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The event organized by the Baku city Education Development and Independent Trade Union of Education Workers of Azerbaijan is commenced with the national anthem of Azerbaijan. Speaking at the opening Naile Rzaguliyeva, director of the Baku city Education Department, welcomed participants and talked about works done at educational establishments of Baku within the state programs for provision of schools with ICT and informatization of education system. It was noted that the relevant steps are taken to use the new technologies in the education, and improve teachers' skill in the ICT area.

Vera Goryunova, director of Kiev city Science and Education Department, Elmira Suleymanova, Commissioner for Human Rights (Ombudsman) of the Republic of Azerbaijan, and Sattar Mehbaliyev, chairman of Azerbaijan Trade Unions Confederation in their speech noted significant role of this event in the effective use and widespread application of new technologies in education.

Further, Misir Mardanov, Minister of Education, started his speech. Having welcomed participants the Minister informed that the exhibition organized by the Baku city Education Department is held for a second year. He stressed that unlike last year, the exhibition is devoted to the urgent and important theme. Talking on the use of ICT in educational establishments, successes achieved in the entrance exams, the Minister wished every success to teachers and pupils and congratulated organizers on the opening of exhibition.

A video on the use of ICT in education was demonstrated at the event.

Later, Minister and guests were acquainted with 15 sections – distance learning, e-school, ICT in primary schools and, etc.