

Read what Seyda says about learning English

Learning English has changed a lot because of coronavirus. Before I went to a Children's Centre. Now I join a Zoom class on my phone. I liked studying face-to-face. I liked making new friends and I learnt faster in the classroom. It is more difficult on Zoom. I found it easier to understand my teacher in the classroom.

There are some good things. We didn't have a TV in the classroom. Sometimes my teacher played CDs in class. Now we watch videos from the internet, which I think is better.

Also in the classroom my teacher gave us lots of worksheets. My folder was really heavy. Now we take photos of our writing and do worksheets online.

I felt more confident studying in the classroom but I am learning more skills using Zoom. I still think I will be happier when we go back to face-to-face classes.



Which of these statements are true?

1. Seyda studies ESOL.
2. Seyda studies in a Children's Centre.
3. Seyda joins a Zoom class on her laptop.
4. Seyda likes watching videos.
5. Seyda likes learning on Zoom more than face-to-face.

True False

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Which of these adjectives are in the text?

clever

fast

sad

happy

difficult

confusing

confident

friendly

simple

heavy

slow

easy

Seyda compares learning English face-to-face with learning online.

Can you complete the gaps with a comparative adjective?

1. Seyda learnt _____ studying face-to-face.
2. Seyda finds it _____ to understand her teacher online.
3. Seyda's folder was _____ when she studied face-to-face.
4. Seyda is _____ studying online.
5. Seyda is _____ studying face-to-face.

Can you write some sentences about how you feel studying online compared to face-to-face?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Seyda is comparing the past and the present.

She uses past simple and the present simple verb forms.

Can you complete the table below?

Past simple	Present simple
	go
joined	
	like
	learn
	find
were	
had	
	play
watched	
thought	
	give
	is
took	
	feel