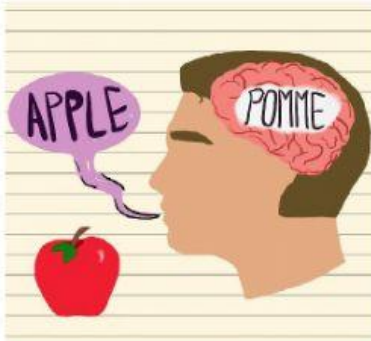


The benefits of a bilingual brain

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Language ability is typically measured in what parts?

- A Conjugation and expanse of vocabulary
- B Talking, writing, listening and reading
- C Pronunciation and sentence structure
- D Accent, speed and spelling



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A person who learns French and English simultaneously from childhood onward would be considered which type of bilingual?

- A Subordinate bilingual
- B Coordinate bilingual
- C Compound bilingual
- D All of the above

The fact that language involves functions both typical of the left and right hemispheres while lateralization develops gradually with age has led to which hypothesis?

- A The Critical Period Hypothesis
- B The Critical Mass Hypothesis
- C The Compound Bilingual Hypothesis
- D The Early Lateralization Hypothesis

Describe the three types of bilingual - Compound bilingual, Coordinate Bilingual and Subordinate bilingual. What are the characteristics of each type?

Why would having a bilingual brain delay the onset of certain diseases and increase abilities in multi-tasking and problem-solving?

What was the common perception of bilingualism before the 1960's? Why did this change?
