More than 100 Schoolchildren Detained
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Bani Jamra’s Committee on Detainees stated that the authorities in Bahrain are detaining more than 100 schoolchildren. The committee emphasized that the Bahraini authorities are proving its aim to continue arresting children. A building has been allocated in the Dry Dock prison for children under 18 years of age.

The committee added: “Building #1 in the Dry Dock prison houses Sadeq al-Asfoor (injured with live ammunition), Abdulwahed al-Ghanmi, Ali al-Ghanmi, Isa Fateel, Hasan Ebrahim, Husain al-Ghasra, Sayed Ameen, and Sayed Husain while Mohammed Mansoor Abdulhusain is in the juvenile center in Isa town. Moreover, the child Ali Jaffer Mansoor who was sentenced to 3 years imprisonment is currently in Jaw Central Prison. All the listed names are students under the age of 18."

The committee further said that they hold the Ministry of Interior and Ministry of Education responsible for the exams their children miss that could affect their opportunity in obtaining a high school certificate. They emphasized that the right to education is a right preserved for every child and should not be violated by such deprivation.