

REGULATION
on the procedure for holding the Olympiad
on Financial Security 2026

Section I. General Provisions

1. Following Regulation has been developed in accordance with the Federal Law "On Education in the Russian Federation", the Rules for Identifying Children and Youth who have Shown Outstanding Abilities and Supporting their Further Development, approved by Decree of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 1738 dated October 19, 2023, and taking into account the Procedure for Holding Olympiads for Schoolchildren, approved by Order of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Russian Federation No. 566 dated June 22, 2022.

2. The International Olympiad on Financial Security (hereinafter referred to as the Olympiad) is held for the following purposes:

2.1. providing opportunities for schoolchildren and students to demonstrate their individual level of achievement in personal, meta-subject, and subject-specific educational results in the field of financial and information (computer) security

2.2. developing creative abilities in schoolchildren and students and increasing interest in issues of ensuring financial security, including countering illegal financial transactions, including involvement in their implementation;

2.3. identifying talented youth with abilities, knowledge, and skills necessary in the field of financial security;

2.4. popularizing and promoting scientific knowledge and strengthening the scientific worldview in society in the interests of ensuring financial security;

2.5. supporting the professional orientation of schoolchildren and students;

2.6. strengthening international cooperation between partner countries of the Russian Federation in the anti-money laundering sphere (hereinafter referred to as partner states).

3. The Organizers of the Olympiad are the Ministry of Science and Higher Education of the Russian Federation, the Federal Financial Monitoring Service, the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation, and educational organizations that are members of the International Network Institute in the field of countering the laundering of proceeds of crime and the financing of terrorism (hereinafter referred to as the INI).

4. Partners of the Olympiad are the Central Bank of the Russian

Federation, the Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation, the Federal Service for Surveillance on Consumer Rights Protection and Human Wellbeing, foreign financial intelligence units, other authorized state bodies of partner states, the Charity Fund "Christian Charity," as well as other organizations involved in conducting the Olympiad based on a decision of the Organizing Committee for the preparation and conduct of the International Olympiad on Financial Security or the Executive Committee of the Olympiad (hereinafter referred to as the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad and the Executive Committee of the Olympiad, respectively).

5. The technological partner of the Olympiad is PJSC "Bank PSB," which provides organizational and technical support for the Olympiad on the International Social and Educational Digital Platform "Sodruzhestvo" (hereinafter referred to as the "Sodruzhestvo" platform) in accordance with the Procedure for Conducting the Olympiad on the "Sodruzhestvo" platform.

6. The Organizers of the Olympiad engage organizations that provide informational, sponsorship, and organizational support, including territorial bodies of federal executive authorities of the Russian Federation, leading publishing houses, organizations working in the field of countering money laundering and terrorist financing, information technology, and other organizations supporting the conduct and organization of the Olympiad.

7. The Coordinator of the Olympiad is the ANO "International Training and Methodology Center for Financial Monitoring" (hereinafter referred to as the Olympiad Coordinator), which provides organizational and methodological support for the Olympiad, organizes and coordinates the interaction of educational organizations that are members of the INI during the preparation and conduct of the Olympiad (including the inter-Olympiad period).

8. The Operators of the Olympiad are the Federal State Autonomous Educational Institution of Higher Education "Peoples' Friendship University of Russia named after Patrice Lumumba" (hereinafter referred to as RUDN) and the Center for Inter-Olympiad Training of Schoolchildren and Students of the Federal State Budgetary Institution of Science "Lebedev Physical Institute" of the Russian Academy of Sciences.

9. Information about the Olympiad is posted on the information and telecommunications network "Internet" on the official website of the Olympiad - <https://en.rosfinolymp.ru/> (hereinafter referred to as the Olympiad website), on the "Sodruzhestvo" platform -- <https://sodruzhestvo.org/en/olympiad>, as well as on the websites of the Coordinator, organizers, and partners of the Olympiad.

10. Official and working languages of the Olympiad:

10.1. The official language of the Olympiad is Russian.

10.2. The working languages of the Olympiad are Russian and English.

10.3. When registering to participate in the Olympiad, a foreign participant chooses the language in which they will receive and complete the tasks. After the start of the corresponding stage of the Olympiad, changing the selected language is not permitted.

10.4. Translation of Olympiad tasks, instructions, and materials is carried out by RUDN.

11. In order to ensure equal opportunities for participants, Olympiad tasks, instructions, and materials are also translated into the languages that are the official languages of the United Nations (hereinafter referred to as the UN): Arabic, Spanish, Chinese, and French, to the extent determined by the Executive Committee of the Olympiad, with each language version considered equivalent in content and difficulty level.

12. The Olympiad is held in the field of "Financial Security." The list of academic subjects included in the federal basic general education programs and areas of higher education training, on the basis of which Olympiad tasks are compiled, is determined by the Organizers of the Olympiad with the participation of the Olympiad Coordinator.

13. Unified Olympiad tasks for schoolchildren (nomination "Financial Security") are developed based on federal work programs for the academic subjects "Mathematics," "Computer Science," "Social Studies," included in the federal basic educational program of the corresponding level of education, taking into account division for grades 9, 10, and 11.

14. Unified Olympiad tasks for students are developed based on the main educational programs of higher education in the following nominations:

14.1. Law (fields of study: jurisprudence);

14.2. Information Security (fields of study: mathematics, applied mathematics and computer science, applied mathematics, mathematics and computer science, fundamental computer science and information technology, computer science and computer engineering, applied computer science, information security);

14.3. Economics (fields of study: economics, finance and credit, economic security);

14.4. International Relations (fields of study: international relations, foreign regional studies).

15. The regulating and organizational documents establishing the procedure, sequence, and timing of the Olympiad stages, participation conditions,

and responsible persons are this Regulation, the Action Plan ("road map") for preparing for the Olympiad (hereinafter referred to as the Action Plan), as well as other regulatory acts developed in accordance with the competencies (powers) of the organizers (working bodies) of the Olympiad.

16. The following individuals participate in the Olympiad on a voluntary basis:

16.1. citizens of the Russian Federation who, at the time of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad, are mastering the main educational programs of grades 8-10 of basic and secondary general education, including in the form of family education or self-education;

16.2. citizens of the Russian Federation who, at the time of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad, are mastering programs of the 1st-2nd years of secondary vocational education;

16.3. foreign citizens who, at the time of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad, are mastering the main educational programs of basic general and secondary general education of the Russian Federation, corresponding to the educational programs of grades 8-10 of basic and secondary general education;

16.4. citizens of the Russian Federation, foreign citizens studying at the time of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad in bachelor's degree programs (years 1-3), specialist's degree programs (years 1-4), and master's degree programs (year 1) in educational organizations of higher education in the Russian Federation and partner states, including persons mastering educational programs in the form of family education or self-education, or similar forms under the national legislation of partner states.

17. Persons specified in subclause 16.4 who are winners of the Olympiad have the right to participate again in the Olympiad only in nominations different from the one in which they became winners.

18. The processing of personal data during the Olympiad is carried out in accordance with the requirements of the legislation of the Russian Federation in the field of personal data.

19. Participation in the Olympiad is free for its participants (schoolchildren and students). Financial support for conducting the stages of the Olympiad is provided from the funds of the organizers and partners of the Olympiad, as well as other attracted sponsorship funds received to support the Olympiad.

Section II. Working Bodies of the Olympiad

20. For organizational, methodological, and financial support, as well as operational management of the Olympiad, working bodies of the Olympiad are

created, including:

20.1. Organizing Committee of the Olympiad;

20.2. Executive Committee of the Olympiad is headed by a leader approved by the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad. The personal composition of the Executive Committee of the Olympiad is approved by the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad upon the submission of the head of the Executive Committee of the Olympiad;

20.3. Methodological Commission;

20.4. Jury of the Olympiad;

20.5. Appeals Commission of the Olympiad.

21. Members of the working bodies of the Olympiad who, due to the performance of their assigned duties, have access to confidential information, bear personal responsibility for violating the confidentiality of information and non-compliance with the necessary precautions and measures to protect information from unauthorized access. The composition, list, procedure for access to confidential information, and the list of persons allowed access to such information are determined by the Executive Committee of the Olympiad.

22. The Organizing Committee of the Olympiad is approved by an order of the Government of the Russian Federation and performs the following functions:

22.1. approves the Regulation on the Olympiad;

22.2. approves the head of the Executive Committee of the Olympiad and its personal composition;

22.3. approves the list of states participating in the Olympiad;

22.4. approves the timing and venue of the final stage events of the Olympiad, taking into account proposals from the Executive Committee of the Olympiad;

22.5. approves the report of the Executive Committee of the Olympiad on the conduct of the Olympiad;

22.6. determines the directions for development and promotion of the Olympiad.

23. The Executive Committee of the Olympiad performs the following functions:

23.1. approves the heads of the Jury and the Appeals Commission of the Olympiad and their personal compositions;

23.2. approves the Action Plan;

23.3. approves the venues for the preliminary stage rounds of the Olympiad;

23.4. approves the list of higher education institutions, general education organizations, and other established venues where the second round of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad is held;

23.5. determines the venues for the final stage of the Olympiad for submission

to the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad;

23.6. coordinates the work on organizing and conducting the stages of the Olympiad, including ensuring the development of themes for the Olympiad competitions by nomination, taking into account the requirements of the relevant federal state educational standards for basic general and secondary general education, and federal state educational standards for higher education;

23.7. determines the number of winners based on the results of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad using ranking tables, and approves the list of participants (schoolchildren and students) for the final stage of the Olympiad;

23.8. submits a report on the results of the Olympiad, as well as proposals to the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad on improving the organization and methodological support of the Olympiad;

23.9. performs other functions as assigned by the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad.

24. The Methodological Commission performs the following functions:

24.1. develops tasks for all stages of the Olympiad, the conditions for their completion, and evaluation criteria;

24.2. prepares solutions for the Olympiad tasks, including for publication on the Olympiad website;

24.3. submits proposals to the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad and the Executive Committee of the Olympiad on improving the organization and methodological support of the Olympiad;

24.4. performs other functions as assigned by the Organizing Committee and the Executive Committee of the Olympiad.

25. The Jury of the Olympiad performs the following functions:

25.1. checks the solutions to the Olympiad tasks and evaluates the results of their completion;

25.2. forms a ranking table of participants based on the results of completing the Olympiad tasks and draws up the final protocol of the Olympiad;

25.3. determines and approves the lists of winners and prize-winners of the Olympiad;

25.4. submits analytical reports on the results of the Olympiad and proposals for its improvement to the Executive Committee of the Olympiad;

25.5. performs other functions as assigned by the Executive Committee of the Olympiad.

26. The Appeals Commission of the Olympiad performs the following functions:

26.1. accepts and reviews appeals from participants of the Olympiad;

26.2. if necessary, organizes an expert review of the participants' work;

26.3. based on the results of the appeal review, makes a decision to satisfy the appeal or to refuse its satisfaction.

27. Decisions on appeals are final and not subject to revision.

Section III. Stages of the Olympiad

28. The Olympiad takes place in several stages, including using the "Sodruzhestvo" platform:

- Thematic lesson "Financial Security" (hereinafter referred to as the Lesson);
- Invitation stage;
- Preliminary stage (held in 2 rounds);
- Qualifying stage;
- Final stage.

29. The Lesson takes place at venues of general education organizations in the states participating in the Olympiad and other organizations specified in the Action Plan. The Lesson materials are posted on the Olympiad website and on the "Sodruzhestvo" platform".

30. The Invitational stage takes place online on the "Sodruzhestvo" platform.

31. The Preliminary stage is held in two rounds:

31.1. the first round -- for schoolchildren and students, held online;

31.2. the second round is held in the manner established by the organizers of the Olympiad:

31.2.1. for schoolchildren: at venues of educational organizations that are members of the INI, general education organizations, and other venues, the list of which is determined by the organizers of the Olympiad, with organization of control over the independent completion of tasks and participants' compliance with the conditions and requirements for holding the Olympiad according to paragraph 1 of this Regulation.

31.2.2. for students: at venues of educational organizations that are members of the INI and other venues, the list of which is determined by the organizers of the Olympiad, with organization of control over the independent completion of tasks and participants' compliance with the conditions and requirements for holding the Olympiad according to paragraph 1 of this Regulation.

32. A participant of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad can participate in the Olympiad at the venue of only one educational organization and in only one nomination of the Olympiad.

33. The Qualifying stage of the Olympiad takes place in a remote format -- writing an essay.

34. Based on the results of the qualification stage, the Executive Committee of the Olympiad determines the number (quota) of participants for the final stage of the Olympiad.

35. The Final stage takes place in a hybrid format (in-person and online in the manner established by the organizers of the Olympiad) at venues approved by the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad.

36. A participant of the final stage of the Olympiad competes only in the nomination in which they became a winner of the preliminary stage of the Olympiad, unless otherwise decided by the Executive Committee of the Olympiad.

37. Winners of the Olympiad stages are determined by evaluating the Olympiad works of the participants based on a ranking table formed from the sum of points received by the participant for completing the Olympiad tasks, taking into account the results of appeals. Winners and prize-winners of the final stage of the Olympiad are recognized as the winners and prize-winners of the Olympiad.

IV. Final Provisions

38. Issues not reflected in this Regulation are resolved by the Organizing Committee of the Olympiad based on its competence in accordance with the current legislation of the Russian Federation.