

1. MONOLOGUE

PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **Comfort & Personal Growth**

Task: Read the statement and answer the questions below.

Personal growth is often seen as a priority, but it can sometimes be overrated.

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
 - Why is comfort so strongly valued, and how does this influence ambition and willingness to face challenges?
 - How could young people be encouraged to accept discomfort as part of growth, and how would this help to progress?
- ❖ *Additional question: Where should the line be drawn between a healthy challenge and unnecessary pressure? Why?*

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ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes*Topic:* **Image & Real Development***Task:* Read the statement and answer the questions below.

Today, young people are often expected to present themselves in a positive and attractive way, especially online and in competitive environments.

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
 - Why do young people feel pressured to manage their image, and how can this affect the way they see themselves?
 - How could education better prepare young people for real-life challenges, and why would this be helpful?
- ❖ *Additional question: Is managing your image a useful skill, or does it create unnecessary pressure? Why or why not?*

2. DIALOGUE

KANDIDATŲ POROS

Time: 4–5 minutes*Topic:* **Modern Advertising: Manipulate or Inform?**

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.