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English has been seen as a lingua franca at the global level for decades. In Taiwan, as well as in many other non-English-speaking countries, there is a popular opinion that without English it is impossible to be international. That is to say, English is viewed as the exclusive form of realizing internationalization and the only means of increasing international competitiveness. On the other hand, this opinion has been criticized as a narrow understanding of the term “internationalization.” Some argue that the thinking of English as the sole driver of internationalization paradoxically forms a barrier to the achievement of genuine internationalization. A more pessimistic scenario is that the dominance of English may post a threat to the national identity and culture of non-native speakers of English. What do you think of the relationship between English and internationalization? Please write an essay of at least 250 words to express why you agree or disagree on the equation between English and internationalization. (100%)