

Celebrate your Home Language

Advice to families learning English

It is VITAL that children continue to use their home language/s through speaking, playing, listening, reading & writing

Use songs, stories, rhymes, games, TV & DVD's in your home language

Most people in the world speak more than one language AND this is a HUGE advantage to learning! It does NOT cause language difficulties

Don't force your child to speak..... They are probably understanding more than they are saying

Encourage & praise your child's attempts to talk in either language

Don't worry if your child mixes languages when speaking

Your Home Language is IMPORTANT.....

KEEP USING IT WITH YOUR CHILD