

THE IMPACT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE IN OUR SOCIETY

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Abstract: *English is the most common language in the world, with around 20% of the total population able to communicate using it. It became a lingua franca, used by international communities to speak in a unified language. The impact of English in our society is huge. It has transformed our lives on many different levels. In this article, we will analyze how English influences modern society.*

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Introduction

The best way to understand the impact of English language in the world is to take a look at the most impactful real life examples and use cases.

Without further ado, this are the 10 most impactful consequences of the irruption of english in societyAs a tool of emotional expression between people, language has important value. With the common development of the world economy, politics, and culture, English is widely used in political, economic, and cultural exchanges. The ultimate goal of ELL (English Language and Literature) learning is to cultivate students' ability of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English subjects, so as to promote the all-round and healthy development of students' comprehensive English language literacy. Through the study of human core instinct, we can analyze and understand human nature with the help of spoken, written, and even sign languages [1]. As a widely used language in the world, English plays an important role in easing conflicts and promoting ethnic exchanges. At this stage, the study of English is no longer limited to the superficial level of communication and communication. The research work of ELL should focus on the combination of the English language and other disciplines, as well as the problems between depth and breadth.

Main part

English is used in Global communication

When we speak about international communication, both in personal and official situations, English is most likely the language we choose to enable communication between each other. Every country uses it commonly when they want to send messages to international community.

Most international organizations present their official statements in this language, which granted English some prestige. In modern world we consider it considered a fundamental skill for those who participate in international dialogue.

English can boost your work opportunities

In personal situations, English enables international connections, communication and mutual understanding. It allows us to form friendships beyond borders. Knowledge of English is a required skill in many high performing companies. Individuals who are able to communicate in this language have vast employability opportunities. Plus, they are not only tied to national market. They can look for their dream job across many different countries. It accelerates performance of companies and improves overall employability for those with knowledge of this language.

The impact of English language transforming cultures.

This trend is especially strong among younger generations, due to English being most common language on the internet. However, this may not be the best side of English being *lingua franca*. Nonetheless, this feature is considered by some people to have negative impact in some areas. As more and more cultures are influenced by Western Society language, native and diverse cultural heritage may be damaged.

The importance of English in education

English has had a huge impact on international education. It is currently mandatory subject in most schools across the world and for good reason, as some of the world best universities teach lessons in this language. English can also help students in their personal lives. Learning a new language can help broaden students minds, while also help them develop emotional skills. As we already mentioned, it provides job opportunities and help people communicate through the internet.

Across the globe, many international schools offer English cls. This allows to train international professionals and future skilled experts which are not limited by their native country borders.

Globalization of English

English has a huge impact on globalization, as it allows all of us to speak in one common language. This is something unique that has never been possible before in history. People are now roaming freely across countries, English being global language allows them to look for help on airports or tourist information points.

English is a basic for tourism

English has a huge impact on the tourism sector. You can even argue that this is what enabled this industry to grow so exceptionally across past 50 years. English is a second language for most of both tourists and local communities. This enables them to benefit from tourism while minimizing unnecessary conflicts and misunderstanding. Furthermore, it helps communities offer better tourism experience for visitors. It can be considered as a symbiosis, which brings great benefits to both local community and

tourists. Remote locations and countries can also enter the market using the “international language”, which will allow them to attract wider audience and further boost local economy.

English is the dominant language scientific research

Science is a broad field, and it requires international collaboration in order to deliver the best results possible. The use of English as a *lingua franca* enables scientists from every part of the world to access research findings, which are necessary to further propel development of global science. If any research discovers something which could lead to a breakthrough in an important field such as medicine, sharing research in English will enable global scientific community to implement it into their work relatively quickly.

This is the primary reason for which most research findings are presented in two versions: in language native to the researcher and in English. This enables global scientific community to work together and propel world science development.

Conclusion

English has a huge impact on a global society. It became almost universal language. This however doesn't mean that translation services are not relevant anymore. In fact, it's quite contrary. Translation is important as modern environment requires excellency in English. In addition, proper translation between English and other languages through the concept of English being a “bridge” is crucial. Otherwise, the original message will be lost. If you need professional translation services, contact our team. Most of the research work done in the area of cross-linguistic influence in the Arab world so far has been focused on interlingual transfer from the first language to the foreign language. This focus on the negative influence of Arabic on English is motivated by pedagogical concerns. When the aim is teaching and learning English as a foreign language, it is legitimate to see whether Arabic helps or hinders the process. Even when we discuss code-switching from a sociolinguistic or psycholinguistic perspective, we still maintain this one-way influence: insertion of words and expressions in English. Hence, the purpose of this article was to shed light on what is known as “reverse transfer” i.e. the influence of English. Adopting a purely linguistic perspective, our intention was to list some of the manifestations of this reverse cross-linguistic influence such as code-mixing, translation, transliteration, substitution, re-ordering, overproduction, omission, poor translation, calquing, borrowing, and code mixing.

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