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Unlocking Opportunities: Why Everyone Should Learn a Second Language

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What is one benefit of learning a second language mentioned in the persuasive piece?
 - a) It makes you less interested in other cultures.
 - b) It enhances communication skills.
 - c) It decreases cognitive functions.
 - d) It limits your career options.

2. How can learning a second language benefit your cultural connections?
 - a) By isolating you from people of different cultures
 - b) By fostering cross-cultural friendships and connections
 - c) By making you less interested in other cultures
 - d) By limiting your exposure to different traditions

3. What cognitive functions are enhanced by learning a second language, according to the text?
 - a) Cognitive decline and memory loss
 - b) Problem-solving, multitasking, and creativity
 - c) Decreased cognitive functions
 - d) Single-language thinking

4. Why might employers value bilingual or multilingual employees?
 - a) Because they are less effective in communication
 - b) Because they limit job opportunities
 - c) Because they can open up job opportunities and make candidates more attractive
 - d) Because they decrease earning potential

5. How does knowing a second language enhance travel experiences, as mentioned in the text?
 - a) By making travel less enjoyable
 - b) By limiting your interactions with locals
 - c) By allowing you to immerse in local cultures and connect with people
 - d) By discouraging you from traveling

