Позакласний захід з англійської мови у 4-В класі

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Christmas and New Year In England

Мета: удосконалювати знання, уміння, навички, набуті на уроках англійської

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англійської мови та формувати повагу до традицій країни, мову якої ми вивчаємо.

Обладнання: панчоха, плакати про Різдво та Новий Рік, сніговик, ялинка,

іграшки, магнітофон, диск із піснями.

Teacher: Hello, everybody,

I would like to ask you if you know the seasons of the year. Some students have

prepared short stories about them. Your task is to guess what they are.

Student 1: It is my favorite season. The days become longer, the nights get shorter.

The first leaves appear on the trees. You can see green grass in the fields. The trees are in

blossom. The birds come back from the warm countries. What season is it?

St.2: I like this season very much. The sun shines brightly. The days are long. It is

warm at nights. The birds sing their songs. The children don't go to school. They have their

holidays. I can go to the river or to the seaside to lay in the sun, to swim. What season is it?

St.3: It is the season when the children go to school. They are very happy to see their

classmates. Sometimes it rains. It is not hot. The birds are ready to fly to warm

countries. There are a lot of fruits in the gardens. The leaves on the trees are of all colours.

What season is it?

St.4: I like this season. There is a lot of snow everywhere. We can skate, ski, make

snowmen, play snowballs. It is frosty. What season is it?

Teacher: Winter is a nice season not only for skating, skiing, making snowmen but also for celebrating favourite holidays. What holidays do we celebrate in winter?(St. Nicolas Day, St. Andrew Day, Christmas, New Year.

T.: Look we have got a fir tree on our desk. It's very little and it is sad. Why? Don't you know? What does our fir tree need?(toys)

Let's decorate it.

Welcome to our unusual lesson, which is devoted to the most beautiful holidays Christmas and New Year.

St.1: The Christmas season is the most festive time of the year in Britain. Students at schools usually have a two week vacation. Every year the people of Norway give the city of London a present. It is a big Christmas tree, and it stands in Trafalgar Square.

St.2: Christmas trees were a German tradition brought to Britain in 1841 when Prince Albert had a Christmas tree put up for his wife, Queen Victoria in Windsor castle. Now most people in Britain have a decorated Christmas tree in their houses at Christmas.

St.3: Christmas is a family holiday. Relatives usually meet for a big dinner of turkey and Christmas pudding. And everyone gives and receives presents.

St.4: Children have much fun. They play under Christmas tree, find presents in their Christmas stockings, eat pudding. Christmas pudding was first made years ago. Now it is the highlight Christmas dinner. A turkey is a traditional Christmas bird. People eat it on Christmas Day.

St.5: Children believe that Father Christmas also known as Santa Claus brings them presents. On Christmas Eve, 24th December, children hang stockings at the end of their beds or at the fireplace. Then when they are asleep, Father Christmas comes and puts presents in their stockings. Traditionally, he comes down the chimney.

St.6: Snowflakes fall on trees and walk

Snowflakes fall as white as chalk

Snowflakes fall into my hand

Snowflakes brighten up our land.

St 7: May Christmas be bright with cheer

Warm with friendliness

And filled with happiness

You and yours.

Teacher: And now your task is to answer the questions. If your answer is right, you will get a present.

Ouestions:

- 1. What is another name of Father Christmas?(Santa Claus)
- 2. We decorate the tree with pretty...(*lights*)
- 3. What do Englishmen eat for lunch on Christmas day? (turkey)
- 4. What do we usually give each other on Christmas day?(presents)
- 5. What does Santa Claus fill with presents? (stockings)
- 6. When do the English celebrate Christmas? (*December*)
- 7. How do people call the day before Christmas? (*Eve*)
- 8. What do usually ring in the church on Christmas? (bells)

Teacher: New Year is celebrated on January first. Many people attend parties in the evening to say good bye to the old year and welcome the new year. In England the children rise early on New Year so they can visit the neighbors and sing songs. The children are given sweets, apples for singing.

T: I would like to tell you about one custom in Britain But I need interpreters. They have to translate my story.

A very old custom of "first footing" is in Britain. "First foot" is the first person who comes in the house or flat on New Year's Day. He is a bringer of good fortune for the coming year.

The visitor is a young man, handsome, dark haired, healthy male.

A blonde, a red-haired or women are not allowed to enter a house first, because they can bring bad luck.

The English believe that the first foot brings gifts of money. Bread, cake, coal, salt are considered lucky.

Bread and cake mean that the family will not be hungry during the coming year. The coal means that the house would be warm throughout the year. And the salt was said to bestow wealth

T.: Do you know that New Year is time to make New year Resolutions. The person says I will start doing this or stop doing that.

Let's make our own Resolutions.(Be healthier! Stop eating Fast Food! Find a girlfriend! Learn a language! Get more cultured! Watch less TV! Stop being lazy! Read more! Be a better friend!)

Teacher: Are you tired? Let's play a game. These are noses. Write your names on them. I blindfold the student. He or she has to pin on the nose on the face of a snowman. The winner will be whose nose is the closest to the center of the snowman face.

Teacher: Look I am holding a stocking in my hand. Maybe you think I am going to put it on. You are mistaken. This stocking is for presents. Let's look, if there are presents for you.

St.1: So we have got presents. And it's time to sing songs.(*The children sing songs* "Merry Christmas" and "Jingle Bells")

Teacher: I wish you and your families, our guests Health and Peace within your hearts in this new year to come.