As communication goes, English is the primary language studied and used all over the world. It stands as the very possible way to understand foreign people around the globe. It is like having a unity within the same flicks of tongue. And due to the importance of this language to the field of communication, it is being practiced at a younger age, most especially here in the Philippines, wherein the language is spoken on a daily basis.

Academically speaking, English language dominates the curriculum as almost all of the subjects are spoken in the vernacular. Aside from Filipino, Values Education and History subjects, each of the students is strictly obliged to speak in the English language. Essays and reports are written in English. Debates and recitations are done in English. Even the rules and regulations are all written in forms of formal English. Yet, despite of all these implementations done in the schools, students still get a hard time polishing their English vocabulary. Whether or not Filipino can be a language for studies, I believe that it can be a language to study any subject or career. It is necessary to make a decision in different levels and areas because it must be a political, social and academic choice. But all these things are not enough. There is something that must be overcome; a great prejudice against Filipino.

There is nothing like speaking in someone’s mother tongue. The choice of Filipino will also enrich the language because of the creation of new words, expressions, idioms and concepts which will better express the Filipino people’s mentality. A language is more than words and grammar; it is the expression of a culture, way of thinking, feeling and living. “English-carabao”, that is how Filipinos describe the inability to speak in English language smoothly and fluently. Actually, in secondary level, students think that the capability to speak English fluently can only be done by the geniuses in class, not knowing that it can be practiced by all if only given enough time and focus. Instead, they laugh at those who gradually learn to completely speak a sentence in the English subject. If only they could prioritize this kind of speaking, they may understand not only the lesson, but the world as well.
Every language is beautiful but English is the most commonly used language among foreign language speakers. Throughout the world, when people with different languages come together, commonly they use English to communicate. Training and learning English is very important because it can be the bridge to achieve satisfaction in one’s life. It improves and excels one’s chance of getting a good job, helps one communicate to have more friends and broadens one’s social networking. Lastly, people who understand English can travel much more countries by themselves than people who do not speak English. Therefore, it’s an advantage to learn English.

Internalizing the English language is neither a hypocrite thing, nor even hatred instead of using each own language. It is only a way to explore, to get a better point of view in the world. How can people communicate without learning the language? It is a unity, not a difference of lifestyle. Everyone has the capability to learn and love the English language if we will just try to appreciate its purposes.

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