

Описание фотографии

DESCRIBING A PICTURE

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Что это и зачем придумали? (проверяются):

- способность быстро формулировать монолог длиной в 2 минуты по плану;
- грамматический и лексический уровень;
- умение вести неподготовленную речь.



In your talk remember to speak about:

- where and when the photo was taken;
- what/who is in the photo;
- what is happening;
- why you keep the photo in your album;
- why you decided to show the picture to your friend.



- **Где и когда была снята эта фотография.**

1-2 предложения;

- **Кто или что изображено на этой фотографии.**

2-3 предложения;

- **Что на ней происходит.**

рассказывайте все, что можете, но помните про время!

- **Почему ты хранишь эту фотографию в своем альбоме.**

ответы могут различаться, фраза «to recall good memories».

- **Почему ты показываешь эту фотографию своему другу.**

- можно заранее придумать пару готовых предложений.

Полезные фразы в помощь

- ▶ **Well...** — Ладно.
- ▶ **In the photo ...** — На фотографии...
- ▶ **I took this picture... when/because** — Я сделал этот снимок... когда/потому что...
- ▶ **In the foreground/background of the picture...** — На переднем/заднем плане картинки...
- ▶ **At the very particular moment** — В этот самый момент...

Образцы и примеры





1.

➔ ***I have chosen the first photo.***

(Начинать с этой фразы лучше всего. У вас появятся лишние три секунды, а экзаменатору сразу становится понятно, что вы будете описывать.)



2.

- I took this photo when we were having a family dinner at my grandparents' house last winter. That is how we usually spend weekends during the winter time so I have at least a dozen other similar photos.



3.

- In this photo you can see all my brothers and sisters, and my grandparents as well. They look happy as the dinner has already started and it is absolutely delicious. There is lots of food, the room is dimly lit and atmosphere is very cozy.



4.

- ▶ As I have already mentioned, we are having dinner in this picture. What is more, we are talking, discussing some school issues and having fun. Well, it is not shown in the picture, but I had taken it a few seconds before mother brought in a delicious turkey.



5.

- The reason why I keep this photo is because I really love my family and I adore such evenings. We gather together, share some school stories and enjoy ourselves. Another reason for keeping the photo is the opportunity of recollecting those memories any time I need it.



6.

- ▶ I wanted to share this picture with you because as far as I know you are going to have some family weekend soon, so I would like to remind you how important and pleasant it is to keep such sweet memories.



7.

➔ ***That is all I wanted to say.***

(Не забудьте про эту фразу, ведь ею вы показываете экзаменатору, что ваш монолог окончен).

Шаблон описания картинки

▶ Начало

I've chosen photo number ...

▶ Вступление

As you know I like taking photos. It is my hobby and I can't miss an opportunity to make photo of an interesting event. Now I want to show you one of my best photos.

Отвечаем на вопрос

- where and when the photo was taken

I took this photo during my holidays (travelling, two years ago) when I was in

Отвечаем на вопрос

what/who is in the photo и what is happening

- In the foreground of the picture you can see...
- You can't see me because I'm taking the photo.
- They are very happy because at last their dream came true
- In the background of the picture you can see...

(Можно также использовать конструкцию there is/are...)

Отвечаем на вопрос

why you keep the photo in your album

I keep this photo in my album because looking at this photo makes me go back in that time. Moreover, I used this photo for my school project....

Отвечаем на вопрос

why you decided to show the picture to your friend

- ▶ I decided to show this photo to you because it carries pleasant memories
(it makes me think of.....)
- ▶ That's all I wanted to say. (Закончите Ваш ответ этой фразой)

Сравнение двух фото (картинок)

- ▶ **Both pictures show...** — Обе картинки изображают ...
- ▶ **The pictures were taken in ...** — Фотографии были сделаны в ...
- ▶ **In the first/second picture...** — На первой/второй картинке...
- ▶ **As for...** — Что касается...
- ▶ **While ...** — В то время, как/Пока...
- ▶ **There seems/might...** — Кажется/Может быть...
- ▶ **As for me...** — Что касается меня...
- ▶ **It gives the impression that/of ...** — Есть впечатление, что...

Task 4. Study the two 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 game presented in the pictures you'd prefer
- ▶ explain why



Вступление

- ▶ Well, there are two pictures in front of me, and now I am going to compare and contrast them. To begin with, I'd like to say that both pictures are related to one theme. It is ...

Краткое описание фото

- ▶ I'd like to start with describing the first picture. It shows a person who is doing smth.
- ▶ As for the second picture, it shows a man who is doing smth.




Говорим о сходстве

- ▶ Obviously, these photos have much in common
- ▶ The pictures do not have a lot in common. As I have already mentioned, they both deal with ... (повторяем тему).



Говорим о различиях

- ▶ Though, both pictures have great differences. In the first picture
 - ▶ Firstly, the main difference between two photos is ...
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Говорим о своих предпочтениях

- ▶ As for me, I would prefer ... because ...
- ▶ Если трудно аргументировать свой ответ, можно сказать что-то общее, например,
- ▶ I've always wanted to try it
- ▶ It suits me better
- ▶ In my opinion...
- ▶ I like it (I am keen on/enjoy) and I think it's ...(прилагательное)



Важно!

- ▶ Выразить свое мнение и аргументировать его.
- ▶ That is all I wanted to say.