

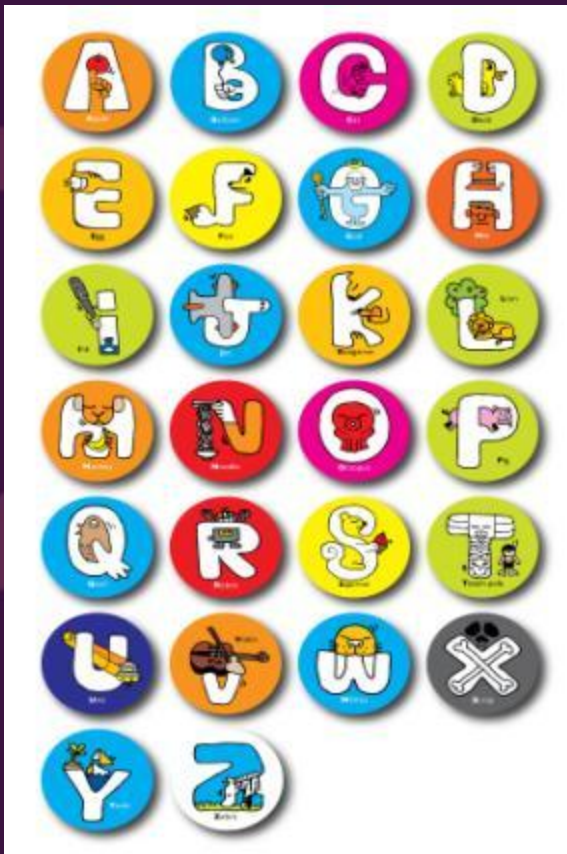
*The modern world is becoming smaller all the time. Every day distances between different countries seem less. For this reason it's becoming more and more important to know different languages, especially English*



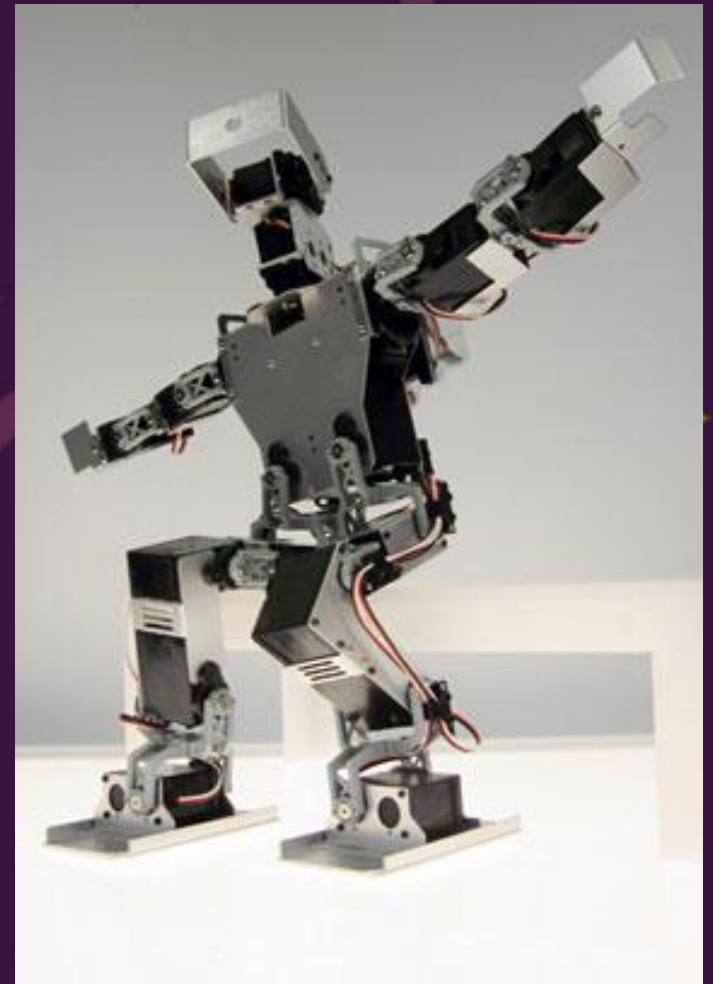
*One billion people speak English today.  
That's about 20 % of the world's population*



*English is the first language in the United Kingdom, the United States of America, Australia and New Zealand.*



*English is the language of politics and diplomacy, science and technology, business and trade, sport and pop music 80% of all information in the world's computers is in English*





*To know English today is absolutely necessary for every educated person, for every good specialist. Learning a language is not an easy thing. It's a long and slow process that takes a lot of time and patience but it's a must*

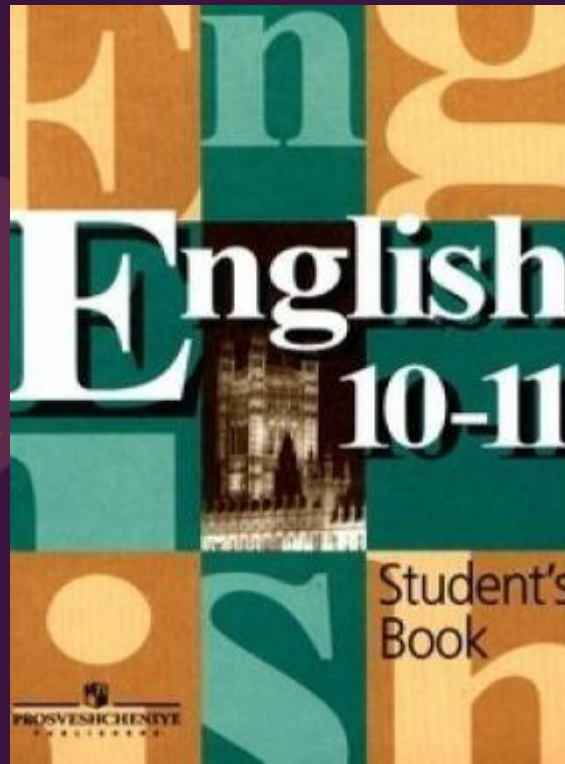


*English is taught throughout the world and a lot of people speak it quite well. In our country English is very popular: it is studied at schools (sometimes even at nursery schools), colleges and universities.*



*Everyone will speak English soon - I'm sure of it. We all need to understand each other.*





*As for me I like English very much. I study it with great pleasure. But English is my hobby, but not my future profession.*