

Here's a breakdown of the 3 Ss:

### 1. SKILLS – INNER CIRCLE

Skills are what you do with the language — reading, writing, listening, and speaking.

- Listening

Listening isn't just a skill — it's the foundation of all language learning! When learning a new language, listening comes first. Listening is often referred to as the Cinderella skill as it is often neglected in the classroom in comparison to speaking.

- Speaking

Speaking builds on listening because we first hear words before we try to say them. That's why, when learning a new language, we start by listening and then practice speaking little by little — copying sounds, repeating phrases, and gaining confidence.

- Reading

Reading comes third because we need to know how words sound before we can recognize them on a page. After mastering listening and speaking, we start connecting letters to sounds, forming words, and finally reading sentences!

- Writing

Writing comes last because it builds on everything else! First, we listen to words, then we speak them, then we read them. Only after that do we start writing!

### 2. SYSTEMS – OUTER CIRCLE

Systems are the rules and patterns behind the magic — grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, and discourse (how sentences fit together).

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- Vocabulary

Vocabulary is all the words you know and use. The more words you have, the better you can express yourself, understand others, and even sound super smart!

- Grammar

Grammar is like the rulebook for putting words together. Grammar keeps words in order so our sentences don't sound like a jumbled mess! Grammar helps us know when things happen! Grammar isn't always *fun*, but it is super useful!

- Phonology

Phonology is all about sounds — how we hear them, say them, and mix them together to create words. Phonology helps us speak clearly, understand accents, and sound more natural in any language.

- Discourse

Discourse is what glues our sentences together so they make sense as a whole. Discourse helps us connect thoughts smoothly. Without discourse, talking and writing would feel messy, confusing, and hard to follow.

### 3. SOCIETY – EVOLVING CIRCLE

This is where English meets real life! Language isn't just for passing exams — it's for understanding the world, sharing your voice, and making a difference. It's all about using language to understand the world, talk about real issues, and make a difference. That's the power of Society — the third and most important S of language! Remember 'Society' is an Evolving circle and Society is ever-evolving. Hence, it includes everything that connects to the real world.

Skills, Systems and Society - put them all together, and BOOM — you have a Language and Life Lesson.