Assignment #12 for Honors Section

Due: April 27 at the beginning of class.

Many people have interesting attitudes about other languages and dialects, e.g. “German is harsh”, or “Spanish is fast”. Conduct a survey of at least five people, where you assess their attitudes about one specific language or dialect (up to you). In your assignment, you should: i) explain what generalizations govern the attitudes of the people you surveyed; ii) explain the empirical basis of those attitudes, if any; and iii) describe the consequences of those attitudes for the individuals you surveyed; and iv) explain your survey technique and any consequences it may have for the points above.

Requirements:

1. This can be no longer than two pages.
2. This must be typed.
3. This must be double-spaced.
4. The font size and margins must be reasonable!
5. Put your name and section number on your assignment.

Things to keep in mind:

1. Be clear, not deep!