

UN TRANSLATOR

The United Nations Headquarters in New York City maintains a team of translators to facilitate communications between the various nations. You are in charge on the day in the question and the people pictured below are available to you. The two languages spoken by each translator are listed under the person's name.

You receive word that the U.S. Secretary of State, who speaks and reads only English, must receive a message from a local official in Zanzibar, who speaks only Swahili.

On a separate sheet of paper, please show how the available translators could be used to accomplish this task.

Mark is English
and speaks French



Helga is Danish
and speaks Russian



Orlando is Spanish
and speaks Italian



Zahir is Indian
(where Hindi is spoken)
and speaks Czech



Anton is Italian
and speaks Korean



Marie is French
and speaks Dutch



Isabel is Portuguese
and speaks Swahili



Kenji is Korean
and speaks Russian



Hans is Dutch
and speaks Danish

Monique is from the
Ivory Coast and speaks
French and Belgian



Molly is Korean
and speaks Turkish



Yuri is Russian
and speaks Swedish



Neils is Swedish
and speaks Spanish



Hamisi lives in Zanzibar
(where Swahili is spoken)
and speaks Hindi



Graciela lives in Peru
and speaks Spanish
and Russian



Ella is Turkish
and speaks Greek



Miri is Czechoslovakian
and speaks Gaelic



Spiro is Greek
and speaks Portuguese



Dagmar is German
and speaks Greek



Charles is Scottish
(Gaelic is spoken in Scotland)
and speaks French

