LEARNING A LANGUAGE CAN MAKE A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE TO YOUR CAREER

The demand for languages in business is growing all the time. So give yourself a distinct career advantage. Learn to speak another language and gain the communication skills employers are looking for.

Seize your global future

It’s your choice

YOUR ‘GLOBAL FUTURE’

The Welsh Government has launched a five year plan called ‘Global Futures’ to provide and promote opportunities for people interested in languages, so there’s never been a better time to learn a language and secure your ‘Global Future’.

Volunteering, working, studying or travelling abroad are great ways to practise your language skills. Or ask about foreign exchange programmes at your school, college or university.

WITH A LANGUAGE, YOU’LL GO FAR

But which languages do UK employers rate most highly?

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YOUR PASSPORT TO SUCCESS

There are no rules to no team industries that need language skills:

Travel and Tourism
Teaching
Civil Service
Liberarship
Science and Research
Hospitality and Catering
Fascist Work
Airport Work
Intelligence Service
Journals & Broadcasting
Sales and Exports

VOLUNTEER
Teach or work abroad – thousands do every year

• Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL)
• British Council Language Assistants

Search over a million jobs in Europe

• European Job Portal

Teaching languages

You can take a degree to become a language teacher or a teacher of English as a foreign language.

How to learn another language

You can learn another language either:

• Full-time or part-time
• At GCSE or A Level
• At school or college

You could also study interactively or attend evening classes.

Higher education?

At degree level there are a wide range of language, linguistic and cultural studies courses available. You can study:

• A single language
• More than one language
• Or a language with another subject, such as:
  • History and French
  • German and Politics
  • Italian and Medicine
  • French and a STEM subject
  • Spanish and Law

To name but a few!

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50% rate French the most useful
30% rate Spanish the most useful
49% rate German the most useful
28% rate Chinese the most useful

94% of job opportunities with languages don't involve translation or teaching. Surprising, eh?

50% rate Chinese the most useful
18% rate French the most useful
16% rate Spanish the most useful