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Learning English

Learning English is very important in today's society. There are two main reasons for this.

The first reason is that English is useful in the workplace. English is widely used as a lingua franca for business around the world, and many companies require English proficiency. Being able to speak English enables you to communicate smoothly with overseas customers and suppliers, and to read and utilize English materials and research directly. It also increases the likelihood of getting a promotion or seizing a new career opportunity, as it is valued as an immediate asset during overseas business trips or transfers. Thus, English is an unavoidable skill in today's increasingly globalized world.  
 Second, being able to use English allows you to talk to many people. It is said that English is spoken by approximately 2 billion people around the world, making it a common language that transcends countries and cultures. Being able to speak English not only allows you to interact with locals and other tourists in your destination, but also to communicate with friends and business partners abroad. In addition, you will have the advantage of broadening your horizons and deepening your multicultural understanding through English-language interaction.

It is said that Japanese people are not good at listening and speaking English. One reason for this is that they have few opportunities to use English. Many people do not feel confident in using English because they often learn mainly grammar and reading comprehension at school and do not get enough practice in actually speaking and listening to English.  
 Therefore, speaking with foreigners in English and watching English movies are very effective ways to practice. By speaking with foreigners, you will be exposed to live English, and you will be able to practice your listening and speaking skills through actual communication. Watching English movies is another fun way to learn. You can learn the expressions and pronunciation used in movies naturally and improve your listening skills.

English is now an essential skill for life. We are still young, which means we have many opportunities. Learn English. Don't give up and try again and again!

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