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ΓΕΝΙΚΑ ΑΓΓΛΙΚΑ 1,

Unit 1, BACK TO SCHOOL

Reading text (κείμενο) σελ.8

SCHOOL REORT AND SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT

Vocabulary (Λεξιλόγιο)

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| school report = achieve / achievement = receive= It seems = affect / effect= negative / negatively = able to / ability = you ‘d better = reaction = tend to = view / consider = failure = suit / suitable / appropriate = skill = recommend = progress = make peace with = the school in question = society = understand = advance = anyway = according to = heavy load = struggle = erode = self-esteem = once = reconcile = prestigious = successful = nasty = option = pupil = more / less =  | σχολικός έλεγχοςεπιτυγχάνω / κατόρθωμα – επίτευγμα λαμβάνω, παίρνωφαίνεται e. g. It seems it will rain todayεπηρεάζω / επίδρασηe. g. When I lost my job, it affected me badlyαρνητικός / αρνητικάe. g. Don’t make negative comments about peopleικανός να / ικανότηταe. g. I am able to /I *have the ability to* speak Englishθα έπρεπε e. g. You ‘d better go to a doctor if you are illαντίδρασηe. g. He had a bad reaction when he heard the newsέχω την τάση ναθεωρώe. g. Many people tend to view tattoos negativelyαποτυχίαe. g. I tried to cook something but it was a failureταιριάζω / κατάλληλος, που μου ταιριάζειe. g. Working as a musician really suits me / is suitable/appropriate for meδεξιότητα, ικανότηταe. g. You need special skills to be a technicianσυστήνωe. g. The doctor recommends staying in bedεξέλιξη, πρόοδοςe. g. He worked very hard at school and made good progressαποδέχομαιe. g. I had to make peace / reconcile with my boss although (παρόλο που) I didn’t like himτο εν λόγω σχολείοκοινωνίαe. g. People must help one another in societyκαταλαβαίνωe. g. You can always ask if you don’t understandπροχωράω παρ’ όλα αυτάσύμφωνα μεe. g. According to the weather forecast it will rain todayβαρύ φορτίοe. g. I have a heavy load of homework to doαγωνίζομαι, παλεύωe. g. The marathon was a struggle for me, but I finishedδιαβρώνω, καταστρέφω σιγά σιγάαυτοεκτίμησηe. g. Mary has very high self-esteem and she thinks she will be successfulότανe. g. Once you finish, call meσυμφιλιώνομαιανώτερο, με γόητροe. g. Harvard University is considered a prestigious schoolεπιτυχημένοςe. g. You must work hard if you want to be successful in lifeκακός, άσχημοςe. g. Don’t say nasty things to your friendsεπιλογήe. g. We have two options: We can stay in or go outμαθητήςπερισσότερο / λιγότερο |

Match the adjective with the nouns. Αντιστοιχίστε τα επίθετα με τα ουσιαστικά

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| 1. good/bad
2. prestigious

 3. High 4. negative 5. heavy 6. successful | a. businessmanb. loadc. Schoold. school reporte. reactionf. self-esteem |

Match the verbs with the nouns. Αντιστοιχίστε τα ρήματα με τα ουσιαστικά

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| 1. receive
2. struggle
3. view something
4. advance / progress
5. understand
 | 1. in school
2. the lesson
3. bad school reports
4. to achieve your goals
5. as a failure
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Answer the questions.

1. Are Greek parents happy when they receive bad school reports for their students?
2. How do Greek parents view a technical vocational school?
3. What will happen if the learning load at school is too heavy for the child?
4. What does it mean when a child cannot progress in a certain type of school?
5. What do you think parents should do when they get bad school reports for their children?