

Consolidation lesson “Education”

1) Choose the word that does not belong.

- 1) attend, go, visit, enter
- 2) comprehensive, primary, higher, compulsory
- 3) fail, pass, enter, take
- 4) optional, private, public, state
- 5) college, gymnasium, lyceum, kindergarten
- 6) university, college, academy, conservatory
- 7) GCSE, A-level, entrance, further

2) Read about the history of the University. Fill in the gaps with the appropriate form of the verbs.

The University _____ ESTABLISH by a decree of Russian Empress Elizabeth dated January 25, 1755. The initiative of opening a university _____ BELONG to Ivan Shuvalov ad Mikhail Lomonosov. The first lessons _____ HOLD on April 26, January 25 _____ STILL TO CELEBRATE as Students' Day in Russia.

In the 18th century, The University had three faculties: philosophy, medicine and law. The University press _____ PUBLISH the most popular newspaper in Imperial Russia – Moskovskie Vedomosti.

In 1919, education became free, and a preparatory faculty _____ CREATED for children of the working class so that they would be able to pass the entrance examinations.

In 1940, the University _____ NAME in honor of its founder Mikhail Lomonosov.

Since 1953, most of the faculties _____ SITUATE on Sparrow Hills. The MSU main building was the tallest building in the world outside New York City at the time of its construction. It _____ SAY to contain 33 kilometers of corridors and 5.000 rooms.

Now the University _____ HAVE 39 faculties, 13 research institutes and 14 research centers. More than 40,000 students study at the University. More than 10,000 professors and researchers

_____ WORK for the faculties and research institutes. Every year about 4,000 international students from all over the world _____ ENTER Moscow University.