

Практическое занятие № 12

Тема: Диалог этикетного характера; описания и сообщение как формы монологического высказывания, образцы текстов для чтения по изучаемой теме.

Цель: Совершенствование навыков чтения и перевода с целью извлечения информации, развитие навыков диалогической и монологической речи по теме: Великобритания

Содержание работы:

1. Чтение. Прочитайте диалог.
2. Переведите диалог и текст

1. Read the dialog/прочитайте диалог

- **Is England the name of that country?** - Эта страна называется Англия?
- **No, it isn't. It's called Great Britain, or simply Britain. England is a part of it.** - Нет. Она называется Великобритания, или просто Британия. Англия - только часть ее.
- **Really? So, I'm sorry, I'm mistaken.** - Правда? Ну тогда прошу прощения. Я заблуждался.
- **In my opinion you simply mix the names.** - Я думаю что ты просто путаешь названия.
- **And what about the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland or the United Kingdom? That sounds more official, doesn't it?** - А что насчет Соединенного королевства Великобритании и Северной Ирландии или просто - Соединенном королевстве? Это звучит более официально, верно?
- **Yes, it's the official name of that country. But you shouldn't forget that though in everyday speech Britain is used to mean the United Kingdom, it's the name of the island which is made up of England, Scotland and Wales.** - Да, это официальное название страны. Но не нужно забывать, что хотя в разговоре под Великобританией понимается Соединенное королевство, на самом деле это название острова, на котором расположены Англия, Шотландия и Уэльс.
- **Thanks, I've guessed at last.** - Спасибо, наконец-то я разобрался.

2. Write down and translate the dialog/Спишите и переведите диалог

Samantha: hello, my friend! How are you?
Christopher: I'm great!
Samantha: Really? What happened?
Christopher: I decided to visit London!
Samantha: Oh, my God! It's cool! I know that it's city of your blue dream!
Christopher: Yes. I'm so happy. My parents bought tickets for me and my brother.
Samantha: You are lucky girl.
Christopher: I know. It is the largest and most populated city in the United Kingdom and the European Union.
Samantha: What sights do you want to see?
Christopher: Trafalgar Square, Albert Memorial and Royal Albert Hall, the National Gallery and others.
Samantha: I know that there are many parks in this city.
Christopher: Ye! The largest parks in the central area of London are the Royal Parks of Hyde Park, its neighbour Kensington Gardens at the western edge of central London and Regent's Park on the northern edge.
Samantha: Do you want to visit Zoo?
Christopher: Of course. Regent's Park contains London Zoo, the world's oldest scientific zoo.
Samantha: I'm so happy for you! You should take many fotos!

3. Translate the text, answer the questions/Переведите текст, ответьте на вопросы Christmas in Great Britain

For most British families, this is the most important festival of the year. This is the day when many people are travelling home to be with their families on Christmas Day. If you try to catch a train on 24th December you may have difficulty in finding a seat.

There are a lot of traditions connected with Christmas but the most important one is the giving of presents. Family members wrap up their gifts and leave them at the bottom of the Christmas tree to be "bound on Christmas morning.

At some time on Christmas Day the family will sit down to a big turkey dinner followed by Christmas pudding. In the afternoon they may watch the Queen on the television as she delivers her traditional Christmas message to the United Kingdom and Commonwealth. Then they enjoy a piece of Christmas cake or eat a hot mince pie. On the Sunday before Christmas many churches hold a service where special hymns are sung. Sometimes singers can be heard on the streets as they collect money for charity.

Most families decorate their houses with brightly-coloured paper or holly, and they usually have a Christmas tree in the corner of the room, glittering with coloured lights and decoration. 26th December is also a public holiday, called Boxing Day.

This is the time to visit friends and relatives or be a spectator at one of the many sporting events. Everyone in Great Britain is waiting and enjoying this holiday very much!

Отвeтьте на вопросы :

1. What is the most important festival in Great Britain?
2. Are there many traditions connected with Christmas in Great Britain?
3. Is it difficult to catch a train on 24th December?
4. Do you like the way Christmas is celebrated in Great Britain?
5. What do the family do during this holiday?