

Language Learning Via Technology

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Learning a new language is more efficient and more interesting today than it was a generation ago. Thanks to computer technology students can immerse themselves into the sounds and sites of a new language. When they put on their head phones and click on the icon that takes them to language learning software, they enter the world of their target language.



The time spent in such a language environment is nearly as good as going to another country and living in the home of native speakers.

With their computer students can practice listening, speaking, writing, learning grammar, and reading in the target language.

The biggest factor that determines how well one learns a new language is *commitment*. But commitment must exercise itself in *practice*, and extremely valuable practice can be obtained through the *interactive* language software available today.

If a student has the commitment and the time, we guarantee that as he/she takes advantage of the software tools now available, the student will make good progress in improving their language skills:

Software + Commitment + Time = Success