

# Телевидение. За и против.



The topic is  
“Television:  
for and against”.

## *Phonetic exercise:*

television  
advantages  
disadvantages  
channel  
broadcasting  
variety  
quality  
advertisements  
documentaries  
comedies  
soap operas  
concerts  
talk shows  
commercials



# “Snowball”

*When I come home I turn on the TV  
and watch...*



## *Read the definitions and say what it is:*

1. A short informative film describing and praising some product.
2. A serial about people's relationships especially love and friendship.
3. A TV program where people discuss a problem.
4. New information about sports presented in a short TV program.
5. A program about weather.
6. A program which gives us information about the modern trends of music and lets us listen to it.

- a weather forecast
- an advertisement
- a talk show
- sports news
- a music program
- a soap opera

## *Listen to the dialogue and answer:*

1. What kind of film are the teenagers watching?
2. What is the plot of the film?



### New words:

- to turn smth down - убавить звук
- to blow up - взрываться
- the whole supply of smth - целая поставка золота
- to break up one's plans - разрушить чьи-либо планы
- former - бывший
- to betray smb - предать кого-либо

***Listen to the dialog again and say whether the following statements are **true** or **false**.***

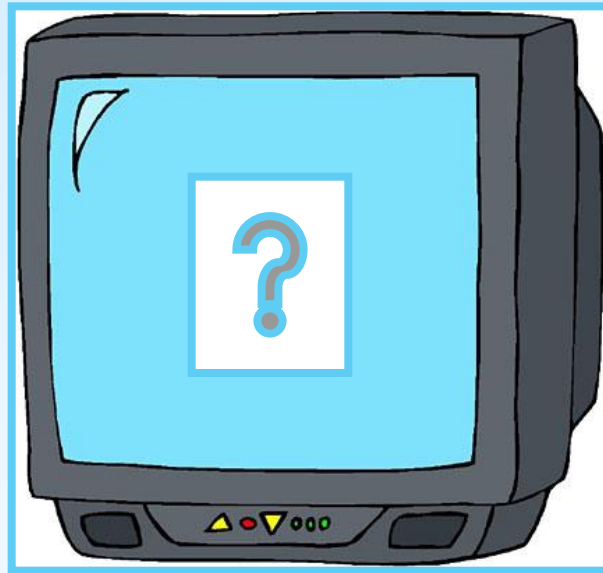


- 1) It's fine to do maths when something is blowing up and crashing in the next room.
- 2) It's a great fantasy film.
- 3) The movie is about a group of criminals that is going to get the whole supply of gold in the country.
- 4) It's a British movie.
- 5) The main character is a former policeman.
- 6) At the end of the film the hero will be killed.

*Think of something nice...*







**Advantages**  
(+)

**Disadvantages**  
(-)

# “Television in my life”

## Cliches:

- \* *As for me...*
- \* *As far as I know...*
- \* *As far as I'm concerned...*
- \* *In my opinion...*
- \* *I think (suppose, believe)...*
- \* *To my mind...*
- \* *I personally think...*
- \* *If I'm not mistaken...*
- \* *On one hand... On the other hand...*
- \* *I (dis)agree that...*
- \* *First of all...Secondly...*
- \* *Besides...*
- \* *Moreover...*
- \* *In conclusion I'd like to say that...*



# *Your home task:*

The composition “Television in my life”  
according to the plan:

1. Introduction. State the problem.
2. Arguments for.
3. Arguments against.
4. Conclusion.

No less than 10 sentences.

**Thank you for the  
lesson!**

