

Research Assistant II (Ref: 2600781)
Department of Mathematics and Information Technology

Project Title: AI-Supported English Writing for Primary Students
[Appointment Period: around 5 months]

The appointee will work on a research project on revising a Gen AI-driven platform to support creative writing. He/She will support the research team in planning, conducting, and coordinating the project activities. Applicants should have a Bachelor's Degree or above in English Language Education, Applied Linguistics, Education, Educational Technology, Learning Sciences, Psychology, or a related discipline, with a Master's Degree preferred. They should have a strong interest in AI in education, ESL writing, and technology-enhanced learning. The appointment will be for a period of around 5 months.

Applicants should preferably possess the following qualifications and experience:

- o Good knowledge of the Hong Kong primary English curriculum, particularly English writing instruction at the upper primary level;
- o Experience in lesson planning, instructional design, curriculum development, or classroom-based educational research;
- o Experience working with primary school students and/or English teachers is highly desirable;
- o Excellent command of written and spoken English and good command of Cantonese is highly preferred;
- o Knowledge of AI in education, generative AI, technology-enhanced language learning, or collaborative learning is an advantage;
- o Experience in quantitative and/or qualitative data analysis, such as SPSS, R, Python, NVivo, or equivalent tools;
- o Ability to coordinate with schools, teachers, students, and research team members;
- o Strong sense of responsibility, attention to detail, self-motivation, and the ability to work independently.

Major duties include: Supporting literature review and research instrument development; designing and refining AI supported ESL writing activities and lesson plans; liaising with participating schools and teachers; supporting classroom implementation and data collection; preparing and managing research data; conducting preliminary quantitative and qualitative analyses; and other research duties assigned by project PI.

Applicants should have (i) at least Level 2 or equivalent or above in five subjects, including Chinese Language, English Language and Mathematics in HKDSE; or Grade E (Level 2) or above in five subjects, including Chinese, English (Syllabus B), and Mathematics in HKCEE or equivalent.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr Yang Yin Nicole yyin@eduhk.hk

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Initial appointment will be made on a fixed-term contract. Fringe benefits include leave and outpatient medical benefits.

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the [online application form](#) and upload a full CV on or before **21 September 2026**. Applications which are incomplete or without the required documents may not be considered. Personal data provided by applicants will be used for recruitment and other employment-related purposes. For details of the Personal Information Collection Statement, please refer to <http://www.eduhk.hk/jobsoff/index.php?glang=en>.

All applications will be treated in strict confidence. Only those who are shortlisted will be contacted. The University reserves the right not to fill the position(s) advertised.

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