## RULES OF THE COMPETITION «MGIMO INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OLYMPIAD»

#### 1. General rules.

- 1.1. These Rules have been developed in accordance with the Regulations on the MGIMO International School Olympiad Competition, approved by the Order of the MGIMO Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Russia. It determines the procedure for holding the MGIMO International School Olympiad Competition (hereinafter referred to as the Competition).
  - 1.2. The competition is held in two stages:
- Remote qualifying stage using the services of the Contest Website (http://int-olymp-mgimo.com);
- Final stage: completion of the final written work. The final stage is held in a face-to-face or remote format separately for each country (group of countries) whose citizens take part in the Competition. The venues and format of the final stage are determined by the Organizing Committee of the Competition.
- 1.3. The specific dates of the stages are determined by the annual Calendar Plan approved by the Chairman of the Organizing Committee of the Competition.
- 1.4. The working language of the Competition is determined separately for each country (group of countries): In the Kyrgyz Republic, the Republic of Azerbaijan, the Republic of Armenia, the Republic of Belarus, the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Republic of Tajikistan, the Republic of Uzbekistan and Turkmenistan, the working language of the Contest is Russian; in Africa, Latin America, the Republic of India, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Serbia and Mongolia, the working language is English.
- 1.5. The regulatory documents of the Competition are posted on the official website of the Competition <a href="http://int-olymp-mgimo.com">http://int-olymp-mgimo.com</a>.

#### 2. Registration of Contest participants.

- 2.1. To participate in the Competition, the registration procedure on the official website of the Competition should be completed <a href="http://int-olymp-mgimo.com">http://int-olymp-mgimo.com</a>.
- 2.2. Prior to registration, participants and their parents are advised to familiarize themselves with the Regulations on the MGIMO International School Olympiad Competition (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations).
- 2.3. The parent (legal representative) of a minor participant, or a participant who has reached the age of majority, confirms familiarization with the Provision specified in clause 2.2. and provides the organizer of the Contest with consent to the collection, storage, use, dissemination (transfer) of the participant's personal data. Confirmation is provided (marked in electronic form) when passing the procedure for creating a participant's personal account on the official website of the Contest.
- 2.4. When registering on the official website of the Competition, it is necessary to fill in all the fields of the registration form (Surname, first name, patronymic (if applicable), date of birth, email, phone number, country, city, name of the educational institution), confirm that the participant or his legal representative is familiar with the Regulations on the Competition, and agree to the Privacy Policy the site.
- 2.5. After successful registration, the participant gets access to the Personal Account.
- 2.6. In case of difficulties during registration or when working in the personal account, the participant can contact the site administrator by e-mail of the Organizing Committee of the Contest <u>info.olymp.mgimo@gmail.com</u>.

#### 3. The order of the qualifying stage of the Competition.

3.1. The qualifying stage takes place in a remote format using a personal account on the official website of the Competition <a href="http://int-olymp-mgimo.com">http://int-olymp-mgimo.com</a>. Instructions for passing the qualifying stage are posted on the official website of the Competition.

- 3.2. The qualifying stage consists of several tests that test knowledge in the following areas: Russian, English, interdisciplinary aspect (fundamentals of geography, world history, international relations).
- 3.3. Each test consists of 50-100 tasks with a choice of answer. The exact number of tasks is determined by the methodological commission of the Competition.
  - 3.4. The time to complete each test is 60 minutes.
- 3.5. The opportunity to take the test opens simultaneously for all participants of the Competition.
- 3.6. The date and time of each test are published on the official website of the Contest no later than 72 hours before the start of the test.
  - 3.7. No more than one test can be conducted per day.
- 3.8. During the test, the participant does not have the opportunity to return to the previous questions. Going to the next question means sending the participant's answer. After the end of the test time, all tasks are automatically sent for verification
- 3.9. The maximum number of points for 1 test is 100 points, the minimum is 0 points.

# 4. The procedure for the final stage of the Competition.

- 4.1. The final stage of the Competition is held in person or remotely in writing separately in each country (group of countries) of the Competition. The format of the final stage is determined by the Organizing Committee of the Competition.
- 4.2. The Competition venues are determined and approved by the Organizing Committee of the Competition. Information about the venue, date and time of the event is posted on the official website of the Contest.
- 4.3. Participants approved by the Competition jury based on the results of the qualifying stage are allowed to pass the final stage.
- 4.4. Before passing the final stage at the venue, the participant provides the representative of the Organizing Committee with a paper certificate (copy) from

the educational organization in which the participant is studying, confirming his status as a student.

- 4.5. The final stage of the Competition is held in full—time or distance format and consists of writing one written work consisting of three blocks of tasks Russian, English, interdisciplinary aspect. The writing of the work takes place without interruptions, re-writing is not provided.
- 4.6. The instructions for passing the final stage of the Competition and the rules of appeal procedure for this stage are approved by the Organizing Committee of the Competition and published on the official website of the Competition.
- 4.7. The results of the final stage of the Competition are published on the official website of the Competition and are also sent to the participants to the e-mails specified during registration.

### 5. The Results of the Competition.

- 5.1. The winners of the Competition are the persons awarded by the results of the final (final round) with diplomas of the 1st degree. The winner is determined separately for each host country (group of countries). The winner in each country (group of countries) of the competition is no more than 2 participants who scored the most points in the final stage of the Competition. In case of an equal number of points from several participants, the winner is determined by the Organizing Committee of the Competition on the recommendation of the jury.
- 5.2. The winners of the Competition are persons awarded with diplomas of the 2nd degree according to the results of the final. The winners are determined separately for each host country (group of countries). The winners in each country (group of countries) of the competition are no more than 3 participants who took 3rd to 5th place in terms of the number of points scored in the final stage of the Competition. In case of an equal number of points from several participants, the winners are determined by the Organizing Committee of the Competition on the recommendation of the jury.
- 5.3. The lists of winners and prize-winners of the Competition are approved by the Organizing Committee of the Competition upon presentation by the jury of the Competition.

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