
Educational event “NUS-FEST”

On November 16, 2019, at the initiative of the Pedagogical Institute and the Department of Primary Education of Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University, there was held an educational event "NUS-FEST". It included a discussion platform with reputable speakers and experts of the New Ukrainian School, the creative space in the format of an exclusive workshops, training sessions and the exhibition of didactic tools for the NUS by the Scientific and Methodological Center of the Publishing activities of Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University, publishing house "Ranok", Scientific center "European Didactics", and Dixie Center.

The participants of the educational event were primary school teachers, scientific and pedagogical workers from Kyiv and 12 regions of Ukraine.

The ideological developer and inspirer is **Olga Kotenko**, director of the Pedagogical Institute, Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences. The moderator of the discussion platform is **Hennadii Bondarenko**, head of the Department of Primary Education, Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences.

The discussion platform, which was held in the form of a talk show, was attended by:

- **Liliia Hrynevych** - vice-rector for scientific, pedagogical and international activities of Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University, Minister of Education and Science of Ukraine (2016-2019), Ukrainian educational and state worker;
- **Roman Shyian**- national director of the project "Learning Together", co-author of the State Standard of Primary Education;
- **Oksana Proskura**- Director of Kyiv Gymnasium of Oriental Languages #1;
- **Olha Miroshnykova** - teacher of primary school of I-III stages #294 of Desnyansky district, teacher of the pilot class, coach of NUS;
- **Kateryna Sizonenko** - graduate of Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University, deputy director of general secondary educational institution of the first degree "Academy of Modern Education".

During the discussion, joint mini-researches of lecturers of the Department of Primary School and students of specialty "Primary School" were discussed. In particular, the results of two years of piloting the NUS reform; how to overcome the dissonance between the number of students ready to work in NUS and a large number of vacancies in primary school; ways to provide continuity in the educational process from an adaptation and game period to the basic cycle of primary education; what problems the administration of an educational institution has in organization of educational process in NUS; what difficulties have primary school teachers in implementing NUS; how to become a "superteacher of NUS" and to go beyond our capabilities?

The creative process, which was aimed at mastering the teachers of primary school with modern pedagogical tools of NUS, was included the following workshops, trainings and interactive seminars:

- "Modern teachers and modern children: how to build effective interaction?" (**Svitlana Roiz** – children's family psychologist, author of books and educational projects, consultant of children's TV channel PlusPlus);

- "NUS reform: the 3rd year of piloting" (**Olena Linnik**- state expert of the Directorate of Preschool and School education of the Ministry of education and Science of Ukraine, Doctor of Pedagogical Sciences);
- "Rhetorical lifehacks for teachers of NUS" (**Hennadii Bondarenko**-Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, **Nataliia Kypychenko** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University);
- "Digital tools for teachers of NUS" (**Natalia Vyshnivska** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, **Oleksandra Shkurenko** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, **Olena Sakaliuk** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University);
- "Preparation of the child to NUS: to liquidate impossible to change" (**Hanna Bielienka** - Doctor of Pedagogical Sciences; **Olena Polovina** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, **Inna Kondratets** – Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University);
- "Media in teaching foreign languages: "dead" point or breakthrough "(**Lada Petryk**-Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University);
- "Studying the child in games" (**Lesya Kuzemko**- Candidate of Pedagogical Sciences, **Inna Melnyk**- Candidate of Psychological Sciences, Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University);

We thank everyone, who was attending the educational event "NUS-FEST" for the discussion, exchange of experience, plenty of emotions, positive mood and driving energy!