## Claim

Claim: "



This image shows thousands gathering at Sohrawardi Park in Kolkata, India, in April 2025 to show solidarity with the Palestinian people amid the ongoing Israeli assault on Gaza."

## **Actions**

reverse\_search(![image 37](media/62.jpg))

## **Evidence**

No new evidence found.

## **Elaboration**

There is no new evidence to analyze the claim.

### **Actions**

web\_search("Sohrawardi Park Kolkata Palestine protest")
web\_search("Palestine solidarity protest Kolkata India")

## **Evidence**

### Evidence from web\_search

The web sources indicate that the images in the claim are from a "March for Gaza" protest held in Dhaka, Bangladesh, on April 12, 2025, not in Kolkata, India. The protest was in

solidarity with Palestinians and had approximately 100,000 participants. The images were falsely shared on social media, mislabeling the location.

The sources include: Factly.in, Tezzfeed.com, and Kashif.



Thousands have rallied in Sohrawardi Park, Kolkata, India, in solidarity with the Palestinian people amid the ongoing Israeli genocide in Gaza.



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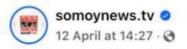
# Viral Photo

## Google Maps Street View





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#### #MarchForGaza #protest #somoytv

March for Ga'za. Millions of people are gathering at Sohrawardi Park in the procession. The whole area smoked in slogan.

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## Evidence from web\_search

The article from liberation.org.in, published on June 26, 2025, reports on protests across India on June 17, 2025, in solidarity with Palestine. The article mentions a rally in Kolkata that marched from the Lenin statue at Esplanade to the Ho Chi Minh statue at Ho Chi Minh Sarani. The image



is included in the article.

The Hindu published an article on June 26, 2024, about a protest march in Kolkata in support of Palestine. The march was organized by left parties and was stopped by the Kolkata Police. The protesters condemned the police action.

### Elaboration

The claim is false. The images in the claim are from a "March for Gaza" protest held in Dhaka, Bangladesh, on April 12, 2025, not in Kolkata, India. The protest was in solidarity with Palestinians. The images were falsely shared on social media, mislabeling the location.

## **Final Judgement**

The images in the claim are from a protest in Dhaka, Bangladesh, not Kolkata, India. The claim misrepresents the location of the event. false

### **Verdict: FALSE**

#### **Justification**

The claim is false. The images depict a "March for Gaza" protest held in Dhaka, Bangladesh, on April 12, 2025, not in Kolkata, India, as falsely stated in the claim. This is supported by multiple sources, including <u>Factly.in</u>, which confirm the misidentification of the protest's location.