

The way of learning

Comparing and contrasting the pictures

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Similarities	Differences
<i>the way of learning</i>	<i>children are serious – a girl is smiling,</i>
<i>classrooms</i>	<i>a lot of pupils – only one girl,</i>
<i>pupils</i>	<i>children are writing in their copybooks – a girl is working at the computer</i>
<i>children are doing the task</i>	<i>the students are working on their own – a teacher helps the girl</i>

The plan

- **Study the two photographs. In 1.5 minutes be ready to compare and contrast the photographs:**

- give a brief description of the photos (action, location)
- say what the pictures have in common
- say in what way the pictures are different
- say which of the ways of reading a book presented in the pictures you'd prefer
- explain why
- **You will speak for not more than 2 minutes (12–15 sentences). You have to talk continuously.**



Описание и сравнение двух фото – 7 баллов

- **Решение коммуникативной задачи (содержание) – 3 балла:**

Коммуникативная задача выполнена полностью: содержание полно, точно и развёрнуто отражает все аспекты, указанные в задании (12–15 фраз)

- **Организация высказывания – 2 балла:**

Высказывание логично и имеет завершённый характер; имеются вступительная и заключительная фразы, соответствующие теме. Средства логической связи используются правильно

- **Языковое оформление высказывания – 2 балла:**

Используемый словарный запас, грамматические структуры, фонетическое оформление высказывания соответствуют поставленной задаче (допускается не более двух негрубых лексико-грамматических ошибок И/ИЛИ не более двух негрубых фонетических ошибок)

Useful vocabulary

Образец заполнения таблицы 2

Complete the information

A brief description (action, location)

In the first/second photo there is/are...
In the first/second photo we can see ...
He/She/They is/are ...ing smth
They seem/look ...

What the pictures have in common

What both pictures have in common is...
Both photos show ...
Each picture illustrates how ...
In the first photo, like in the second one there is/are...
Similarly to the first photo, the second one has ...
Also the weather in the second picture is ... like in the first one.

In what way the pictures are different

However, there are also some differences between the pictures.
The main difference between picture 1 and picture 2 is ...
In the first picture there is ... while in the second one ...
In the first photo you can see ... However in the second there are ...
The second picture depicts... whereas the first picture...
People in the first photo are ..., but in the second picture they are ...

Which way of learning you prefer, explain why

I prefer the ... presented in the first/second photo because ...
Personally I think ...
In my opinion...

Sample answer:

- I'd like to describe two photographs of people enjoying themselves. In the first picture you can see a family walking by the sea. It is a lovely day and it is, obviously, great to be together. The second picture shows a man lying on his back and listening to music indoors. He is very pleased because it is, probably, his favourite music and he loves listening to it.
- These photos are quite similar as they both show nice ways to pass you time. Moreover, the people in the pictures are smiling. They seem to be happy on their holidays.
- However, there are some differences between the photos. The left one is taken outside while the right one is inside and there is contrast between activity and pure relaxing. There is also a difference between doing things together and individually.
- As for me, I would choose a seaside holiday shown in the first picture.
- There are several reasons for it. Firstly, I love my family and prefer to spend my free time with them. Secondly, I'm fond of active holidays where I can swim, run or play sports games.
- Well, I've come up to the end of my talk, I hope I've managed to compare and contrast these two photos.

Study the two photographs. In 10 minutes be ready to compare and contrast the photographs:

- give a brief description of the photos (action, location)
- say what the pictures have in common
- say in what way the pictures are different
- say which way of preparing for classes presented in the pictures you prefer
- explain why



Reflection

<u>Now I know...</u> <u>(put a tick where necessary)</u>	Very good	Good	Not good	very	Poor
how to find the differences and similarities between the pictures					
the plan of the statement					
the useful phrases and vocabulary					
how to compare and contrast the photos					