

ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLASS ADVANCED DECEMBER WEEK N°2

Topic: Being bilingüal

Play this video and answer the following questions:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WSUj3PRvzzg

Bilingualism: Video Comprehension — Multiple Choice Questions

1. According to the video, what was a common historical belief about bilingualism?

- A. It improved children's creativity.
- B. It made people more emotional.
- C. It prevented dementia.
- D. It confused people and held them back.

2. What mental benefit does regularly switching between languages provide?

- A. Decreased attention span
- B. Improved concentration and problem solving
- C. Faster physical reflexes
- D. Reduced memory capacity

3. What was the major finding from the 2007 Toronto study mentioned in the video?

- A. Bilingual people learn new languages faster.
- B. Bilingual people develop dementia 4 to 4.5 years later than monolinguals.
- C. Bilingualism causes cognitive decline earlier.
- D. Bilingual people are more emotional in both languages.

4. In the 2023 study of 8–10 year olds, which group showed the strongest brain connectivity at rest?

- A. Early bilinguals exposed from birth
- B. Monolingual children
- C. Later bilinguals exposed between ages 2 and 5
- D. Adults who learned languages later in life

5. Which behavioral effect of bilingualism is highlighted in the video besides cognitive reserve?

- A. Reduced social skills
- B. Complete emotional detachment in both languages
- C. Greater ability to see others' perspectives
- D. Faster physical recovery from wounds



Answer Key:

- 1. D
- 2. B
- 3. B
- 4. A
- 5. C