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today large and small nations of the world need to live in dialogue with each other to establish good relations for collective survival and to avoid wars a presidential commission s 1979 report concluded that a monolingual society that neglects the teaching of foreign languages is greatly disadvantaged in dealing with foreign powers particularly developing nations in the importance of learning a foreign language in a

changing society author dr emanuel alvarez sandoval shows the problems of a monolingual society and prescribes remedies for their solution particularly in a post 9 11 world intelligence gathering in another country is greatly hindered if the cultural and philosophical content of the country s language is not understood properly the problem is so grave that the presidential commission termed it a national emergency in a post 9 11 world however understanding foreign languages is no longer just a priority but an absolute necessity in developing a global network against terrorism

in this entertaining and groundbreaking book dr paul pimsleur creator of the renowned pimsleur method the world leader in audio based language learning shows how anyone can learn to speak a foreign language if learning a language in high school left you bruised with a sense that there was no way you can learn another language how to learn a foreign language will restore your sense of hope in simple straightforward terms dr pimsleur will help you learn grammar seamlessly vocabulary and how to practice pronunciation and come out sounding like a native the key is the simplicity and directness of pimsleur s approach to a daunting subject breaking it down piece by piece demystifying the process along the way dr pimsleur draws on his own language learning trials and tribulations offering practical advice for overcoming the obstacles so many of us face originally published in 1980 how to learn a foreign language is now available on the 50th anniversary of dr pimsleur s publication of the first of his first audio courses that embodied the concepts and methods found here it s a fascinating glimpse into the inner workings of the mind of this amazing pioneer of language learning

the handbook of second and foreign language writing is an authoritative reference compendium of the theory and research on second and foreign language writing that can be of value to researchers

professionals and graduate students it is intended both as a retrospective critical reflection that can situate research on L2 writing in its historical context and provide a state of the art view of past achievements and as a prospective critical analysis of what lies ahead in terms of theory research and applications accordingly the handbook aims to provide i foundational information on the emergence and subsequent evolution of the field ii state of the art surveys of available theoretical and research basic and applied insights iii overviews of research methods in L2 writing research iv critical reflections on future developments and iv explorations of existing and emerging disciplinary interfaces with other fields of inquiry

this volume offers fresh perspectives on a controversial issue in applied linguistics and language teaching by focusing on the use of the first language in communicative or immersion type classrooms it includes new work by both new and established scholars in educational scholarship second language acquisition and sociolinguistics as well as in a variety of languages countries and educational contexts through its focus at the intersection of theory practice curriculum and policy the book demands a reconceptualization of code switching as something that both proficient and aspiring bilinguals do naturally and as a practice that is inherently linked with bilingual code switching

topics included in this volume are centered around the politics of translator and interpreter education in higher education in the us as well as in europe and the perceived image of elitism of these disciplines other essays discuss the tension and disciplinary boundaries between foreign language training and translator and interpreter education topics dealing with specific quality control issues in the teaching of interpreting and translation discussions of innovative approaches to research e g isotopy and translation and a review of teaching conference interpreting complete this volume

this book discusses the empirical studies on how biological age influences foreign language learning in school it provides a succinct overview of a complex field for both experts and researchers interested in the teaching and learning of foreign languages

this book will be helpful to teachers and learners of hindi who want to understand better ways of teaching and learning hindi as a foreign language with the ever increasing number of hindi learners across the globe particularly in europe it has become necessary to customise the teaching methods to the particular needs of learners highlighting the relevant areas that need more attention for researchers of second language acquisition the book provides ample information on various previous studies and demarcates areas of further research as well overall it is a must read for learners researchers and teachers of hindi as a foreign language

this book traces the motivational dynamics embedded within lifelong foreign language learning trajectories examining the factors which generate and sustain motivation throughout a learner s life embracing a complexity approach it views motivation as a long term individual process that evolves along a narrative continuum developing over the course of life personal experiences choices and events this narrative inquiry delves into the captivating and unique experiences of three exceptionally motivated older adult learners who have embarked on a lifelong foreign language journey and maintained their momentum after 60 it will be relevant to researchers interested in third age language acquisition l2 motivation and the impact of additional language learning on wellbeing it also offers pedagogical guidance to optimise language education quality through better appreciation and anticipation of the autonomous third age learning experience

this volume is the first to explore links between the russian linguist mikhail bakhtin s theoretical insights about language and practical concerns with second and foreign language learning and teaching situated within a strong conceptual framework and drawing from a rich empirical base it reflects recent scholarship in applied linguistics that has begun to move away from formalist views of language as universal autonomous linguistic systems and toward an understanding of language as dynamic collections of cultural resources according to bakhtin the study of language is concerned with the dialogue existing between linguistic elements and the uses to which they are put in response to the conditions of the moment such a view of language has significant implications for current understandings of second and foreign language learning the contributors draw on some of bakhtin s more significant concepts such as dialogue utterance heteroglossia voice and addressivity to examine real world contexts of language learning the chapters address a range of contexts including elementary and university level english as a second language and foreign language classrooms and adult learning situations outside the formal classroom the text is arranged in two parts part i contexts of language learning and teaching contains seven chapters that report on investigations into specific contexts of language learning and teaching the chapters in part ii implications for theory and practice present broader discussions on second and foreign language learning using bakhtin s ideas as a springboard for thinking this is a groundbreaking volume for scholars in applied linguistics language education and language studies with an interest in second and foreign language learning for teacher educators and for teachers of languages from elementary to university levels it is highly relevant as a text for graduate level courses in applied linguistics and second and foreign language education

this collection of twelve papers demonstrates that the concepts developed within the cognitive linguistics

movement afford an insightful perspective on several important areas of second language acquisition and pedagogy in the first part of the book three papers show how three cognitive linguistics constructs provide a useful theoretical frame within which second language acquisition data can be analyzed first talmy's typology of motion events is argued to constitute the base relative to which acquisition discrepancies in motion events are most valuably investigated secondly the notion of construction is invoked in order to account for systematic differences between the native and non native speakers use of the english verb get finally frequency and similarity effects are shown to play a crucial part in the learning of prepositions in a second language the second part of the book shows that the key concepts commonly invoked in cognitive linguistics analyses allow language teachers to insightfully structure the presentation of problematic material in the foreign language classroom these concepts include among others polysemy the figure ground gestalt the usage based conception of grammar the radial organization of categories metaphors and cultural scripts the cognitive linguistics paradigm has already shown its viability to analyze a wide array of linguistic phenomena this book establishes its relevance in the areas of second language acquisition and language pedagogy its intended public is composed of cognitive linguists second language acquisition specialists as well as foreign language pedagogy researchers instructors and students

this book takes stock of current research into computer learner corpora conducted both by elt and sla specialists it should be of particular interest to researchers looking to assess its relevance to sla theory and elt practice throughout the volume emphasis is also placed on practical methodological aspects of computer learner corpus research in particular the contribution of technology to the research process the advantages and disadvantages of automated and semi automated approaches are analyzed the

capabilities of linguistic software tools investigated the corpora and compilation processes described in detail in this way an important function of the volume is to give practical insight to researchers who may be considering compiling a corpus of learner data or embarking on learner corpus research the volume is divided into three main sections section 1 gives a general overview of learner corpus research section 2 illustrates a range of corpus based approaches to interlanguage analysis section 3 demonstrates the direct pedagogical relevance of learner corpus work

this guide will provide you with some direction and suggestions for your language learning adventure it discusses the origin of languages and the importance of overcoming barriers such as negativity it takes a look at different learning styles and optimum learning periods you ll learn the value of defining the reasons for language learning and evaluate your level of commitment and dedication further you ll be able to review techniques such as vocabulary building being open minded practicing regularly and interacting with native speakers who provide models for us and an opportunity for authentic communication moreover you will see how essential it is to learn not only the language but also the culture lastly you will be able to examine the benefits of being humble persistent and motivated here is the table of contents so many languages overcoming barriers before you begin selecting learning materials techniques for success sticking it out mastery and beyond interacting with the native speakers children and foreign languages finding a teacher and online resource guide be sure to order your copy today

this text helps monolinguals achieve their dream of learning another language each chapter explains and exemplifies issues inherent in the language learning process that readers need to understand these include maintaining motivation dealing with errors being strategic and assessing progress readers receive advice on

the practical steps they can take to make learning more effective and enjoyable they also gain exposure to the methods and techniques used to research language learning while doing so they become aware of child language development the evolution of language language s relationship to culture and other fundamental areas of linguistics readers also confront limitations related to age and learn about the necessity of having realistic expectations concerning pronunciation grammar production word usage and cultural knowledge questions following the end of every chapter encourage readers to reflect on the information presented and how they can use it the text s focus on first time language learners and straightforward style make it accessible for high school students college language majors and those independently pursuing a language

language acquisition is a human endeavor par excellence as children all human beings learn to understand and speak at least one language their mother tongue it is a process that seems to take place without any obvious effort second language learning particularly among adults causes more difficulty the purpose of this series is to compile a collection of high quality monographs on language acquisition the series serves the needs of everyone who wants to know more about the problem of language acquisition in general and or about language acquisition in specific contexts

the purpose of this book is to give new perspectives on how to teach english as a foreign language in indonesia english is one of the subjects taught in junior high school and senior high school which is based on the curriculum and syllabus determined by the government the syllabus consists of the core competence basic competence objective materials methods and evaluation the subjects must contribute to the establishment of attitude skills and knowledge this book is completed with something new curriculum 2013 the students of this subject are introduced with the history of language teaching the spread of englishes and

the concept of enl esl efl tefl tesl and tesol the concept the framework and the standards in the new curriculum are also included in this book in addition the students are also introduced to scientific learning model such as thematic learning discovery learning and problem based learning furthermore the kinds of text as learning materials are also given it is expected that upon completing this subject the students are able to teach english as a foreign language in indonesia using lesson plan based on the syllabus of curriculum 2013 the examples of syllabus and lesson plans used in teaching english for junior high school and senior high school are available in the appendix of this book

it has been argued for some time that to improve language learning in britain we need to start earlier as many other european countries do this book is addressed to policy makers and teachers who are considering the possibility of getting involved in the teaching of mfl in the primary school

this book investigates the effect of multisensory instruction on self efficacy among students with developmental dyslexia learning english as a foreign language the first three chapters of the book delve into theoretical aspects of developmental dyslexia multisensory instruction and self efficacy providing an overview of existing research in this domain the second part of the book reports empirical findings obtained from a case study supplemented by quantitative analysis these findings highlight the advantages of employing multisensory instructional techniques for teaching foreign languages to students with dyslexia notably the application of multisensory instruction not only enhances dyslexic students foreign language competencies but also positively impacts their self efficacy the study underscores the importance of language instruction tailored to the special educational needs of students with dyslexia as well as its potential to foster self efficacy an essential factor for success in foreign language learning

this book provides a research based account of how to teach and learn chinese as a foreign language in addition to the discussion of relevant second foreign language research this volume gives detailed information on ways to develop a pedagogical model that is uniquely suited to teaching chinese in five key areas pronunciation tones and pinyin characters and words sentences when and why different sentence structures are used discourse and pragmatic competence coherence and genre and cultural competence specially written for chinese language teachers student teachers and applied linguists this is the first book written in english that systematically addresses all major aspects involved in teaching and learning chinese as a foreign language this book covers all the fundamental grammar elements in chinese explains their functions in discourse and communication and explores different strategies for teaching and engaging students in learning the language

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