

GE8 UNIT 1 LANGUAGES OF THE WORLD 1A

1. Your friend Sam has written you an email. **Write an email to Sam.**

Hi,

Guess what? Do you remember the sports competition I entered last month? They announced the results yesterday, and I've won two tickets to go and watch an international sports event!

Would you like to come to the event with me? We can choose to go in July or August.

We have to book which sport we want to see in advance. There are football and basketball matches. Which sport do you prefer to watch? They sell lots of souvenirs at the stadium. What do you think we should buy?

Bye for now,

Sam

2. Complete the sentences using the words given:

emigrated	bilingual	subtitles	second language
nationality	fluent	accent	official language

I come from Taiwan. My _____ is Taiwanese.

The _____ of Malaysia is Malay, which is officially known as Bahasa Malaysia.

My parents are from Thailand, so when they speak English, they still have a Thai _____.

Sara is a _____ child as she can speak Japanese and Spanish fluently.

If you want to become _____ in Hindu, you have to speak it as much as possible.

A large number of people in this village have _____ to Cambodia.

You can learn a new language by watching movies with _____ in that language.

These people speak English as a _____. Their mother tongue is Danish.

3. Look up the words using Google and complete the words in the table:

COUNTRY	NATIONALITY	OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
Japan		
Australia		
Malaysia		Ba_____ Malaysia
France	Fre_____	
Spain	Span_____	_____
_____	Hong Konger	Can_____
India	_____	Hin_____ and English
_____	Chinese	Man_____ Chinese
Egypt	_____	A_____
_____	_____	Thai

1. Write questions for the **underlined parts**. There is one example:

E.g.: Keira's daughter lives in Melbourne. => **Whose daughter** lives in Melbourne?

Sandra wants to become fluent in Mandarin.

Kelly's sister-in-law learns Cantonese at university.

Tam's first cousins know a few words and phrases in Arabic.

Keira and her husband enjoy watching comedy TV shows on Netflix.

Lara's friend uses Sanskrit as a second language.
