

Exam Options 9th Grade (OGE) 2019- 2020

1. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Foreign Languages**

Remember to say about:

- the reasons to study foreign languages;
- the ways to learn a foreign language;
- what the most effective way to learn a foreign language in your opinion is;
- how people can improve their language skills;
- what you did to prepare for your English exam;
- what foreign languages you would like to learn and why.

2. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Leisure and Sports Activities.**

Remember to say about:

- why a lot of young people do sports nowadays;
- what sports activities are popular with teenagers in your region;
- what sports clubs and teams there are in your school;
- what you do to keep fit;
- why a healthy lifestyle is more popular nowadays;
- what you do in your free time, why.

3. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Travelling.**

Remember to say about:

- why most people like travelling ;
- what people like doing while travelling;
- what means of transport is the best for travelling, in your view;
- whether it is easier to travel nowadays than centuries ago, and why;
- what places in Russia you would like to visit;
- what country or continent you would like to visit, why;

4. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Books and Reading**

Remember to say:

- Whether reading is still popular with teenagers, why, or why not;
- What kinds of books modern teenagers enjoy reading;
- Whether libraries are necessary nowadays or not, and why;
- Why many people prefer e-books to paper books;
- Your favourite writer and why;
- What book you have read recently, and what it was about

5. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Mass Media**.

Remember to say about:

- why using the Internet is so popular;
- what dangers teenagers can face when they use the Internet;
- why people spend time watching TV;
- what you dislike most about TV;
- what most teenagers prefer: watching TV or browsing the Internet, and why;
- whether there is a TV programme you really like

6. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Being a Teenager**.

Remember to say about:

- about the problems of young people;
- what people need friends for;
- what you enjoy doing together;
- if teenagers should help their parents with the housework, why or why not?
- the duties of modern teens (domestic chores, siblings care);
- What hobbies are popular with Russian teenagers;

7. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Personality**.

Remember to say about:

- whether you have a lot of free time, and why, or why not;
- what you enjoy doing in your free time;
- what your Sunday afternoons are like;
- what your favourite public holiday is, and why you like it;
- how you celebrate your favourite holiday;
- what you usually do when it is nasty and cold

8. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Education and school**

Remember to say:

- what you like about your school most of all;
- what your favourite subject is, and why;
- what school subjects you have chosen for your exams, and why;
- whether you prefer classroom learning or online learning, and why;
- whether schoolchildren should be given more or less homework, and why;
- what weekday you find the most difficult, and why;
- whether it is important to wear uniform at school, and why

9. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Future Career**.

Remember to say about:

- what job you would like to do in the future, explain your choice;
- what school subjects will be important for your future job;
- whether your family approve of your career choice or not;
- In what way English will be useful for your future career;
- what jobs, in your opinion, will be popular in the future, and why;
- what job and education opportunities young people have after finishing the 9th form

10. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Ecology**.

Remember to say about:

- why people worry about environmental problems nowadays;
- What the most serious environmental problems on the planet are;
- what the most serious environmental problem in the place where you live is;
- how the Earth's climate has changed recently;
- what young people can do to improve the ecological situation;
- if you approve of the Green Movement, why

11. Give a 2-minute talk on the topic **Culture & Arts**.

Remember to say about:

- why people like taking pictures;
- why taking photos is more popular today than it was in the past;
- what the best photo you have ever taken is;
- what kinds of films modern teenagers enjoy;
- where you prefer watching films: on TV, on the Internet or in the cinema, and why;
- what film you have seen recently, what it was about