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Communicative Approach

Indian children have less opportunities to speak English. So communicative approach was invented to avoid the hesitation of speaking English. According to Dr. West aims of teaching English in India are quite different from those of elsewhere. In India, English should be taught because:

1. English promotes Internationalism and brotherhood.
2. It is a medium of communication among people of different parts of the world.
3. No Indian language is rich in the field of science.
4. English broadens mental faculties.

Advantages of the Approach

The following are some of the main advantages of the communicative approach:

1. There are four aspects of language learning. This approach helps in developing one aspect i.e. speaking.
2. This approach initiates students for self activity.
3. Communication makes learning English easy.
4. This approach does not lay stress on phonetics.
5. Students do not feel the overload of grammatical rules.