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# «Слова – паразиты» в английском языке

## «Words-parasites» in English

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# 1.The hypothesis of the study:

- ▶ Words-parasites are a problem of the modern society and have a place in a spontaneous, unprepared speech of any person. The purpose of research is to study the emergence and spread of word-parasites in these languages. Based on the purpose and form hypotheses, the following research objectives have been put forward by me:
  - 1.To define word - parasites, and find out the reasons of their occurrence;
  2. To identify the most used words - parasites in the English language;
  3. Finding ways to get rid of the use of such words in our speech;The following research methods were used to achieve the objectives: search, comparison, questioning and synthesis method.

## 2. The main part

### ► 2.1 The words - parasites: general characteristics and their causes

The causes of words-fillers are following:

- 1. Stall for time or avoid an unpleasant question;
- 2. Poverty of vocabulary;
- 3. Young people mean such words are fashionable;
- 4. Right words do not come to mind in this situation.

That's why they can be used by the people who do not have problems with speech, even from the lips of a professor or a famous TV presenter, you can hear "words - parasites."

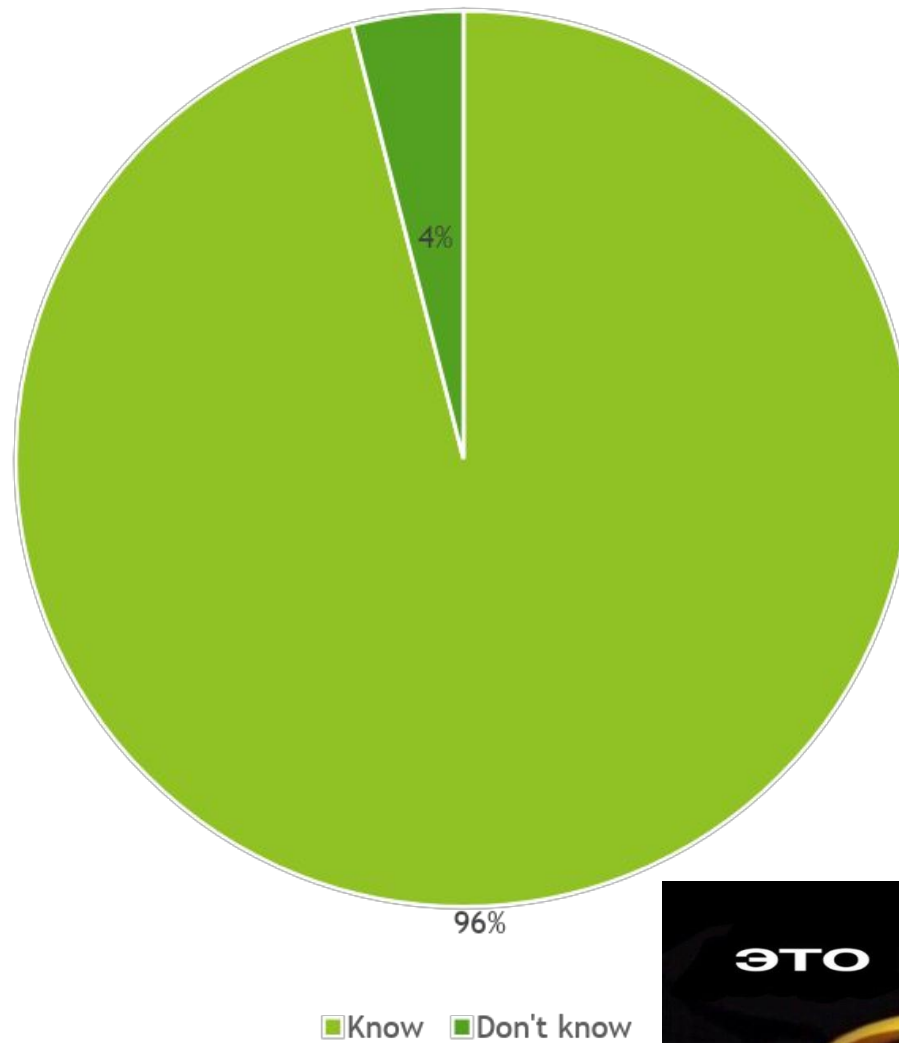
**Words - parasites?**



**I don't use it**

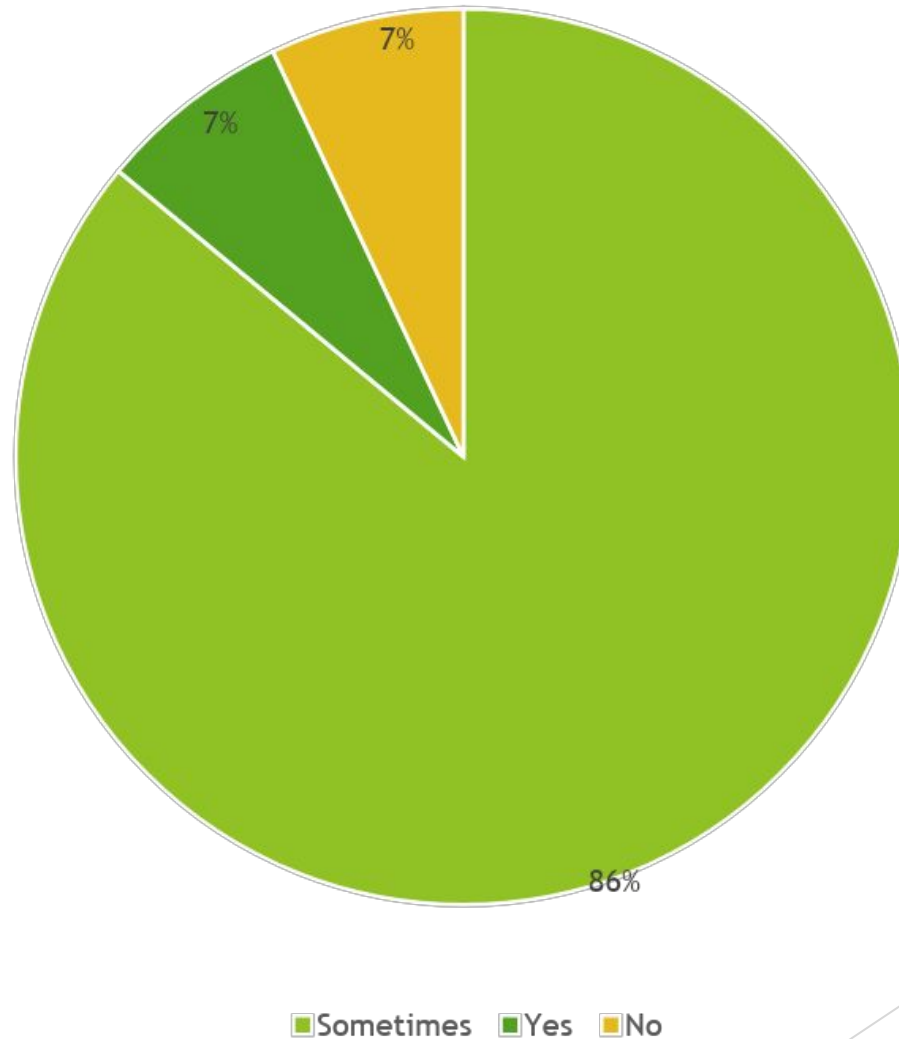
# The results of the survey of students

Most of my classmates (96%) know what the words- parasites are, only 4% of students do not know.



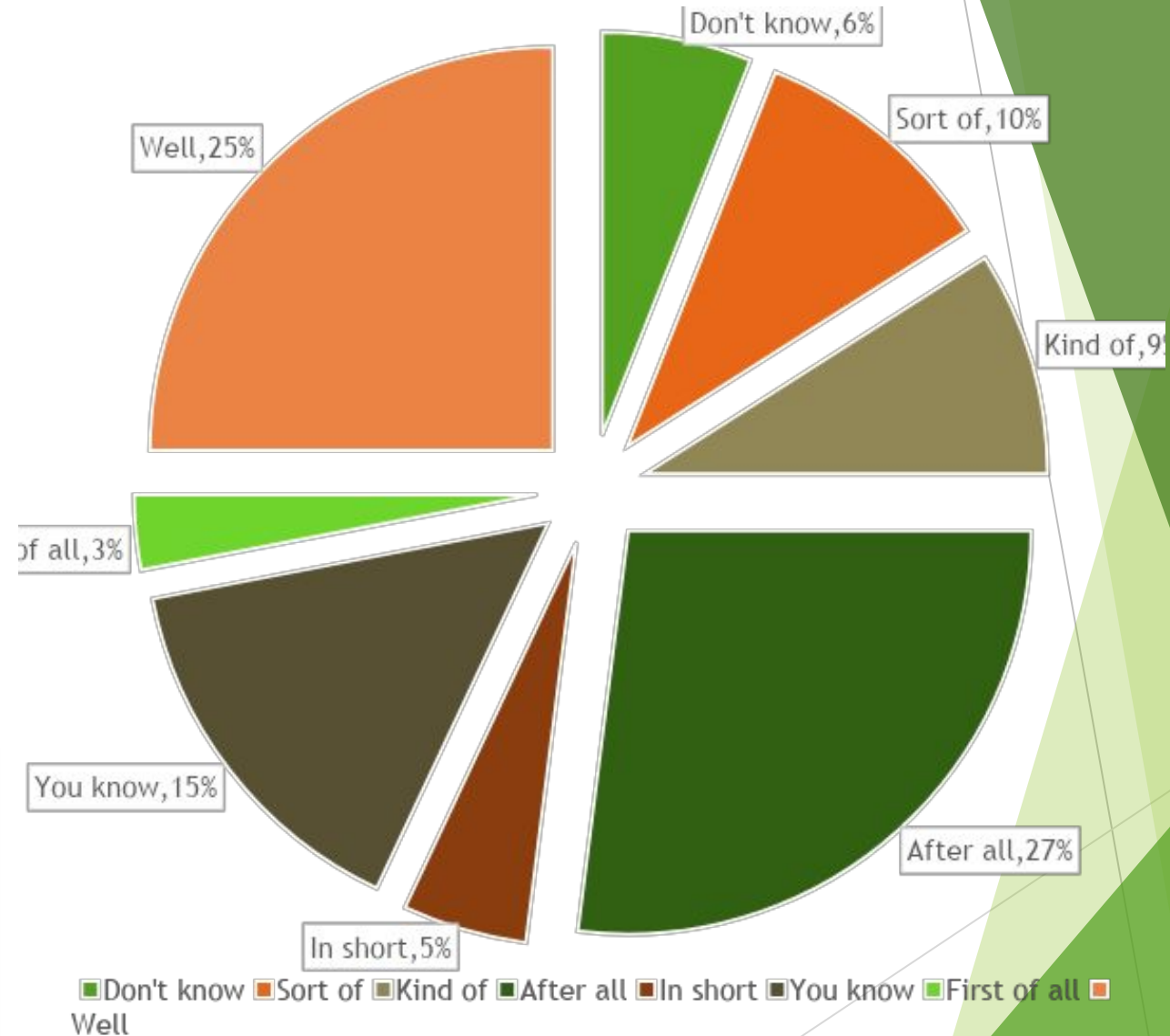
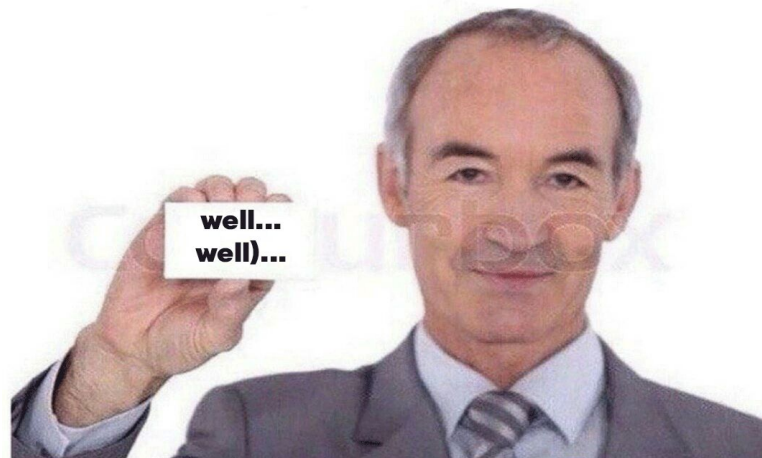
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86% of students use the words- parasites in the speech and only 7% of students did not use them, and 7% of my classmates sometimes use them.



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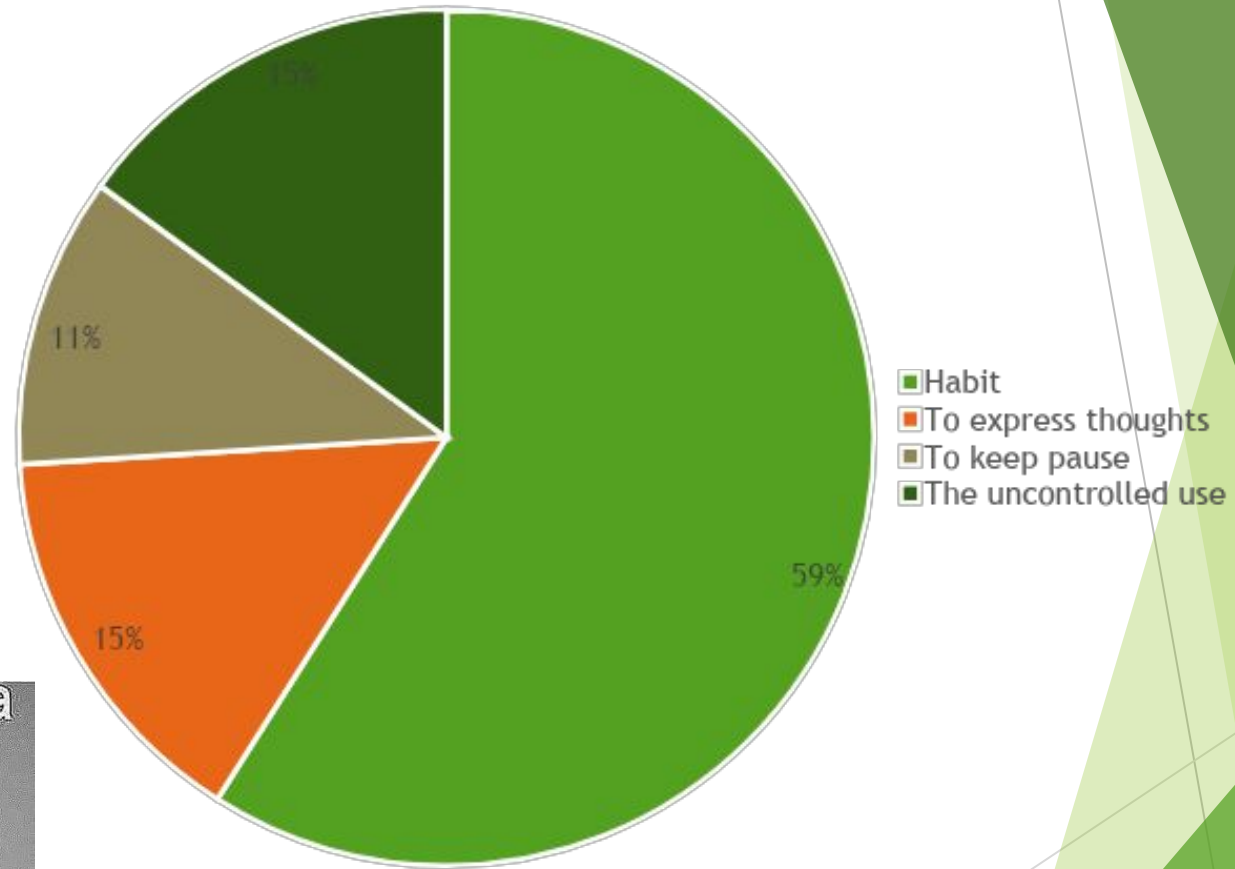
Most words are **after all** (27%), **well** (25%), **sort of** (10%), **you know** (15%), and then **kind of** (9%), **first of all** (3 %) and (6%) did not know





# The results of the survey of students

“Why do you use such words?” 59% of students say that it is a habit (15%), for the expression of thoughts (11%) , to hold a pause (15%) the uncontrolled use.



### 3. Conclusion

- ▶ During our research, we learned that the "word - parasites" didn't have very serious content, and the reasons for their use can be different, including the "fashion". The most common words in English are - "well", "you know ...", "after all", "sort of". I came to the conclusion that the prudent use of "words - parasites" in the foreign speech contributes us to the speech of a native speaker, while in the Russian language such words are undesirable.
- ▶ Pursuing research work on the subject, I paid attention to my speech, and it turned out that I often used unnecessary words. From this point on, I try to get rid of them by reading classical literature, studying speech etiquette, dealing with the competent people.



## 4. Recommendations

After analyzing the results of the study, I have made the following recommendations:

- ▶ 1. First of all, you should learn to control your speech;
- ▶ 2. Read classical literature;
- ▶ 3. Learn poems;
- ▶ 4. Speak sensibly, considering each of its proposal;
- ▶ 5. Compile a simple short sentences;
- ▶ 6. Communicate with people who have rich vocabulary and correct it;
- ▶ 7. Study the speech etiquette.

So, it is necessary to listen to your own speech and make every effort to get rid of unnecessary words.

Everybody has their own clay.



# Thank for attention

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