

English as a Significant Element in the Framework of the New World Order

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Abstract. The article deals with the role of the English language in the changing world. The spread of English is viewed differently by various researchers. Some countries try to stand the spread of English by paying more attention to their native language: creating new terms and concepts, changing curriculum, etc. Nevertheless, most people appear to represent a commonly held view that English can satisfy most needs of the world and can become the global language.

The problem is that not only the world but the language itself is changing too. The standardized use of English has become more liberal, and various Englishes all over the world are treated on the equal basis. The question is not only “Why English?” but as well as “What English?”

English has a significant influence on the development of all the spheres of life. The article presents some ideas about new paradigms in education, and especially in the university changes.