USING POPULAR SONGS TO LEARN ENGLISH

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ABSTRACT

Music and songs are a part of our lives. They are played over the radio, on television and in shopping complexes. The effects of music upon learning English as a second language seem positive but are not entirely understood. The aim of this paper is to investigate the perceptions of 70 English Language Learners on using songs to learn English. Data is collected using a questionnaire. Findings revealed that learners view using music as a motivating and interesting way of learning English. In conclusion, the songs are powerful tools to help learners acquire a second language.

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