



## GLOBAL LEARNING FOR MIND AND HEART 2016-2019

### English Lesson plan (by Valentīna Rubīna, Jaunpilsvidusskola)

**Theme:** Celebrities

**Class:** 9 -12 (Intermediate to upper-intermediate)

**Time:** 2 x 40 min.

**Objectives:** to raise awareness among students about what it means to be a celebrity;  
to improve their vocabulary, speaking and discussion skills, critical  
thinking and digital skills.

**Materials:** 1. Dictionaries.

2. Mobile phone or a computer with the Internet connection.

#### **Procedure:**

1 Students complete the definition according to their own opinions.

A celebrity is .....

2 A brief discussions about each definition in groups and choosing the best one in a group and then completing one common definition for the group. Introducing it to the class.

3 Students work in pairs and writetop 10adjectives which best describe a personality of a celebrity, to their mind.

4 Students discuss their choice in groups to see how common or different their choice is. Then give their feedback to the whole class.

5 Students do a research on the Internet about a celebrity they admire and collect the information on the following: background information, main achievements, personality and ambitions.

6 Students give a presentation about the celebrity they did the research on.

7 Students discuss the following questions to make the conclusion:

aIs it good or bad to be a celebrity? Why?

b Can celebrity be a model for young people? Why?/Why not?



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c What can you and the other people learn from a celebrity you chose to give a presentation about?

d If you were a parent, which famous person would you want to inspire your child? Why?