

1. Read the text. Write (T) true, (F) false. Correct the false statements.

- a) English is an official language in New Zealand.
- b) More people speak Spanish as a native language than English.
- c) Airline pilots must be able to speak and understand English.
- d) The influence of the United States after the war helped to spread English globally.
- e) More people study German than French in the European Union.

2. Read the text again and complete the sentences.

- a) Six countries speak English as a language.
- b) In South Africa, India, Pakistan and the Philippines, English is the language.
- c) The most commonly spoken native language is
- d) Most scientific articles are written in
- e) is used as the second foreign language after English in the European Union.

3. Match the words in bold with their definitions.

- a) the power to affect, change or control something or somebody
- b) to expand, grow
- c) accepted and approved by the government
- d) connected with the place where you were born or where you have always lived
- e) the designing, building and flying of an aircraft