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I think that kids should learn different languages, because when they grow up, their job might be going around the world and they probably won't know the language for the place they are in if they don't learn when they are small, so that's one of my thoughts. The other thought is that kids have fun learning different languages.

Here's another example, on Sunday a lady from Germany will visit me and I will want to know German to talk to her. Here's another example, I need to know more Spanish to talk to my foreign language teacher.

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### LANGUAGES AROUND THE WORLD

Languages around the world are important. Knowing another language can help other people that come from other places and don't speak your language. I came from Poland four years ago and didn't speak any English. Luckily there was a Polish boy that spoke Polish and could communicate to me and help me with my work. Other reasons that it is important to speak another language is because you want to be an attendant and get trips to other countries; you need to be able to communicate with people . You need to talk to people to see what they need or want. If you want to be a translator for the president or someone else you need to know other languages to translate. These are just some reasons why other languages are important, to me, but there are a lot more.

Sincerely,  
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