

## 1. MONOLOGUE

## PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

*Time:* 3–4 minutes

*Topic:* **School Matura Examinations & Expectations**

*Task:* Read the statement and answer the questions below.

**Matura examinations claim to measure students' knowledge and readiness for adult life, yet in reality, they often test exam-taking skills more than true understanding.**

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
  - Why do matura examinations have such a strong impact on students' daily lives and emotional well-being, and how would you evaluate that impact?
  - To what extent are the expectations connected to matura examinations realistic, and how might this affect students' approach to learning?
- ❖ *Additional question: Should continuous assessment during the school year matter more than final exams? Why or why not?*

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## ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

*Time:* 3–4 minutes*Topic:* **Influencer Culture & Self-Perception***Task:* Read the statement and answer the questions below.

**The rise of influencers has transformed the way personal opinions are shared online, often blurring the line between genuine expression and the pursuit of popularity.**

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
- Why is online popularity often seen as a sign of success, and how would you evaluate the idea that popularity represents success?
- How can online environments influence the way young people see themselves, and what might be the long-term effects of this?

❖ *Additional question: In your opinion, what makes someone trustworthy online? Why?*

## 2. DIALOGUE

## KANDIDATŲ POROS

*Time:* 4–5 minutes*Topic:* **Standing Out on Social Media: Confidence or Stress?**

*Situation:* Together with your partner, you are taking part in a creative lab for young content creators. You are working to prepare an educational podcast that addresses the topic above and why it is relevant to your generation. The podcast should last ten minutes and offer practical and convincing advice.

*Task:* In your discussion, exchange the following information:

- consider why the topic matters,
- explore **both** perspectives on the topic,
- agree on at least one piece of advice young people could follow, and justify why this advice would be helpful.

*Candidate 1 starts the conversation.*