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1. In early 1952, a naval school for boys, named after the Soviet Admiral Nakhimov, was opened in Varna. Cadets are selected from students with good scholastic records whose families are loyal to the Communist regime.
2. The training course lasts six years and includes special courses dealing with Soviet history and the Soviet Navy. Cadets wear a naval uniform with a special shoulder patch. Upon graduation, high ranking cadets may enter the Soviet Naval Academy.

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