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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 έλεγχος  επιτυγχάνω / κατόρθωμα – επίτευγμα  λαμβάνω, παίρνω  φαίνεται  e. g. It seems it will rain today  επηρεάζω / επίδραση  e. g. When I lost my job, it affected me badly  αρνητικός / αρνητικά  e. g. Don’t make negative comments about people  ικανός να / ικανότητα  e. g. I am able to /I *have the ability to* speak English  θα έπρεπε  e. g. You ‘d better go to a doctor if you are ill  αντίδραση  e. g. He had a bad reaction when he heard the news  έχω την τάση να  θεωρώ  e. g. Many people tend to view tattoos negatively  αποτυχία  e. g. I tried to cook something but it was a failure  ταιριάζω / κατάλληλος, που μου ταιριάζει  e. g. Working as a musician really suits me / is suitable/appropriate for me  δεξιότητα, ικανότητα  e. g. You need special skills to be a technician  συστήνω  e. g. The doctor recommends staying in bed  εξέλιξη, πρόοδος  e. g. He worked very hard at school and made good progress  αποδέχομαι  e. g. I had to make peace / reconcile with my boss although (παρόλο που) I didn’t like him  το εν λόγω σχολείο  κοινωνία  e. g. People must help one another in society  καταλαβαίνω  e. g. You can always ask if you don’t understand  προχωράω  παρ’ όλα αυτά  σύμφωνα με  e. g. According to the weather forecast it will rain today  βαρύ φορτίο  e. g. I have a heavy load of homework to do  αγωνίζομαι, παλεύω  e. g. The marathon was a struggle for me, but I finished  διαβρώνω, καταστρέφω σιγά σιγά  αυτοεκτίμηση  e. g. Mary has very high self-esteem and she thinks she will be successful  όταν  e. g. Once you finish, call me  συμφιλιώνομαι  ανώτερο, με γόητρο  e. g. Harvard University is considered a prestigious school  επιτυχημένος  e. g. You must work hard if you want to be successful in life  κακός, άσχημος  e. g. Don’t say nasty things to your friends  επιλογή  e. g. We have two options: We can stay in or go out  μαθητής  περισσότερο / 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. businessman  b. load  c. School  d. school report  e. reaction  f. 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 |

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?