Much philosophical debate has been put into exactly *why* humans have language abilities. While that debate probably will not be solved, you can take a sample of your daily language use to examine *what* you are using language for. Create a bulleted list of the tasks you did on a particular day involving language use. You can group them together (i.e. talked to friends, watched T.V., texted), so that you do not have to list them several times. After you’ve created this list, explain what you think the *purpose* of a language system is given your daily use of it (around ~400-500 words).