

1. MONOLOGUE

PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **Politics**

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.
 - Should young people be interested in politics? Why / Why not? Give at least two arguments to support your opinion.
 - What qualities make a good political leader? Why do you think so? Give at least two arguments to support your view.
- *Should students participate in decision making at school? Why / Why not?*
- *Why do some people choose not to vote?*

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ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **University**

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



- Describe the pictures by discussing their similarities and/or differences in relation to the topic.
 - What is the value of university education? Why? Give at least two arguments to support your opinion.
 - How can university graduates contribute to society? Give at least two arguments to support your view.
- *In your opinion, should university education be free? Why / Why not?*
- *What do you think about studying at university online?*

2. DIALOGUE

KANDIDATŲ POROS

Time: 4–5 minutes

Topic: **Does social media have a positive or negative effect on society?**

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.