

Languages for Communication:

TASK ONE: Watch the NICILT 'Languages for Communication' video [here](#) and take notes in the boxes below

Name	Occupation	Languages spoken	How they use languages in their work
Ciaran			
Paolina			
Karen			
Daniel			

TASK TWO: Complete the table below

List of Occupations	Are languages useful for these jobs? ✓ for Yes X for No ? For Not sure	How could you use languages in these jobs? Be creative!	List of Occupations	Are languages useful for these jobs? ✓ for Yes X for No ? For Not sure	How could you use languages in these jobs? Be creative!
Actor			Hotel manager		
Airline Cabin crew			Interpreter		
Air traffic controller			Journalist		
Astronaut			Musician		
Bilingual secretary			Presenter (TV/radio)		
Chef			Sales & Marketing		
Customs Officer			Teacher		
Diplomat			Tour Guide		
Doctor			Travel Agent		

TASK THREE: Complete the table below

Choose some other occupations	Are languages useful for these jobs? ✓ for Yes X for No ? For Not sure	How could speaking another language help you in these jobs?
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TASK FOUR: **Imagine** that you have just started a job involving languages, similar to one of the people interviewed in the 'Languages for Communication' video. Jot down below some of your ideas about:

- **How** you ended up in that job.
- **What** languages you use in your job and **how** you use them in your everyday work.
- Do you like your job and **why/why not?**
- **What** extra skills can you bring to your role?

When you have finished jotting down your ideas, work with a partner to ask each other questions about **why languages are important** in your imaginary job.