

# **IMPORTANCE AND OPPORTUNITIES IN LEARNING FOREIGN LANGUAGES FOR STUDENTS**

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The need for a foreign language as a subject is growing in accordance with modern requirements. The main aim of teaching a foreign language is to teach students to communicate in a foreign language, to educate educated people who can respect their native language and who want to learn another language.

Language is a means of communication. Language is realized through speech, develops and lives only through speech. Therefore, when we talk about learning a foreign language, we read it primarily as a means of communication. Because it is a highly dynamic means of communication that radically changes and improves the process of life, thinking and communication in the era of globalization.

Today, English is widely spoken in many countries. This is because there are many countries in the world that make a living by raising their children in English. English is the official language of 45 countries around the world. People in 24 countries have declared English as their mother tongue. It is estimated that 96% of English speakers are non-native speakers. 80% of global contracts are concluded in English.

Knowledge of foreign languages, except for one's own, today is already something mandatory and necessary for many people, no matter what professions they work in.

In an increasingly interconnected world dominated by technology, good command of other languages, in particular English is a decisive factor for the rest of your life.

This is one of the factors influencing the possibility of studying, for example, with experience of studying abroad. In addition, English is the language of technology and the Internet, which means that it will be critical for skills in this area, as well as employment opportunities and subsequent income. Given these prerequisites, it is important that the education system offers everyone, regardless of the initial state, the opportunity to receive an adequate level of education in this area.

Knowing foreign languages, you will be better educated. Most of the information on the Internet is mostly written in other languages and it will be more difficult to find the information you need in your own language. For example, there is much more information in English. Suppose, even if we take the simplest site “Wikipedia” and compare the information in the native and English languages, then the necessary data in English is much deeper and wider than in other languages.

Even if you take conferences in any discipline from marketing to molecular biology, all the leading conferences in the world are held in English, the same can be said about other foreign languages. If you do not know foreign languages, then you will be constantly dependent on some other people, publishers who will choose some material to translate and translators, how well it will translate, and you will always be a couple of years behind with up-to-date information.

Most often, English is the language of the majority of the profession, even if you do not work in it. For example, you are a doctor and, accordingly, you will need to follow at least some new methods of treatment in this area, and the necessary information initially appears in English. The same thing, for example, you are a teacher and new learning news, teaching methods are relevant to you, or you are a marketer and should look at sites where leading cases of marketing, global companies are regularly described and most of the information will be in English. In the twenty-first century, your study in any language, and wherever you study is only the first step in your profession, and becoming an expert you will already be in the workplace

throughout your life and the resources that you need in order to become an expert many of them are in English.

Knowing foreign languages, you can live in different countries. For example, knowing Portuguese, you can visit Portugal, Brazil, and Angola. Of course, English will be most useful. Even though English is not the main language in some countries, but knowing only this language, you can safely continue to study and work.

And it is English that gives you access to the best universities in the world and not only Oxbridge and other famous universities, even in Europe or Asian top universities, they also already teach in English. This is a huge opportunity for pupils and students. So they will develop much better and will be eager to learn English. If you compare the knowledge and teaching methods will be different.

When moving to another country, foreign languages will help you not to remain isolated. Since most people will understand you and you will not walk alone.

The language you will learn will help you to tell about the culture, history, literature and traditions of your country to other people, foreigners who otherwise might not know about your country. Because foreign educational markets are so wide and it is in English that there are the freshest, coolest teaching aids. Many disciplines are not translated and for most students this is an obstacle. But if you know the language you need, all the books you need will be available to you wherever you are.

Basically, at some point, English will become an obstacle to your further career growth. Therefore, it is necessary to teach in advance, because when this opportunity comes, it will probably be too late. When you need to prove yourself, knowing the right language will take you to the heights. Thus, you will be a role model for your friends colleagues. Summing up, knowledge of a foreign language opens up many opportunities for you, so learning foreign languages is very important for us, especially now, when everything revolves around language and information, technology, knowledge and even the future. Only in this way can we develop and improve ourselves in all areas.