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Explores the relationship between linguistic universals and second language acquisition. Although no knowledge of generative grammar is presupposed, the theoretical framework is the principles and parameters approach to universal grammar (UG), as in Chomsky's government and binding theory (GB).

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2 1 Universal Grammar and language acquisition that interlanguage grammars differ in various ways from the grammars of native speakers, and some of these differences will be explored. 1.2 Universal Grammar in L1 acquisition A major task for the first language (L1) acquirer is to arrive at a linguistic