



General: Academy of Sciences Malaysia to verify findings on 70 pct SPM student dropout

KOTA TINGGI, Aug 28 (Bernama) -- The Science, Technology and Innovation Ministry (MOSTI) has instructed the Academy of Sciences Malaysia to conduct a abstraction into the actual percentage of post-Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) and Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) acceptance who are not furthering their education.

Its minister, Datuk Seri Dr Adham Baba answered the analysis is agitated out to affirm the account of the **Department of Statistics Malaysia** in July which alien which further than 70 per cent of the post-SPM acceptance would not be continuing their studies.

He answered if the amount is accurate, it is a annoying issue that could brazilier the government's affairs to accomplish Malaysia as a high technology nation by 2030.

According to him, the findings would be tabled to the government for aftereffect actions.

"The affair of 70 per cent dropout for post-SPM acceptance should be verified. As such I have asked the Academy of Sciences Malaysia to abstraction the await again.

"This is because if it is really a 70 per cent dropout, it would be a big accident to the nation, and what are the aboriginal measures we charge booty to aftermath a high technology bearing with hobby in science and innovation," he said.

He informed reporters afterwards aperture the Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Carnival in affiliation with the 2022 Keluarga Malaysia National Science Week actuality today.

In addition development, further than 1.67 million participants were recorded for 2022 Keluarga Malaysia National Science Week all through the country involving primary and secondary schools, institutions of college acquirements and folks who are administering research.

The absolute exceeded the original ambition of 1.5 million participants by October.

Since it was once launched on April 1, 175 associated programmes have been organised.

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