Not to know is bad, not to wish to know is worse.

Не знать плохо, не хотеть знать - еще хуже.

What can you say about the English language?
Characterise it, please! Choose the epithets (adgectives)!.

Popular, easy, difficult, interesting, beautiful, melodic, most spoken around the world, widespread all over the world, global, world, official, mother tongue.

Make sentences with these words!

English is very popular!   *It is very difficult for me.*   *I think it is easy.*

What do you think, why is English so popular?

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Let's review different opinions

Let me introduce all of them.

Mr Bumridge, an English historian

Mrs Belova, a Russian translator

Mr Brinks, a rich American businessman

Mrs Zaitseva, a successful Russian businesswoman

Mr Schneider, a philosopher

Students who study abroad

Pupils who want to learn English

Mrs Ostrovskaya and Mrs Petrova, teachers of English

How do you learn English?

listen to songs in English

watch films in English

to learn few new words every day

read a lot.

communicate with the native speaker

Why do you learn English?
Which reasons can be a motivation for you?

Start so: *If I know English, I shall be able to…*

travel all over the world
communicate with people from other countries.
learn all about my favorite music groups.
read books of great writers in origin
watch films in English too.
get access to the Internet.
go on holiday abroad.
find a fantastic job abroad
earn a lot of money
make friends
be the best student
understand
study languages at the university
be an intelligent person

You may use your own ideas

Thank you very much for your work.
Now let's compliment each other.

you speak English well.

your information is interesting.

you are clever

you are nice.

you know grammar rules well.

you are hardworking.

you are as good as gold.

you are intelligent.

you are serious.

Homework

**to write a short composition
"Why is English so popular?"**

KEEP
CALM
AND
LOVE
ENGLISH