



Smooth Eid journey so far despite pressure of vehicles on Dhaka-Mawa Expressway



People waiting in buses and motorcycles to cross Dhaka-Mawa Expressway ahead of Eid vacation on 28 March 2025

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People of 21 southern districts are travelling to their homes through the expressway on buses, cars and motorcycles.

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Meanwhile, many people were seen crossing the Padma Bridge on motorcycles since this morning. Although there are some risks with two-wheelers, a large number of people have found comfort in going to their destinations on them.

Contacted, Abu Saeed, executive engineer of the site office of Padma Bridge, said, "Eid journey is hassle-free this year. A total of seven toll booths have been kept operational to collect tolls from vehicles quickly."