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The first stage of the contest took place today, October 17th, at “Tudor Vianu” National High school of Computer Science.



The contestants experienced an abundance of feelings before and after the competition, but they successfully managed to bring it off. It was a great chance for them to prove their knowledge among other talented students all around the world. While some of them made nothing of the exam, others found it little more challenging than expected. They shared impressions and different possible approaches to the key of the subjects, and then they soon began to rest their minds. “Tudor Vianu’s” students guided them to their lodgings where they had lunch.



Most of the participants were tired after five hours of intense work, so they decided to use their free time in the afternoon, getting some rest or visiting Bucharest. Although the weather wasn't on their side, the contestants still enjoyed their time. Some of them went to a traditional fair at the Romanian Peasant Museum, where they had the opportunity to taste from the famous "mici" with mustard or Romanian sausages, as well as the not-so-traditional Kurtos Kolac.





They also got a handle on the implications of being a Romanian, and what tradition means in our country. They saw some of our popular costumes and visited a Romanian countryside house.



Others went shopping for souvenirs at the mall or enjoyed themselves with hot, soothing beverages, in some of the most pleasant cafeterias in the centre of Bucharest. They experienced travelling by bus or by tram, or even the fully crowded Romanian subway. Those who didn't have the time yesterday, to visit the old town or to admire the touristic attractions in the center of the capital, marked it off today. A couple of teams went to a shopping center and played pool, bowling or ate pizza. In spite of the stressful day of the competition, some of the boys didn't forget about their girlfriends who are waiting for them in their countries and wrote them postcards "from Bucharest, with love". Now their Romanian guides have the important mission of stamping and sending them off.

Evening found them all at their lodgings, where they dined and where they are probably now sleeping or gathering their forces for tomorrow, the second day of the contest. We wish them all the best of luck!