Способности к языкам

Hello everyone! My friends have you ever thought about what kind of capabilities should people have to succeed in learning foreign language? Or may be you can call them judging by yourself? Is it difficult for you to learn English?

I've been learning this language for about two years. First of all I'd like to say that everybody can learn English! No matter how good in languages you are. Many people say that they can't learn English because of their bad capacity for learning. They learn English for years and can't see any improvement. I disagree with them on this point. I really believe that any of us can learn English if we want it. The only reason why we can't learn it quickly is a wrong way of our learning. The right way of learning is the most important thing.

Depending on our way of learning we can do it better or worse. What's more, I think that a foreign language is like innate. It's already inside of us from the very beginning. The only we have to do is to improve it properly. The more we try to use English the better and easier it improves. It's like a muscle which needs to be worked out to get bigger. Active learning is a key to success. That's my opinion.

But from another side all people are different. And everyone needs different time to start to speak English. So I believe in talents for languages as well. But what exactly talents can influence learning?

- 1) First of all it's our memory. I can say that I have a good memory. It definitely helps me to learn English better. As you know there two sorts of memory active and passive one. The more vocabulary you have in your active memory the better you can speak English. So good memory is very important for learning.
- 2) The next thing is the ability to understand the language's structure. It's not a secret that each language has its individual structure. And it's very important to understand it from the beginning. Some people can do it very quickly, but some of us needs more time for it.
- 3) The third essential thing is the ability to pay attention to the most important points only and not to waste time on less important aspects. People which can understand what's really important for learning are more successful in it. Depending on their goals they can understand what they should do to achieve them as quickly as possible.
- 4) In my opinion pretty much depends on our personal qualities. I think that more organized people can learn a new language better. Also, when we learn language we should always practise it in the conversation. So it's clear that sociable people are more successful in learning as well.
- 5) The last important thing is of course our experience. If you already learnt some foreign language the next one is going to be easier for you. I think that polyglots would agree with me.

It was my opinion about capabilities for languages. But once again, everyone can learn a foreign language, especially English. It just takes different time for different people. And if you can't succeed in your learning, try to think about the way you do it in first. And never say that you don't have good facility in learning. It's not true at all.

Keep learning English and take care!