the Adjutant as the chief guests. The event brought together three enthusiastic groups of qualified teachers, contributing to the grand success of the celebration.



Warm smiles and a festive air!

The fest commenced with teachers serving a tempting selection of starters, including yogourt pops, finger bites and sandwiches. This was followed with the sumptuous presentation of a rich and flavourful main course featuring duck, chicken and a variety of vegetables alongside Polao. The feast ended on a sweet note with an assortment of delicious desserts.

Filled with laughter, joy and culinary excitement, the Teachers' Food Fest 2025 left behind warm memories and a spirit of togetherness to cherish forever.

Commemorating Martyred Intellectuals Day 2025

December 14th remains a dark day in the history of Bangladesh, where many teachers, doctors, writers, journalists and great reformers laid down their lives for the sake of the country. To respect their legacy and honor them, every year at BAF SEMC Martyred Intellectuals Day is observed with due respect and solemnity.



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On December 15th, 2025, the respected teachers and students of BAF SEMC gathered in the multipurpose hall to observe the day with respect. The day was graced by the presence of Gp Capt Taslim Ahmed, psc, Principal SEMC as the chief guest. The program commenced with a recitation from the Holy Qur'an, followed by a special prayer seeking forgiveness and peace for the souls of the martyred intellectuals. Heartfelt speeches were delivered by the respected teachers.

The 54th Victory Day Celebration at BAF SEMC: A Tribute to the Martyrs

With great pleasure, BAF Shaheen English Medium College observed Victory Day on 16th December to commemorate the nation's triumph over a hostile force in the 1971 Liberation War.

The exquisite event was held at the Multi-purpose hall and began at 1000 hours with a heartfelt recitation from the Holy Quran, followed by an engaging discussion on the sincere topic of Victory Day. This was succeeded with a short video clip on the glories of this blissful day, which flooded the room with a spirit of untamed patriotism.

Afterwards, a group of talented SEMCians delivered a moving performance of the song, 'Shurjodoye Tumi'. Subsequently, 'Ekattorer Chithi', a compilation of the letters written by the freedom fighters, was beautifully recited, which was followed by a dance display on the song, 'Bijoy Nishan Urche Oi'.

This memorable day concluded with an enlightening speech by the Adjutant, who once again reminded the audience of the undying passion and love our own people had, achieving freedom for Bangladesh.



A dance of the young patriots



An assembly of the future of our nation

- Chief Patron** : Air Vice Marshal Syed Sayeedur Rahman, BUP, ndc, psc; Air Officer Commanding, Bangladesh Air Force Base Bashar and Chairman, Governing Body BAF SEMC.
- Patron** : Group Captain Taslim Ahmed, psc; Principal BAF SEMC.
- Advisors** : Ms Anjuman Ara, Vice Principal, Squadron Leader Fawzia Binte Rafique; Adjutant BAF SEMC, Mahmuda Khatun, Ruquyyah Mahbub Elora, Nazrul Islam, Sabira Yeasmin, Selina Akter, Sabrina Tasmiee.
- Editors** : Afra Nawar, Aarav Areez Huq, Antara Ayesha Binte Fahad, Saibah Tabassum, Nur-E Naziha, Ridhima Sarkar, Fatima Tasmia Nirvana and Yashita Muntasir; STD - IX.
- Executive Editors** : Tanzim Redwan, Shahrin Rida, Tarsheed Jubaer, Sarita Nudar, Tashrin Tathoi; STD-IX, Spriha Chakraborty, Adrita Roy, Mounia Mahdia, Shaiyan Shafee, Muhtadi Mansib Walee; STD-VIII.
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