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Monologue on Language

There's a saying in Russia that says that language can lead you anywhere. Obviously, it's meaning is that by speaking with people you can achieve anything you want. That is the reason why you should speak a language well.

However, one language is good, two is better. The more foreign languages you speak fluently nowadays, the more horizons are open to you – trips and business, relationships, and hearts of people. There is no way of doing international business without communicating in a foreign language. Additionally, one of the most popular reasons to learn a foreign language is simply for culture, be it transcendental art or language of one's idol.

It's important to note, that learning language is different for different people. When you speak with people who speak a certain dialect, it's important to be able to adapt to different dialects and develop accurate pronunciation. I believe that developing good accents is easier for musical people, as they tend to get sounds better. Otherwise, you'll talk at cross purposes. Also, I think that acquiring a language is easier for businessmen, who travel a lot and need to hold intelligent conversation with native speakers or their business partners. If they don't learn, chances are they will fall behind in a career. To prove that they do know the language they speak, people can take language exams and receive a certificate to prove their knowledge.

Despite the variety of languages, some languages are more popular than others. Without a doubt, English is the most popular one. And reasons for that aren't a surprise either. Firstly, it's a relatively easy language to learn, if you compare it to languages such as Russian and Chinese. Plus, it's popular because of being a widely-spoken language, as it enables people to build trusting relations across different societies. On top of that, it gives a broad understanding of English culture, which attracts people from all over the world.

Undoubtedly, I am assured that English will remain a global language, and others won't stand a chance. It is lingua franca of computing, technology, science and medicine, thereby language of technological future. As long as English remains prominent in international business, academia, as long as it remains to be the working language of the United Nations, as long as the USA is the largest economy in the world, which dominates entertainment industry, it must be English to be the language that will keep the title of "global language".

English is also a language of the Internet. And people speak English with each other out there. Yet, there's a problem. There are different kind of people out there and people speak different kinds of English here. Many of them are not native speakers and therefore it's more probable that they will make spelling and grammar mistakes. Moreover, it's easy to create confusion when you can't define a right register, which is harder online.

To be able to find the right balance between being formal and informal in the Internet and use correct and appropriate language, there's only one way – through sheer practice. In most cases there is no need to use formal language. Still, Proofread your writings before posting to be understood. Just watch your language and try not to overuse inappropriate or abusive language. People don't like meanies. And don't share too much personal information on the Net. There are more than enough bad people out there. I was amazed when I had learned that there are people who still think that web is one-hundred-percent safe from scammers.

==Concluding== everything I've said before, the process of learning language is quite complex. Different people do it for different reasons. It must be hard to choose from such variety of languages, however many decide to learn English. While learning language, you should understand, from what source you receive the information to avoid confusion when speaking with people. And it would be great if you remained consistent while doing it, as it allows you to grow faster.

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