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### TITLE competition

Have you got any ideas to name our newspaper? Send your version and win a prize!

## MOTTO competition

Are there any interesting sayings for the motto of our newspaper? Don't miss your chance, mail your motto and become a winner!

## EMBLEM competition

Are you good at drawing? So this contest is just for you. Take part in it. What could be the best emblem of our "sChOOL ENGLISH"? Try your chance, share your idea with you and your name will be on the front page written with capital letters!

The winners' names will be announced in our December issue.

Send your ideas and each issue of our newspaper will remind you how creative and unique person
YOU are!





#### GREAT EVENT... GREAT EVENT...

Hello everybody. We do believe the real lovers of English read this newspaper. You know the world of English is a fun and exciting place to be and our "sChOOL ENGLISH" helps you make sure of the truth of these words once more. At last we realized our long-cherished dream, today you have got the first issue of our school English newspaper. We wish our readers became more and more. We hope you enjoy reading the newspaper and improve your English. It is just what we need and it is just we aspire to!





Our guests, our American teacher, our Minister...

We are in luck we live in the world of computers and information technologies. Because of them we have more opportunities to learn any foreign languages. The



real lovers of English started a new school year earlier than usual. They had English lessons in August. And can you imagine our teacher is the Professor Stephen Hoyt of East Washington University. Let us to tell you about our lesson by Skype. But at first about the students: Liliya Ju. (former grade 11); Sumbel G.(gr.10), Raik han N.(gr.9), Salavat M. (gr.9), Ilnaz M.(gr.9),

Rustem S.(gr.9), Elvira G.(gr.9) and Kamila A. (gr.8). We were asked to choose an animal of our own that we believe could symbolize (represent) us. To write one paragraph - no more than four sentences about this animal and what we believe the animal represents. Do you wonder our choice? A bat, a fox, a horse, a dog, a deer, a hedgehog were the most popular animals at this lesson. And which animals represent us, including Stephen Hoyt, try to guess yourselves. The most interesting and extraordinary thing was that the Minister of Education and Science of the Republic of Tatarstan Albert Kh. Gilmutdinov watched our lesson during his visiting our school. Moreover we had a chance to speak English to him. His English is brilliant! He is exemplary example for us! If you want to





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Asheville is a city

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seat of Buncombe

County, North Carolina, United

States. It is the largest city in

Western North

Carolina, and the

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ville's population

in 2010 was 83,393.

ASHEVILLE ATNYA



District Atnya is an administrative and municipal district (region), one of the forty-three in the Republic of Tatarstan, Russia. Its administrative center is the rural locality (a selo) of Bolshaya Atnya. District's population: 13,650 (2010 Census preliminary results).

**Brooke Hoffman** 

She is a graduating student of University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Majors:

Russian Language and Political Science. "My university has 25,000 students, so our graduating class was very large. In America every university has its own color (or color combination). Our color is light blue, which is why our graduation robes are blue."

Our guest is a really interesting person. She is intelligent, sociable and it seems to us she is very kind. Her dream made us think about her just the same. Would you like to get to know about her dream? It is not very polite to give away smb's dreams and by the way don't miss your chance to meet with her next time. You will be able to ask all your questions. Brooke is always happy to chat with you. In our opinion talking with her is the best way to discover America, to see their world

and ensure that "So many countries so many customs". Unfortunately we can't say we were very active during the lesson with Brooke. But some guys from grade 9A were beyond all the expectations. They were able to support our conversation on any theme. Moreover they were witty and had a sense of humor, it helped us to evaporate the tension. And our guest called them "They are really speak up". It seemed to us it's the best appreciation.



In September Brooke Hoffman came to our school. She is a very interesting and very friendly person. She told us about her life in America, her family, her hobbies, showing her pictures. According to her stories and photos of her family we can imagine they have a lot of hobbies: going hiking, skiing, snowboarding, kayaking and others. How they can find time for everything! It's unbelievable. I would like to meet this wonderful person again and again.

#### Rezeda G., grade 10a

There was a lot of useful information for me. At first I felt uncomfortable, but after a few minutes it became better. And the atmosphere of the meeting was very happy and cheerful. Brooke is a very bright personality. We got to know about overseas life much more. It's so

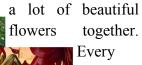
good we made friends with Brooke.

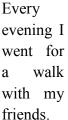
#### Rustem S., grade 9a

Brook is a very beautiful lady. Her Russian is brilliant and she speaks Russian as it is her native language. The most interesting thing for me was her story with some pictures about her family. Her family is very sporty. They can do anything: hiking, skate-boarding, sailing, mountain climbing. They have a lot of funny time together. Having met Brooke I got to want to speak English better and go to America as well.

Aigul B., grade 8a

The summer has ended Time for studies has begun. But I want you to tell about my summer holiday. Summer was unforgettable, because it was more cheerful than last year. In June and July I was at home. I enjoyed helping my mum to look after the garden. We grew







In August I was in Nizhnikamsk with my family. We went to the city holiday, walked in the park, visited many interesting and impressive

places. This city seemed to me very pleasant, I wish I went there next year. So, I spent my summer vacation very well, it was the best rest for both my body and mind.

#### Iljuza Kh, grade 8a

Unforgettable June at home, extraordinary July in Kazan, the most interesting August with the closest and dearest people...

Kamila's (grade 8a) summer garden. They had an own pond.





#### Summer is a little life

And not just a little life, but also a little freedom, adventure, warm wind, sea salt and etc. Each year we face many questions. Where to have the best rest? How to use the summer vacation. Many young people go the different camps in the summer. Readiness for the camp is the children's desire to make new friends and communicate with more guys. Most of the students enjoy communicating and find the common language very easily and quickly. It's necessary to spent most of the time in the fresh air in summer. I think the most important thing to swim and sunbathe as well.

To have a lot of beautiful summer memories you need to have a good rest. Because you will have to discuss your summer holidays with your friends and everyone wants to be the coolest in it. "Oh, I wish I came back to those moments".

I love summer as well. We have a wonderful time swimming in the hot weather and forgetting about studies a little bit. I spent my summer days really very good, amazingly good. I went to rest to the local camp "Chulpan". I enjoyed it vey much. I made a plenty of new friends.

A family trip to Zelenodolsk was the second unforgettable thing during my summer holidays. Can you imagine we spent the night sleeping in the tents,

watching the stars and admire indescribable summer nature. This summer was the warmest, funniest, most interesting, most unforgettable. In general it was very successful.

Guliya Z., grade 8a

Sunny Summer!

We'll miss you!

#### I like the summer very much!

During summer holidays I like to ride my new bike and roller skate. I enjoy playing football with my friends and tennis with my sister. In sunny days I swim in the river, in cloudy days I play computer games and read interesting books. At the weekend my family go to the forest. We love nature! Also I like to go to Kazan. Summer is my favourite season.

#### Islam Kh., grade 4a

#### My summer holidays

I like summer holidays. It is warm and I have a lot of free time in the fresh air. I usually spend June at home. I help my parents in the garden. The weather is fine, it is hot. I enjoy swimming in the river. In July I go to the camp "Chulpan". We have got a happy time in the camp. There is a forest near our camp and sometimes we pick berries and musrooms. In the morning we swim in the swimming pool, play sport games and go for a walk. After midday we play games, make jokes, watch TV. In the evening we dance and read books. It is great!

Rafil S., grade 4a

#### How I relaxed in the summer

In the summer my family went to a water park. We swam and played in the water there. Then we went to the Zoo. We watched wildlife animals, different birds in the cages. We also watched a movie in the cinema. It was very interesting and we enjoyed our trip.

Elmir G., grade 4a

#### Circus and park "Shurale"

In my summer holidays we go to Kazan. Kazan is a very impressive city. We go to the Zoo. We can see funny clowns, sporty acrobats and clever animals. Park "Shurale" is a very interesting place. We enjoy swings, merry-gorounds. It's great to spend summer holidays in Kazan!

Sumbel M., grade 4b

## Fill your paper with the breathings of your heart

William Wordsworth

#### Reflection after reading

When I read this text I really got to want to learn English. I understood that English is the best language, which is used all about the world. This language helps us communicate with people, students, travelers of different countries. We exchange useful information, news, progress, knowledge. If we understand each other it will be a good opportunity to make new friends, learn about theit life and culture.

English can help you in extremal situations or you can help the people who don't know the native language of your city. Perhaps this meeting turn your whole life.

Everybody listens to music and everybody wants to understand the meaning of them. It is pleasant to listen to some songs in the original and understand without language difficulties. Reading books in the original and ability to read some technical instructions is one of the main reasons of learning English. In addition English is very important for our future career. Because every job requires people more and more who can speak English. Universiada closes to us. A lot of volunteers with English knowledge will be needed. Only speaking English you will be able to be chosen and only then your fate will be connected with the history of our country. It is a remarkable reason for improving your English.

And in conclusion English is useful for our brains, it trains our memory. The more words we learn, the better we develop our intelligence.

Elza Kh., grade 11a

#### Reflection after discussion

I am the luckiest person in the world. I have a family that loves me and a lot of friends. I have so many friends, that sometimes I forget their names. (it's a joke) I think friendship it is the best thing. Your friends always help and support you. For example in school you want to eat, but vou don't have any money, your friends always can lend you some money. But you shouldn't use your friends as a bank or a key to solve your life problems. You must appreciate your friends and help them in vour turn.

One of my friends says me that parents and children are people of different generations. But it is not a rason for generation gap. Our parents know more than we, their children. We should always follow their advice and respect their opinion. I and my sister always argue and it doesn't mean that we don't love each other. My parents, my sister and relatives are the dearest people for me.

Raikhan N., grade 9a

#### Reflection after discussion

I think that we should always support each other in difficult situations. If we always betray, envy, ignore, avoid contacts, the relationships between people will be very difficult. They will always quarrel, no one will talk to each other, and humanity will disappear from the face of the Earth! You should appreciate the friendship, don't quarrel with each others, deserve their respect and then you will live very easily. Because you will be helpful to others in times of trouble.

Rustem S., grade 9a

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It is just an address where we expect you to send something interesting for our newspaper.

We hope the next issue of "sChOOL English" (perhaps

there will be another name...) will be better and thanks only to YOU!



