## 1951 Meetings

Dates of Meeting: 19-03-1951 – 31-03-1951 Type of Meeting: 1st National Conference on Secondary Education Place of Meeting: Beijing Attendance: Major Agenda Items: Speeches/Reports: Other Decisions and/or Actions:

## Based on the conference, the Ministry of Education issued the "Temporary Rules for Middle Schools" in the next year. According to this directive, the task of middle schools was to educate a generation of young people for the new China, which meant to combine the theory of Marxism-Leninism with a concrete appreciation for Chinese society and to cultivate proletarian successors who loved the party, the people, and the country. In the early 1950s, a unified system of middle schools was set up in China. All private middle schools were eliminated, and all curriculum and textbooks were standardized.

Remarks: