

05 DEC 2001

DR MAHATHIR BREAKS FAST WITH TERTIARY STUDENTS

PUTRAJAYA, Dec 5 (Bernama) -- Prime Minister Datuk Seri Dr Mahathir Mohamad broke the fast with students of institutions of higher learning and student association representatives at Seri Perdana here today.

The students were from Universiti Malaya, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Universiti Putra Malaysia, International Islamic University Malaysia, Universiti Utara Malaysia, Universiti Sains Malaysia, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, Universiti Malaysia Sabah, Universiti Malaysia Sarawak, Universiti Perguruan Sultan Idris, Universiti Teknologi Mara, Universiti Tun Abdul Razak, Universiti Tenaga Nasional, Universiti Multimedia and Universiti Teknologi Petronas.

Students from the Tun Hussein Onn University College, Islamic University College and International Islamic College and members of the National Muslim Students Association Malaysia were also present.

Most of the 210 students were newly elected members of the students representative councils for 2001/2002.

The prime minister's wife, Datin Seri Dr Siti Hasmah Mohamed Ali, Peninsular Malay Students Federation president Datuk Suhaimi Ibrahim and his wife, Datin Norliza Abdul Majid, were also present.

Dr Mahathir later performed prayers with his guests led by the Grand Imam of the Masjid Ibnu Khas in Egypt, Sheikh Muhammad Gibril.

-- BERNAMA

HS AHH JK