

Урок по теме «США» (6 класс)

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Тема: “The USA. Country and People”

Цели: 1) контроль монологической речи по теме;
2) развитие навыков аудирования и устного высказывания на основе прослушанного текста.

Оснащение урока: 1) магнитофон; 2) карта США; 3) картинки с видами США; 4) флажки для обозначений на карте.

Ход урока

I. Оргмомент. Сообщение цели урока. Фонетическая зарядка.

Today we are having an imaginary trip to the USA. We'll listen to our classmates and choose we'd like to visit. We'll also sing a song and listen to the text about a boy who wanted to know how his family met.

1) Tongue-twister challenge, p.232

2) Proper names (on the blackboard)

the Washington Monument

the Lincoln Memorial

a Greek temple

New York harbour

Manhattan Island

the Golden Gate Bridge

Hollywood Boulevard

amphitheatre

II. Активизация лексики.

Match the words with their definitions (ex.13, p.229)

Spell the words (ex.1, p.238)

III. Монологические высказывания учащихся.

And now we are ready to listen to your classmates' stories about interesting places and sights of the USA and choose a place you'd like to visit.

1. New York, Washington
2. San Francisco, the capital of the State of California
3. Grand Canyon
4. Hollywood
5. Disneyland

IV. Песня “This Land is Your Land”.

V. Развитие навыков аудирования и устного высказывания на основе прослушанного текста.

How Had We All Met?

Lake Michigan

long distances

a mixture of birthplaces

Can you suggest what the story is about?

1) Listen to the story and say where Dick's parents were born. (Listening for the general idea. Don't worry! You'll probably won't understand every word, it's not so important now.)

- Dick's mother was born in Ireland and his father was born in Germany.

Why do you think Dick couldn't understand how he and his parents had met?

- Because they were born in different places, very far from each other.

2) Test. Choose the right answer.

1. Who lived on the farm?
 - a) Dick's great-grandparents did. b) Dick's parents did.
2. Where was the farm situated?

- a) The farm was situated on the left bank of the mighty Mississippi.
- b) The farm was situated on the bank of the mighty Mississippi.
- 3. Who told Dick about his family?
 - a) His great-grandmother did.
 - b) His great-grandfather did.
- 4. Who lived in New York?
 - a) Dick's great-grandparents did.
 - b) Dick's parents did.
- 5. Where was Dick born?
 - a) He was born in New York.
 - b) He was born on the shores of Lake Michigan.
- 6. Where was Dick's mother born?
 - a) She was born in a small village.
 - b) She was born in a big city.

Who said it? (Ex.34, p.237-238)

- 3) Describe the place where a) Dick's mother was born; b) Dick's great-grandmother had a farm.
 - Dick's mother was born in Ireland, in a small village on the coast of the Irish Sea. There were not many attractions in the village. But there were beautiful green meadows stretching for long distances and a small chain of hills.
 - The farm of Dick's great-grandparents was situated on the bank of the mighty Mississippi, which rises in the north of the USA.
- 4) Discuss the text in pairs.

VI. Обучение написанию письма.

At home you'll write a letter to your friend about a trip to the USA. Begin like this:

Dear ... ,

I received your letter (two weeks) ago. But I couldn't answer it at once. I was in a trip across the USA. I visited ...

I was greatly impressed by .../ ... made a deep impression on me.

(a description)

I'll describe you ... in my next letter. And now I would like to ask you some questions (2 or 3).

Write as soon as possible.

Best wishes,

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VII. Итоги урока, домашнее задание, оценки.

Our next topic is about the US government. What do you know about the present US president? Do the test.

George Bush Quick Quiz

- 1. In which state did George Bush spend his childhood?
 - a) Texas b) Ohio c) Indiana
- 2. Which university did he graduate from?
 - a) Harvard b) Yale c) George Washington
- 3. What is Mrs. Bush's name?
 - a) Linda b) Lena c) Laura
- 4. What are the names of his twin daughters?
 - a) Barbara & Jenna b) Sarah & Susanne c) Julia & Pamela
- 5. What kind of dog does he have?
 - a) Labrador b) Scottish terrier c) Corgi
- 6. When was George Bush first elected?
 - a) 1999 b) 2000 c) 2002

I think you've enjoyed our trip. America is a beautiful country, full of natural wonders, but remember: Grass is always greener ... (on the other side of the fence).