

1. MONOLOGUE

PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **The Importance of Respect**

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 some people believe respect is the foundation of strong relationships and communities? Provide arguments to support your opinion.
- Some people say respect should be given automatically based on someone's status, whereas others argue that it should be earned. Consider **both** opinions and explain your point of view.

➤ *Do you think mutual respect between generations is becoming less common today? Why? / Why not?*

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ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **Fast Fashion: Cheap but Unsustainable**

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 the rapid and cheap production of clothes impact the environment? Provide arguments to support your opinion.
- Some people say that clothes should be long-lasting and reflect our personal style, while others argue that fashion is all about keeping up with trends and fitting in. Consider **both** opinions and explain your point of view.

➤ *Do you think the future of fashion can be sustainable while also meeting consumer demands? Why? / Why not?*

2. DIALOGUE

KANDIDATŲ POROS

Time: 4–5 minutes

Topic: **Choices after school: should young people pursue further education straight away, or should they take a gap year instead?**

Situation: You and your partner are preparing for a critical thinking workshop on the topic above. Work together to plan your ideas and reach 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.