



You are going to watch an interview with Alex Rawlings, who speaks 11 languages.

Match greetings 1-11 to the languages. Then watch Part 1 and check.

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| 1 Afrikaans | French | Italian |
| Catalan | German | Russian |
| Dutch | Greek | Spanish |
| English | Hebrew | |

Now watch Part 2. Why does Alex mention...?

to be hooked to smth – to do smth with real pleasure, to enjoy

to immerse – to become completely involved in something

1. a completely new adventure

2. Greek and German

3. Chinese and Slovene

4. British and Irish languages, a recent trip to Wales

5. Russian

6. YouTube; vocabulary and grammar

Watch Part 3 and answer the questions.

an approach – the way of doing smth

1. *Why do people sometimes fail to learn a language?*

2. *Why did Alex find Afrikaans easy to learn?*

3. *Why do the British and Americans find it difficult to learn foreign languages?*

4. *Complete Alex's tips:*

You never _____ learning a language.

Try to spend _____ a day on the language you are learning.