Niveau: Terminale

**Discipline:** 

**ANGLAIS** 

## CÔTE D'IVOIRE – ÉCOLE NUMÉRIQUE



#### **UNIT 7: INTERNATIONAL ISSUES**

**SESSION 4: WRITING (Writing an opinion essay)** 

LANGUAGE FUNCTION	EXPRESSIONS/STRUCTURES	VOCABULARY
Expressing opinions.	<ul><li>For me</li><li>As far as I am concerned</li><li>From my point of view</li></ul>	<ul><li>Agree/disagree</li><li>Go along with</li><li>Share</li><li>To be against</li></ul>

## I. <u>LEARNING CONTEXT</u>

During their English class, the students of T<sup>leA1</sup> of Lycée Moderne GAF Touba are writing to express their opinions about the extinction of some languages.

### II. LESSON CONTENT

#### Writing strategy for an opinion essay

- Paragraph 1: Introduction: stating your position
- Paragraph 2: reason 1 for supporting your view
- Paragraph 3: reason 2 for supporting your view
- Paragraph 4: a few points supporting the opposite opinion and reason 3 for supporting your view
- Paragraph 5: Conclusion: restating your position

# III. COMMUNICATION ACTIVITY

You are participating in an essay writing competition organized by the British embassy on the following topic "Children should not be prevented from speaking their mother tongue at school."

In your essay,

- -say whether you agree or not with the statement;
- support your position with arguments and examples.

(25 lines maximum)

## **ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RJc7BYGqIfU

In an American TV show program you watched with your English teacher, many participants pretend that *children do not deserve pocket money*. Do you agree with that? Why or why not? Write your point of view in 25 lines maximum.