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Having opened the event, the rector of the institute, Agiya Nakhchivanli congratulated Ramiz Mammadzade, has talked about his personality, and presented to him a gift from the institution's staff.

The associate professor of the ATI, Rashid Jabbarov, gave broad information to the participants on rich course of its life, as well as scientific and pedagogical activity.

The Education Minister, MIsir Mardanov congratulated R. Mammadzade on his 80th anniversary. Naming him 'the teacher of teachers', the Minister underlined that he has big authority on society, as well as stressed that he was one of those rare people who lived all their lives with dignity. Mr. Mardanov noted that R. Mammadzade was very competencies in all positions he had worked, always lived with novelty, and set an example for future generation by its sincerity, simplicity, and nobleness.

The professor of the Azerbaijan State Pedagogical University, Abdul Alizade, chairman of the Azerbaijan Education Council, Ajar Agayev, the director of the school No. 177 of Baku, Hagiga Mammadova and others in their address congratulated R. Mammadzade.

At the end, bunches of flowers and presents were being given to R. Mammadzade.