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REGULATION

on the International Online Olympiad
in Russian as a Foreign Language

"Russian Language: the Ticket to the Future"

Among Preparatory Courses' Students of Russian Universities
and Secondary Schools' Foreign Students
from the Countries of Near and Far Abroad

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1. General Provisions

1.1. This regulation defines the procedure for organizing and holding the International Olympiad in Russian as a Foreign Language (hereinafter – RFL) among preparatory courses' students of Russian universities and secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near and far abroad.

1.2. The International Olympiad in RFL among preparatory courses' students of Russian universities and secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near and far abroad (hereinafter – the Olympiad) is held by the Institute of International Education of Kazan National Research Technical University named after A.N. Tupolev-KAI (hereinafter – KNRTU-KAI) with the assistance of the Association of Foreign Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students of Kazan.

1.3. The Olympiad is held in the online (correspondence) form.

2. Goals and Objectives of the Olympiad

2.1. The Olympiad goals are following:

- promotion the Russian language among foreign students;
- stimulation the creative activity among foreign students studying Russian as a foreign language;
- increasing their interest in learning the Russian language and Russian culture.

2.2. The Olympiad objectives are following:

- development the foreign students skills in creative way of using Russian language, both orally and in writing;
- formation of motivation for cognitive activity in the field of studying the Russian language and Russian culture;
- monitoring the language training level of foreign students.

3. Dates and Venue

3.1. The Olympiad is held in two rounds: the first one is held in a written online form on **March 22th, 2021** from 08:00 to 23:00 (Moscow time); the second round is held in an oral online form on **March 24th, 2021** from 08:00 to 23:00 (Moscow time).

3.2. To participate in the Olympiad, you must register on the day of the first round on the website <http://test.kai.ru/course/view.php?id=45> for the selected category.

3.3. Information on the Olympiad as well as the results are published on the website: www.international.kai.ru.

4. Participants of the Olympiad

The Olympiad will be held for the next categories of participants:

- Preparatory courses' students of Russian Universities;
- Secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near and far abroad.

All categories of participants take part in both rounds: in the first written online round as well as in the second oral online round.

5. Procedure for Holding and Evaluating the Olympiad Results

5.1. The first written online round.

5.1.1. The first written online round is conducted in the test form, which consists of a complex lexical and grammatical test. The time is given to pass the test is 1 hour (60 minutes). The maximum number of points is 100 (one hundred).

5.1.2. The preparatory courses' students of Russian universities from the countries of far abroad are supposed to pass the lexical and grammatical test, which includes tasks of A1-B1 TORFL levels.

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5.1.4. The secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of far abroad are supposed to pass the lexical and grammatical test, which includes tasks of A1-B1 TORFL levels.

5.1.5. The secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near abroad are supposed to pass the lexical and grammatical test, which includes grammatical tasks of the Unified State Exam level. The maximum number of points is 100 (one hundred)

5.1.6. The winners in the individual championship will be identified based on the results of passing the lexical and grammatical online test. The results will be posted on the website www.international.kai.ru.

5.2. The second oral online round.

5.2.1. The candidates who participated in the first written online round are admitted to the second oral round of the Olympiad.

5.2.2. The oral round for the preparatory courses' students of Russian universities from the countries of near and far abroad consists of two (2) tasks and reveals listening and speaking skills. The time is given to complete the tasks is from three (3) to five (5) minutes. The time is given to prepare a monologue statement is three (3) minutes.

5.2.3. The oral round for the secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of far abroad consists of two (2) tasks and reveals listening and speaking

skills. The time is given to complete the tasks is from three (3) to five (5) minutes. The time is given to prepare a monologue statement is three (3) minutes.

5.2.4. The oral round for the secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near abroad consists of an oral monologue reasoning on the proposed question. The time is given to prepare an answer is three (3) minutes, to response is two (2) minutes.

The oral round is evaluated by the jury (clause No. 6.3.).

5.2.5. A jury expert assessment of the preparatory courses' students of Russian universities and the secondary schools' foreign students from the countries of near and far abroad assumes that the oral round is evaluated according to the following criteria:

- 1) compliance with the topic of the question,
- 2) completeness of the disclosure of the problem,
- 3) consistency and coherence of the statement,
- 4) argumentation,
- 5) originality of the presentation of information,
- 6) compliance with the norms of the modern Russian language,
- 7) compliance with the rules in monologue reasoning.

The maximum number of points for each of the criteria is three (3) points.

The maximum number of points for completing both tasks of the oral round is 31.

5.2.6. Based on results of the oral round are determined the winners of the Olympiad.

6. Organizing Committee and Jury, Awarding of the Olympiad Participants

6.1. Composition of an Organizing Committee of the Olympiad is approved by the order of the KNRTU-KAI's rector.

6.2. Organizing Committee of the Olympiad:

- plans and coordinates all works on the organization and holding the Olympiad;
- approves the composition of the Olympiad's jury and schedule;
- interacts with organizations and officials on the preparation and holding the Olympiad.

6.3. The jury of the Olympiad is formed from the teachers of the International Preparatory Department of the KNRTU-KAI's Institute of International Education as well as from the representatives of the Association of Foreign Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students of Kazan.

6.4. The jury of the Olympiad processes and evaluates the works, presents the results of the Olympiad in writing, determines the winners.

6.5. According to the results of the Olympiad, prize-winners and winners of the first and second rounds of the Olympiad are determined, who are awarded with diplomas. All participants taking part in the Olympiad receive a certificate of participation, and teachers receive the letters of thanks.

7.Addresses and Contact Telephone Numbers

Additional information about the conditions of the International Olympiad in Russian as a Foreign Language "*Russian language: the ticket to the future*" Among Preparatory Courses' Students of Russian Universities and Secondary Schools' Foreign Students from the Countries of Near and Far Abroad can be obtained from the Olympiad Organizing Committee members as well as teachers of the International Preparatory Department KNRTU-KAI's Institute of International Education Mrs. Mulyukova Elvira Nailevna (Tel.: +7 987 260 39 05) and Mrs. Tkacheva Dina Vladimirovna (Tel.: +7 904 761 49 85).

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