Rajshahi College turns 135

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IF you visit Rajshahi, *the education city* of Bangladesh, you can see a collection of red-brick multi storeyed buildings that almost seems like a royal palace. These buildings, situated just beside the river of Padma and Rajshahi Shaheb Bazar is the famous Rajshahi College, which, in this year, has turned 135 years.

Rajshahi College is one of the oldest educational institutions of North Bengal. This college was established in 1873 in the city of Rajshahi city. It is also said that the college is the third oldest college in Bangladesh after Dhaka College and Chittagong College. Rajshahi College is the pioneer institution in Bangladesh to award a Masters degree. The college is situated beside other important educational institutions in the area inlcuding the Rajshahi Collegiate School and Varendra Museum, the first museum of Bangladesh.

