

## 1. MONOLOGUE

## PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

**Time:** 3–4 minutes

**Topic:** Science

**Task:** Talk on the given topic. Look at the pictures and answer the questions below.



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- Describe the pictures by discussing their similarities and/or differences in relation to the topic.
  - What is your favourite branch of science, for example, linguistics, biology, physics, astronomy, etc.? Why? Give at least two arguments to support your opinion.
  - How do advancements in science affect people's lives? Give at least two arguments to support your view.
- *In your opinion, what has been the most important scientific discovery ever? Why?*
- *Can science be dangerous? Why / Why not?*

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## ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

*Time:* 3–4 minutes

*Topic:* **Vilnius 700**

*Task:* Talk on the given topic. Look at the pictures and answer the questions below.



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- Describe the pictures by discussing their similarities and/or differences.
  - Vilnius is celebrating its 700th birthday in 2023. Do you think it is an important anniversary? Why / Why not? Give at least two arguments to support your opinion.
  - In your opinion, what makes a city unique and special? Why? Give at least two arguments to support your view.
- *Is it better to live in an old city with a lot of history, or a more modern one? Why?*
- *Is it good to live in a multicultural city? Why / Why not?*

## 2. DIALOGUE

## KANDIDATŲ POROS

*Time:* 4–5 minutes

*Topic:* **Does technology make people lazy?**

*Situation:* Your English teacher has given you a task to prepare for the debates on the topic above. You and your partner belong to the same team and **both** of you will have to support the same side.

*Task:* To generate arguments and prepare for the debates, you have to:

- exchange your opinions on the topic;
- brainstorm the arguments for the side you are going to defend;
- consider the arguments the opposing team may present and discuss why you will disagree with them.

*Candidate 1 starts the conversation.*