

## TED Talks.

### Jay Walker : English Mania

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Watch the video and find how the following words and expressions are translated into Spanish:

1. teenagers
2. screaming
3. deafening
4. weeping
5. deadly
6. to let somebody/something down
7. English-speaking
8. score
9. gruelling
10. poverty
11. hunger
12. turning point

Now watch again, and answer the following questions:

1. What manias are mentioned?
2. What three adjectives does the speaker say manias can be?
3. How many people are trying to learn English worldwide?
4. What does the word “opportunity” mean in the talk?
5. What natural phenomenon does he compare learning English with?
6. What is maths the language of?
7. Why is English the language of problem solving?
8. What does English represent?