

Внеклассное  
мероприятие  
*Famous Inventions*

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**Тип урока: комбинированный**

**Класс: 7-9**

- **Цели: -ознакомить учащихся с великими открытиями XX века; закрепить лексические навыки и совершенствовать слухо-произносительные навыки; развитие речевой реакции; развивать мышление (логическое, образное); воспитывать любознательность, прививать интерес к науке на иностранном языке.**

# I. Greeting

Hallo everyone! How is your mood?

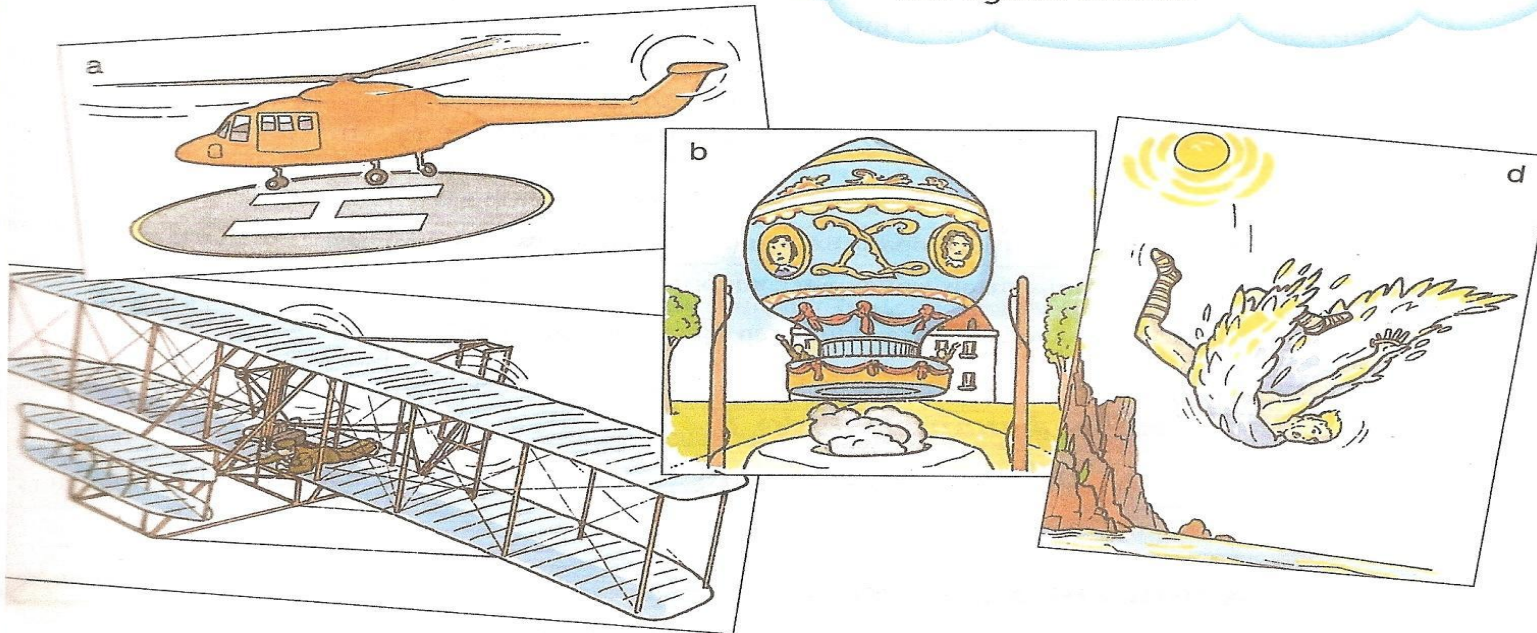
Today we talk about the great inventions of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. What could you say?

II. **Reading.** So, read please the 4 texts and match

## Read and match

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- 1 Many years ago a Greek called Icarus tried to fly. His father made wings out of birds' feathers and stuck them on his shoulders with wax. But he flew too near the sun, and the wax melted. Icarus fell into the sea and drowned.
- 2 Two American brothers, Orville and Wilbur Wright, built the first plane with an engine in it. In 1903, Orville Wright was the pilot of Flyer I. It flew 260 metres in less than a minute. This was the first powered flight and Flyer I was the first modern aircraft.
- 3 Igor Sikorsky was born in Russia, but he emigrated to America. In 1939 he designed the first helicopter, the VS-300. A helicopter is different from a plane. The Sikorsky could take off vertically and fly backwards and sideways. It could also stay in one place in the air.
- 4 In 1783 two French brothers, Jacques and Joseph Montgolfier, filled a huge balloon with hot air. The Montgolfiers' hot-air balloon flew for 25 minutes and covered a distance of eight kilometres. Later balloons used hydrogen, because it is lighter than air.



## < and answer

Who designed the first helicopter?

Which brothers built a hot-air balloon?

Which brothers made the first modern plane?

Who tried to fly with birds' feathers?

Which of the Wright brothers made the first flight?

Which flew farther – Flyer I or the Montgolfiers' balloon?



## k and answer

Icarus flew too near the sun, didn't he?



Yes, he did.

Icarus flew too near the sun, \_\_\_

Icarus fell into the sea, \_\_\_

The Wright Brothers were American, \_\_\_

Wilbur Wright flew Flyer I, \_\_\_

Flyer I didn't fly very far, \_\_\_

Igor Sikorsky wasn't born in America, \_\_\_

The Montgolfiers' balloon was full of hot air, \_\_\_

So, what do you know about our inventor Igor Sikorsky?









What do you know about brothers  
Orville and Wilbur?

# Conclusion.

-HW Writing 'The great invention of the 20<sup>th</sup> century'.

-Thank you very much for your attention. Till tomorrow.