

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Sofia High School for Mathematics.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Sofia.

Target Group: Forms 9–12.

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 3 academic hours' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years: 10 to 20 students.

History: Organised in 2003 on the initiative of Alexander Velinov and other teachers.

Financial Basis: Sponsored by the school.

Coaches: Alexander Velinov, Bozhidar Bozhanov.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Acad. Sergey P Korolyov High School for Science and Mathematics.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Blagoevgrad.

Target Group: Forms 8–12.

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 80 minutes' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years: 15 to 25 students.

History: In 2002–2003 led by Pavel Belchev, student at the American University in Bulgaria. Restored in 2005 by Stamen Filchev, then a 12th-form student.

Financial Basis: Sponsored by the school's budget and the board of trustees.

Coach: Stamen Filchev.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Acad. Ivan Tzenov High School for Science and Mathematics.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Vratza.

Target Group: The form (between 8 and 12) where Maksim Jordanov teaches mathematics in each particular year.

Format: Lectures at first, but progressing towards the form of a seminar over the academic year. 1 meeting per week, of 2 astronomic hours' duration. Up to 4 meetings per week when contests are in the offing.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years: 12 to 20 students.

History: Organised in 2002 on the initiative of G Jordanova and S Nyagolov. Recognised by the school as an elective course.

Financial Basis: Sponsored by the municipality.

Coach: Maksim Jordanov.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Romain Rolland High School with Teaching Foreign Languages.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Stara Zagora.

Target Group: Forms 9–12.

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 2 academic hours' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years: 20 to 30 students.

History: Organised in 2001 on the initiative of the headmaster and recognised by the school as an elective course.

Financial Basis: Sponsored by the school.

Coaches: Evgenia Kairakova.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Dr Petâr Beron High School for Mathematics.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Varna.

Target Group: Forms 5–12. Classes were held in a single group during the first three years, but now there are three groups (forms 5–7, forms 8–10 and forms 11–12).

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 2 hours' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years:

year	forms 5–7	forms 8–10	forms 11–12
2004/2005		10–15	25–30
2005/2006	10–12	15–20	10
2006/2007	10	10	20

History: Organised in 2002 on the students' initiative.

Financial Basis: Unfunded during the first three years. Now sponsored by the school.

Coaches: Valentina Momchilova, Veselina Todorovska.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, John the Exarch High School with Teaching Foreign Languages.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Varna.

Target Group: Forms 8–12. Classes are held in two groups (forms 8–10, forms 11–12).

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 2 academic hours' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years:

year	students
2004/2005	33
2005/2006	35
2006/2007	32

History: Organised in 1997/1998 on the initiative of Dimitâr Radev, then Chairman of the school's Board of Trustees.

Financial Basis:

- Until 1999/2000 the club was associated with the Varna section of the Union of Bulgarian Mathematicians, and the students' participation in contests was paid for by the Board of Trustees.
- From 2000/2001 to 2003/2004 the club was unfunded, and the students financed their own participation in contests.
- Since 2004/2005 work in the club is credited by the school as an elective (Mathematical Linguistics). The students' participation in national contests is sponsored by the Municipality of Varna.

Coach: Violeta Vitlyanova.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, 1st Language High School.

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Varna.

Target Group: Forms 8–12. Classes are held in two groups (forms 8–10, forms 11–12).

Format: 1 meeting per week, of 2 academic hours' duration.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years:

year	students
2004/2005	36
2005/2006	40
2006/2007	36

History: Organised in 2004/2005 on the initiative of Elena Karakulakova, then deputy headmistress of the school.

Financial Basis: Work in the club is credited by the school as an elective (Mathematical Linguistics). The students' participation in national contests is sponsored by the Municipality of Varna.

Coach: Violeta Vitlyanova.

Name of School: Linguistics Club, Centre for Students' Technical and Scientific Creativity (CSTSC).

Area: Linguistics.

Scale: Local.

Location: Ruse.

Target Group: Forms 5–12. Classes are held in two groups (forms 5–7, forms 8–12). The participants of the club are chosen by holding a city-wide competition for the candidates.

Format: 1 meeting per week (usually during the weekend), of 2 academic hours' duration. A week before a contest the students are excused from school and work in the club for 4 academic hours every day.

Number of Participants in the Last Three Years: 10–15 in each group.

History: Organised in 1982 in connexion with the Winter Mathematical Festivals on the initiative of CSTSC (then Station of Young Technicians).

Financial Basis: CSTSC sponsors the best students' participation in national contests.

Coach: Iliyana Raeva.

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