

Writing assignment #5

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Plants can provide food, shelter, clothing or medicine. What is one plant that is important to you and to people in your country? Use specific reasons

Plants are an essential part of nature where everything is related to each other. Humans are not least vital part of it and they have a long history of relations with plants since the times when plants provided people with shelter, clothing and food till today when we all enjoy going to nature to have a rest of a busy city life. That is doubtless every single kind of plants has its own role in nature and none is less important than others. However I would name a cornflower to have a special role in belarusian culture and to be especially valuable for people in my country and for me personally for its beauty, simpleness and symbolism.

The first reason for a cornflower to be that special is how beautiful and, at the same time, how simple it is. It does not need any extra conditions to be grown and you can easily find it in a forest or in a field. Cornflower bouquets are often sold on Minsk's streets and, in my opinion, look much more intriguing than roses or other flowers normally considered to be the most beautiful.

The second reason is that cornflower has its value as a brand of the country. You can often find a cornflower on tourist information booklets. A cornflower is a symbol of the largest belarusian airline company. A cornflower may be often found on billboards encouraging to protect the nature.

A cornflower is a plant which is important for people in my country for its cultural significance and its role in shaping country's brand. I also find a cornflower very important and not only for its relations with the culture but for simpleness and pure beauty.

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