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On June 1, the VIII Meeting of the Ministers of Education of the Organization of Turkic States was held in Azerbaijan's Shusha.

The Minister of Science and Education of the Republic of Azerbaijan, Emin Amrullayev, who delivered the opening speech, welcomed the guests and underlined the successes achieved by the Organization of Turkic States (OTS) in a short period, which are admirable.

Saying that the Ministry of Science and Education is happy to contribute to these pivotal processes, Emin Amrullayev emphasized that the foundation of sustainable and healthy cooperation between the Turkic-speaking countries is the youth. The minister noted that in this regard, the exchange of students of general educational institutions within the framework of OTS enables our schoolchildren to get to know our common history, culture and traditions.

The minister said that within the organization's framework and bilateral cooperation, relations between the OTS member states have been steadily thriving. He assessed the schools built with the support of brotherly countries in the territories liberated from occupation, as well as other works done, as another symbol of friendship and brotherhood between our countries.

At the end of his speech, the minister touched upon the goals ahead for the development of bilateral cooperation with OTS member and observer countries.

Later, other guests spoke and talked about strengthening cooperation in the fields of science and education.

After the speeches, the issues on the agenda of the meeting were discussed.