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| **До уроку № 59**  **Complete the sentences with the articles where necessary**  During our unforgettable tour across \_\_\_\_\_ Europe we visited many countries: \_\_\_ France, \_\_\_ Belgium and \_\_\_ Netherlands in \_\_\_ Western Europe; \_\_\_ Spain and \_\_\_ Italy in \_\_\_ Southern Europe; \_\_\_ Poland and \_\_\_ Belarus in \_\_\_ Eastern Europe.  The country I liked most of all was \_\_\_ Italy. I got to know much about its history and culture. During the numerous excursions, I learned that \_\_\_ Medieval Italy was a real centre of art.  The capital city of \_\_\_ Italy is \_\_\_ Rome. It is a city that is full of history. Walking in its streets you can easily imagine \_\_\_ ancient Rome of ancient times, because there are a lot of historical evidence of those times.  \_\_\_\_ Rome of today is a modern beautiful city with charming and hospitable inhabitants and a lot of tourists that are eager to do the sightseeing and visit \_\_\_ Vatican.  Next year I want to visit \_\_\_ South America and go to \_\_\_ Buenos Aires in \_\_\_ Argentine. |
| **До уроку № 62**  **Контроль сприймання на слух**  **Listen to the text and do the tasks.**  **MASS MEDIA**  The mass media play an important part in our lives. Newspapers, radio and especially TV inform us of what is going on in the world and give us wonderful possibilities for education and entertainment. They also influence the way we see the world and shape our views. Of course, not all newspapers and TV programmes report the events objectively, but serious journalists and TV reporters try to be fair and provide us with reliable information.  It is true that the world today is full of dramatic events and most news seems to be bad news. But people aren’t interested in ordinary events. That is why there are so many programmes and articles about natural disasters, plane crashes, wars, murders and robberies. Good news doesn’t usually make headlines. Bad news does.  Some people say that journalists are given too much freedom. They often intrude on people’s private lives. They follow celebrities and print sensational stories about them which are untrue or half-true. They take photos of them in their most intimate moments. The question is — should this be allowed?  The main source of news for millions of people is television. People like TV news because they can see everything with their own eyes. And that’s an important advantage. Seeing, as we know, is believing. Besides, it’s much more difficult for politicians to lie in front of the cameras than on the pages of newspapers.  Still, many people prefer the radio. It’s good to listen to the radio in the car, or in the open air, or when you do something about the house.  Newspapers don’t react to events as quickly as TV, but they usually provide us with extra detail, comment and background information.  The Internet has recently become another important source of information. Its main advantage is that news appears on the screen as soon as things happen in real life and you don’t have to wait for news time on TV.  **True or False.**  1. Three sources of information are mentioned in this article.  2. All the mass media report all events objectively.  3. People would like to know about extra ordinary events.  4. People are sure that journalists are given too much freedom.  5. Newspapers give us more details about events than TV.  6. TV reacts to events as quickly as the Internet.  **Choose the correct answer.**  1. The mass media gives us the opportunity ... .  a) to find a job  b) to see the world  c) to do homework.  2. People prefer to know about ... .  a) bad news  b) good news  c) all news  3. To attract people’s attention to their reports some journalists write ... about celebrities.  a) ordinary stories  b) true stories  c) untrue stories  4. People prefer TV because they can ... .  a) see everything  b) feel everything  c) touch everything.  5. When some people have picnics they enjoy ... .  a) TV news  b) radio  c) reading newspapers  6. When you use the Internet you get the news ... .  a) in a day  b) just after appearing them  c) simultaneously with TV news |