

## 1. MONOLOGUE

## PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

*Time:* 3–4 minutes

*Topic:* **Lifelong Learning**

*Task:* Talk on the topic by doing the tasks below.



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- Describe the pictures by discussing their similarities and differences **in relation to** the topic.
- How does continuous learning contribute to personal and professional growth? Provide arguments to support your opinion.
- Some people say you can't succeed in life without a university degree, while others believe skills and self-education matter more than any diploma. Consider **both** opinions and explain your point of view.

➤ *In your opinion, how can technology support lifelong learning?*

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## ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

*Time:* 3–4 minutes

*Topic:* **Traditional vs Modern Celebrations**

*Task:* Talk on the topic by doing the tasks below.



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- Describe the pictures by discussing their similarities and differences **in relation to** the topic.
- Why do many celebrations today focus on shopping and spending money rather than on tradition? Provide arguments to support your opinion.
- Some people say that celebrations should focus on preserving traditions and their original meaning, while others argue that celebrations naturally change over time and should reflect modern lifestyles. Consider **both** opinions and explain your point of view.

➤ *Do you think new celebrations will ever replace traditional ones, or will both continue to exist? Why? / Why not?*

## 2. DIALOGUE

## KANDIDATŲ POROS

*Time:* 4–5 minutes

*Topic:* **Competition pressure: should competition in school be encouraged, or should collaboration and teamwork be prioritised instead?**

*Situation:* You and your partner are preparing for a critical thinking workshop on the topic above. Work together to plan your ideas and suggest a rational decision – your aim is to win votes for the most convincing arguments.

*Task:* During your talk, you should:

- consider why the issue matters,
- explore both sides of the topic,
- agree on a unified position supporting it with clear reasoning.

*Candidate 1 starts the conversation.*