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English language and its usage among the youth.

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There have been many researches done on the use of English language by the youth of Sri

Lanka and for what purposes they find it necessary to learn English as a language in a

rapidly globalizing world. Most studies show that the youth find it crucial to have a good

English knowledge to increase their employment opportunities in the corporate sector. This

study explores the practical aspects and difficulties of learning good English by the youth

and it also depicts the perception of the youth and how they think that this gap between the

corporate sector and the youth should be bridged and how the youth can be more aligned

with the globalizing world even though Sri Lanka is still a growing country. In conclusion

it was discovered that the youth find it more fitting to have a practical learning experience

when trying to use English.

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