



HSE International Prep Year

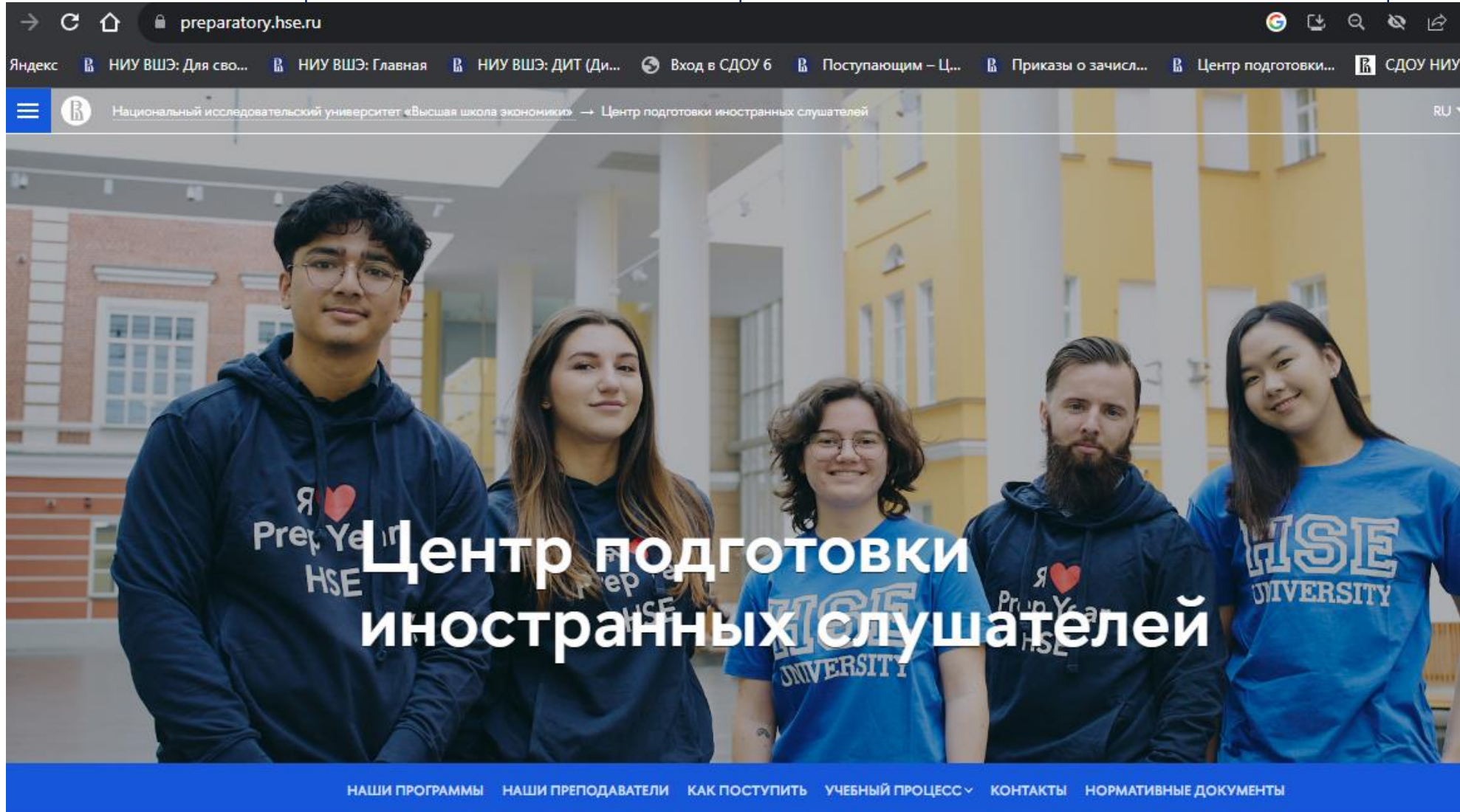
For fee-paying students

Moscow, 2025

Orientation Summary 2025

Привет!





<https://preparatory.hse.ru/en/>



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Hours

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Working hours

Monday – Friday: 10:00-18:00
Saturday-Sunday - CLOSED

Address

Moscow, Pokrovsky bulvar, building D, offices **D601**, D602



BEFORE ARRIVAL



Step 1

Fill in the **data** in your HSE Prep Year personal account.

Step 2

Sign the **contract** and upload it to the personal account.
Fill in the **"Visa" section** in your personal account.

Step 3

Receive the **visa invitation** from HSE Prep Year Office and apply for visa in your country.

Step 4

Get a **visa**, send a scan / photo of the visa to the study office interprep@hse.ru

Step 5

Fill in the **arrival date** in your HSE Prep Year personal account.
Plan your arrival any date after September 25.

Step 6

Choose a **place of residence** (if necessary, contact the Student Housing office sho@hse.ru)

Step 7

Purchase a **VMI policy** (you can choose from the ones presented on the website <https://www.hse.ru/en/medical/ins/>)

Step 8

Make a payment at the bank within 3 days from the date of arrival in Russia.



!!! Please pay your attention that arrival date must be not later than 45 days before your visa expire !!!



Russian Language Placement test at HSE University



Please note that this is NOT an exam, this is a test for distributing you into groups for comfortable learning.



ACADEMIC YEAR



Where do you get?

The **Study Office** will help you get a regular student pass at the time of enrollment. Before the first visit to the study building, inform us interprep@hse.ru about your visit in advance and take your passport with you.

Student ID

The Prep year students are not eligible to receive a student ID and student social card (also known as transport card).

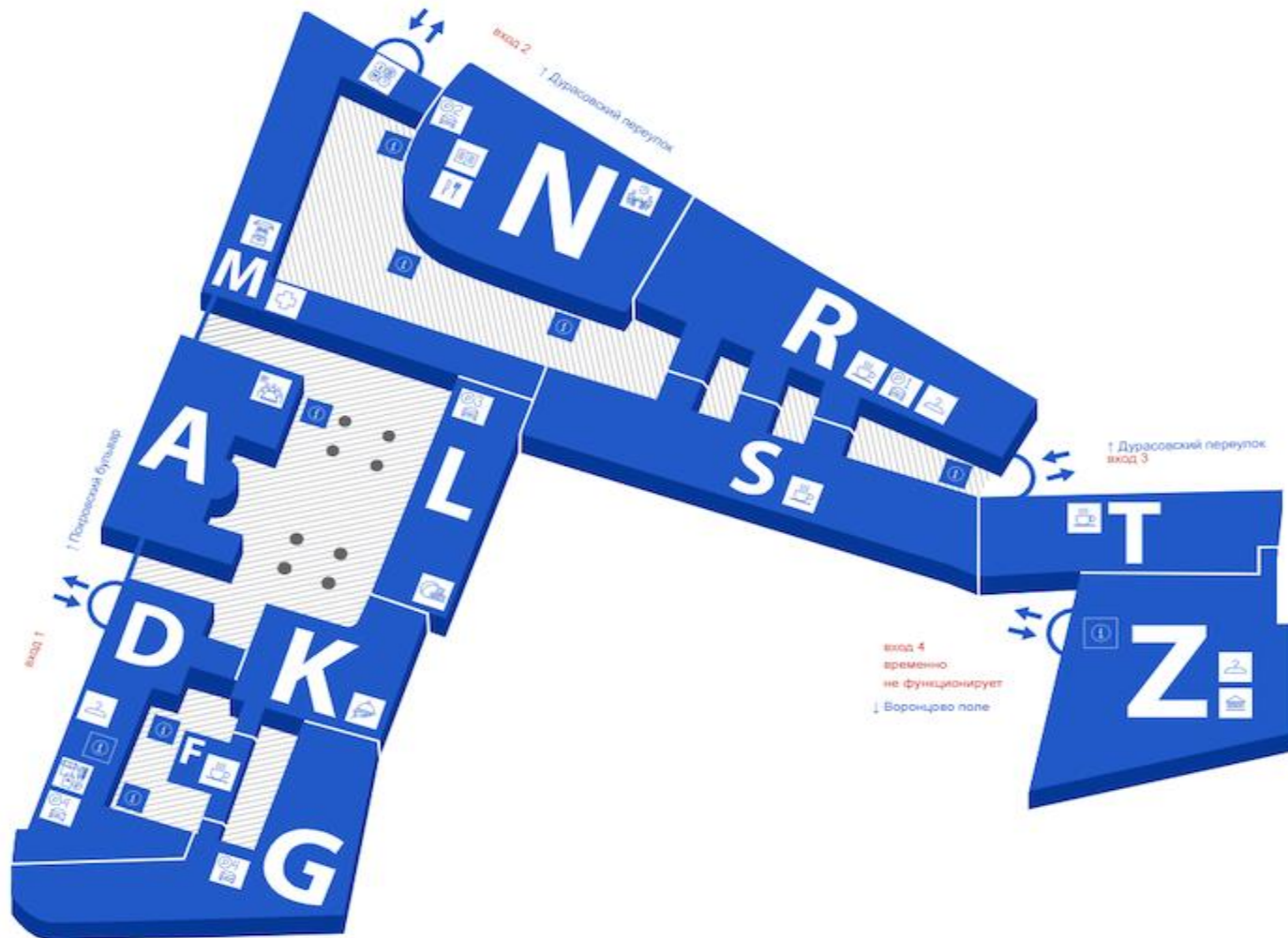


During your stay at HSE all e-mails and notifications from the office (study schedule, visa issues, etc.) will be sent to your student email **ONLY**.

Your log-in instructions and password to enter your e-mail box will be provided to you in an e-mail from International Prep Year manager.

Please note that this is your responsibility to check your student e-mail DAILY to avoid misinformation.

Email example: aivanov@edu.hse.ru



The nearest metro station:

- «Chistye Prudy»
- «Kitay-Gorod»
- «Kurskaya»
- «Chkalovskaya»

You can see more at the link
<https://www.hse.ru/buildinghse/pokrovka/>



How to get?

You can get it [online](#)

Address

Pokrovsky boulevard, 11,
building N

*Please check [library rules](#) before
your visit*



You can use library's electronic resources [here](#).

In the end of the academic year you will need to return books before receiving your certificate.



Module 1	Module 2	Module 3	Module 4
October 01 – November 30	December 01– February 8	February 09 – April 12	April 13 – June 14
Intermediate assessment: November 24 – 29	Intermediate assessment: January 26-31	Intermediate exams: March 30 – April 04	Final assessment: June 15 – 30
Russian language	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Russian language Language for special purposes 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Russian language Language for special purposes Preparation to TORFL Cultural linguistics programme 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Russian language Language for special purposes Preparation to TORFL Cultural linguistics programme
Winter break December 29 - January 11		Spring break April 27 – May 03	
Final assessment June 15 – 30, 2026			

National and public holidays in 2025/2026:
 November 3, 4
 December 31 – January 11
 February 23
 March 9
 May 1, 11
 June 12

Certificates
 2 weeks after the last exams (mid-July 2026)



It is not allowed to change groups without Prep Year study office permission.

1 Lesson	09:30 – 10:50 (Moscow time)
2 Lesson	11:10 – 12:30 (Moscow time)
3 Lesson	13:00 – 14:20 (Moscow time)
4 Lesson	14:40 – 16:00 (Moscow time)
5 Lesson	16:20 – 17:40 (Moscow time)
6 Lesson	18:10 – 19:30 (Moscow time)
7 Lesson	19:40 – 21:00 (Moscow time)



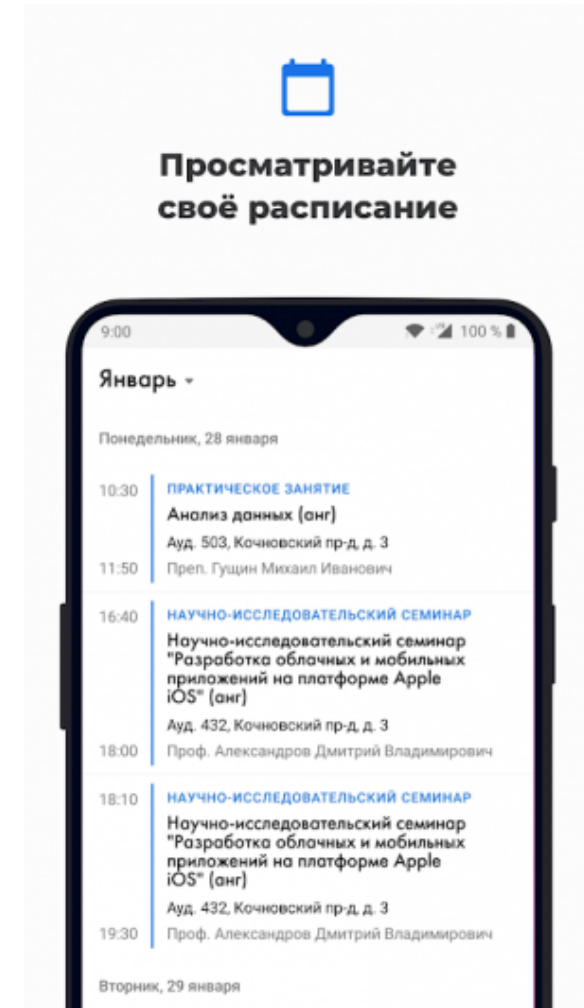
[HSE mobile app](#) (available for iOS, Android, or WindowsPhone)
or on the [website](#) (choose Schedule-Student-your name).

Class duration - 1 hour 20 minutes in total.

The beginning of each class is fixed.

Offline classes - HSE building

Schedule: 6 days a week, 6-8 hours a day.





Regularity: routine assessment, intermediate assessment, and the final assessment.

Forms of knowledge assessment: tests and exams.

Exam Schedule: formed one week before the exams and published on the Preparatory Year web page.



**Please note that skipping classes affects your final grade.
You final grade will consist of attendance, performance in classes and homework.**



At the final assessment you can take the TRKI (TORFL) exam.

If you pass the Russian language exam successfully, you will receive an international TRKI (TORFL) certificate. This certificate is indefinite.

How to use it?

- instead of the final Russian language exam in Russian
- instead of HSE Russian language entrance exam.



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СВИДЕТЕЛЬСТВО

настоящее свидетельство выдано

_____ (фамилия, имя (имена), отчество (при наличии))
(дата рождения) _____

гражданину (ке) Ирак (гражданство)

поступившему (ей) 01.10.2021 года (дата)

направления Минобрнауки России № _____
(номер направления Минобрнауки России, номера договора об оказании платных образовательных услуг)


и успешно завершившему (ей) обучение 31.08.2022 года (дата)

в НИУ «Высшая школа экономики»,
Центр подготовки иностранных слушателей
(наименование образовательной организации)

по дополнительной общеобразовательной программе, обеспечивающей подготовку иностранных граждан к освоению профессиональных образовательных программ на русском языке
45.04.02 Лингвистика

 Первый проректор
В.В. Радаев _____ (подпись)
31.08.2022 (дата выдачи)

г. Москва

 Федеральное государственное автономное образовательное учреждение высшего образования «Национальный исследовательский университет «Высшая школа экономики»

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За время обучения сдал(а) зачеты и итоговые экзамены по следующим дисциплинам:

Наименование предметов	Общее количество часов (Аудиторное кол-во часов)	Результаты	
		Отлика	Баллы
1. Русский язык	1634/688	5 (отлично)	89
2. Язык специальности	228/96	5 (отлично)	90
3. Литература	190/64	5 (отлично)	91
4. История	190/64	5 (отлично)	87
5. Обществознание	228/96	5 (отлично)	88
Всего	2508/1008		

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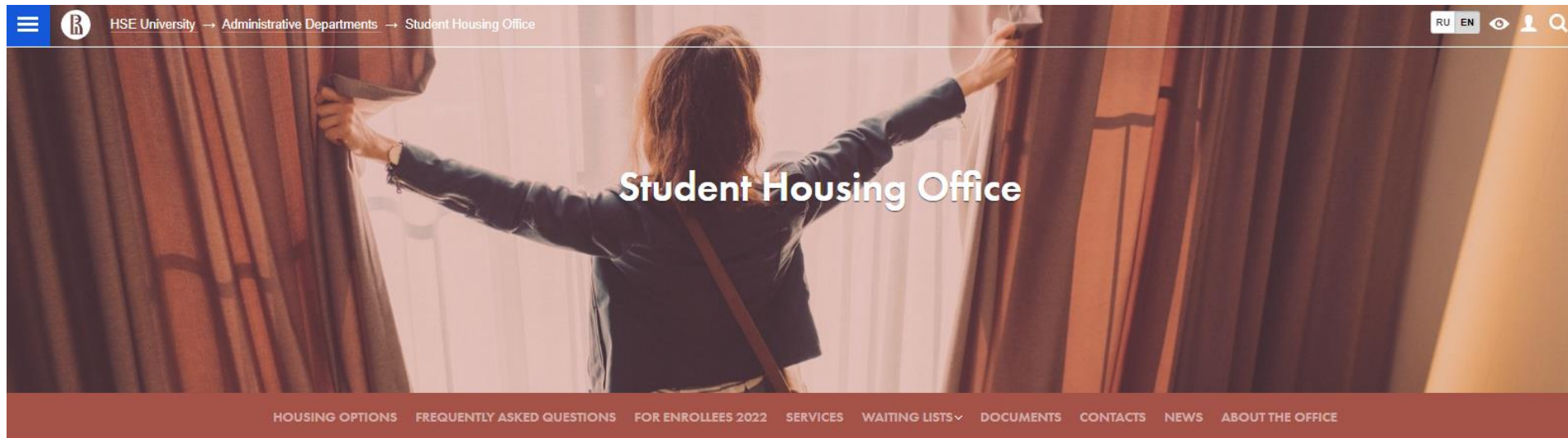


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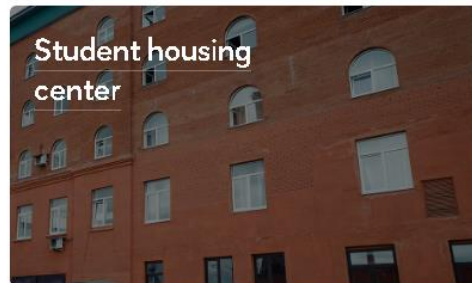
*The discount does not apply to all HSE programmes, check on the website of the programme you are interested in



ACCOMMODATION



Housing Options



<https://www.hse.ru/en/sho/>
sho@hse.ru



- ✓ Health certificate
 - ✓ Vaccination certificate
 - ✓ VMI policy (you can choose from the ones presented on the site <https://www.hse.ru/en/medical/ins/>)
 - ✓ If you have a COVID-19 vaccination certificate (COVID-19 vaccination certificate is not obligatory)
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- please provide us with the notarized translation into Russian or English
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- Please pay attention that the places in every housing options are limited. You should be prepared for the fact that there may not be enough places and you will be forced to look for housing in Moscow on your own without the help of the University.



FULL-DEGREE ENROLLMENT

[ADMISSIONS.HSE.RU](https://admissions.hse.ru)



ACTIVITIES



RUSSIAN SPEAKING CLUB



INTERNATIONAL PREP YEAR EVENTS

Graduation party (beginning of July 2026)



LIFE IN MOSCOW



The «Troika» card
 The cost of 1 trip is **67 rubles**
 The card is **valid in Moscow**



The «Troika-Strelka» card
 The cost of 1 trip is **90 rubles**
 The card is **valid in Moscow and Moscow region**

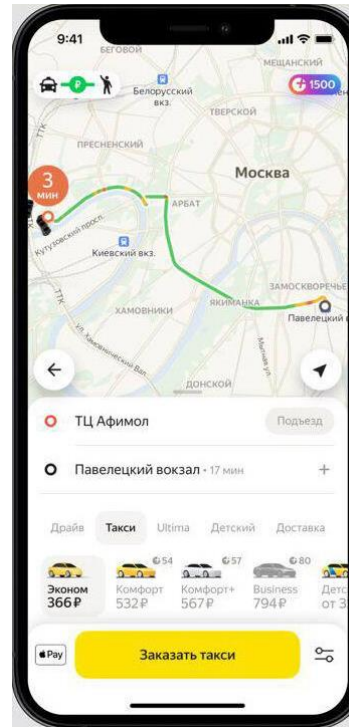




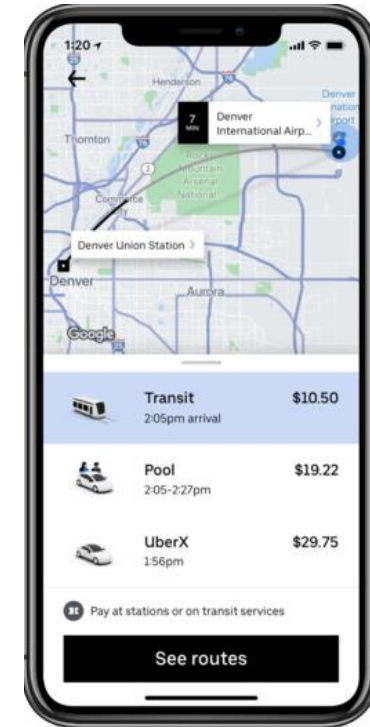
Moscow metro map



Yandex taxi



Uber taxi





ТИНЬКОФФ



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