

1. MONOLOGUE

PIRMOJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **Literature & Experience**

Task: Read the statement and answer the questions below.

Books can introduce people to places, experiences, and viewpoints they may never encounter in everyday life.

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
 - Why do digital forms of entertainment influence young people's interest in reading books, and what impact do they have on attention and understanding?
 - How could literature be made more relevant and engaging for young people, and why would your suggestions be effective?
- ❖ *Additional question: Can literature still be valuable in a world where information is available instantly? Why or why not?*

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ANTROJO POROS KANDIDATO

Time: 3–4 minutes

Topic: **Kindness & Connection**

Task: Read the statement and answer the questions below.

In competitive environments, people are often encouraged to focus on personal success rather than helping others.

- What is your reaction to the content of the statement? Justify your answer by explaining why.
 - Why is kindness often considered an important quality in relationships, and how important do you think it is?
 - How could young people be encouraged to notice opportunities to help others, and what can they learn from helping others?
- ❖ *Additional question: Should community service be a required part of education? Why or why not?*

2. DIALOGUE

KANDIDATŲ POROS

Time: 4–5 minutes

Topic: **Looking Ahead: Hope or Realism?**

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.