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READING COMPREHENSION

English: The Language of Business

We all know Nissan is a Japanese company. It has factories, offices, and salespeople all over the world. It is partners with a French company, Renault /rɛ'noʊ/, and its CEO, Carlos Ghosn /goʊn/, is Brazilian. But what is the official language of Nissan? English!

At Nissan's headquarters in Tokyo, the managers are from Japan, North America, and Europe. They have meetings in English. They also read documents, make phone calls, and write emails in English.

"Sometimes everyone in a meeting is Japanese. Then we speak Japanese," one Nissan manager says. "But we are a multinational company and English is the only language we all know."

More and more big companies only use English. English is the official language of Uniqlo and Rakuten, two other big Japanese companies. It is also the official language of Nokia in Finland, LG in Korea, and more.



Complete : Where are these companies from?

Nissan	
Uniqlo	
LG	
Nokia	

Answer :

- Is Carlos Ghosn from Japan?

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- Is Nokia from Finland?

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- Is Nissan an International company?

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True or False

- Nissan and Renault are partners

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- Carlos Ghosn is from USA

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- Nissan's official language is French

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- Nissan's managers send emails in English

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- Sometimes in a meeting is Japanese, but they speak English

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- English is the official language of other Japanese companies

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LIVEWORKSHEETS