The Subject : Know-how to improve learn Second language

· The gratification comes in the doing, not in the results. (By James Dean)

· Nothing great in the world has been accomplished without passion. (By Georg Wilhelm)

I would like to be share and discuss with my classmates about my previous English learning.

There were two kinds of way for learning English as my experience, one is traditional, characteristics of adult learners, and the other is modern classrooms and alive practice for English.

Here is my experience in case of success and failure as English learning experience.

When I was a university student, I studied to focus on grammar, reading and writing and English conversation in the institute in Seoul, I expected if I learned both grammar and English conversation, but it couldn't be improved quickly, it was failure to learn English.

When I worked, I should work with oversea company co-worker for new business. But I couldn't communicate well with them. I felt shy very much, so then I realized I spent the money to meaningless class.

So I decided to go to USA to learning English for one year, and carried in execution the English intensive course in UCSD (University California of San Diego), I met good American friends in the university, and we became good roommate, my English skill was greatly improved at that time, I believed it was successful for me.

I realized why the former was a failure case and the latter was a success case.

The former, I was afraid of speaking with foreigner who spoke an English, I studied only English by myself, and I didn't talk much during English conversation class.

The Latter, I hung out and talked a lot with my friends who were my roommates and processed regular student course in UCSD and I could learn American culture during I lived in USA.

The alive English made me improve my English skill more and more.

Now I work for a foreign company and should emailed and communicate with my oversea co-workers every day.

I am feeling my English skill upgrade naturally.

So my opinion on learning an English, we should encourage us in not big shy English, learn the culture/life style of the country which use an English as 1st language.

Currently, I am driving and practicing English study as I realized by my experience, and I also believe my English teaching skill will be upgrade when I finish this Tesol course.

I appreciate you read and pay attention to my essay, please feel free advise if I make any mistake and typo error, I will revise and won’t make mistake again further.^^