

# 國立高雄師範大學 114 學年度暑假轉學生招生考試試題

系所別：英語學系三年級

科目：英語文能力測驗（含翻譯及寫作）（全七頁）

※注意：1.不必抄題，作答時請將試題題號及答案依照順序寫在答案卷上，於本試題上作答者，不予計分。

2.限用藍色或黑色之筆作答，以其他顏色作答者不予計分。

第一部分：選擇題共 25 題，每題 2 分。

A. Vocabulary and Grammar: Choose the Best Answer to Each Question.

1. The customer was fairly \_\_\_\_\_ for her loss when several items were broken during delivery.  
(A) approved          (B) appreciated          (C) compensated          (D) rewarded
2. All full-time employees at Focal Inc. \_\_\_\_\_ its major clients are invited to the celebration being held on December 29.  
(A) as well as          (B) meanwhile          (C) so that          (D) in order to
3. While the seminar was considered \_\_\_\_\_, nearly everyone in the Accounting Department registered for it.  
(A) optional          (B) concluded          (C) compulsory          (D) successful
4. The machinery must be operated \_\_\_\_\_ to prevent it from suffering a malfunction.  
(A) fairly          (B) properly          (C) surely          (D) creatively

B. Cloze Questions:

Questions 5-8 refer to the following notice.

To All Customers,

We regret 5 you that the Kensington branch of Marigold Bakery will be closed as of March 31. We will no longer be able to provide pastries, cakes, and 6 items to our customers there. The building in which the bakery is located is being renovated, so we have no choice in this matter. 7 They are in Mayfield, Westside, and Haywood. You can also order online and have your items delivered for free. Thank you again for your 8 support during the past seventeen years.

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5. (A) inform            (B) will inform            (C) have informed            (D) to inform
6. (A) all            (B) other            (C) another            (D) every
7. (A) Please be aware that we have three other locations nearby.  
(B) We have decided to expand the store to let more customers dine in.  
(C) The cost of doing business in Kensington has increased greatly.  
(D) It is no longer possible to remain in the food-supply business.
8. (A) continue            (B) continues            (C) continual            (D) continually

Questions 9-12 refer to the following information.

Thank you for purchasing an appliance from Madison Electronics. We take 9 in the quality of our products. Should you experience any problems with your appliance, please contact us at 1-888-555-8473. Our toll-free hotline is open twenty-four hours a day. Our customer service representatives 10 to assist you anytime. Your appliance comes with a full two-year warranty. However, if an unauthorized person services the item, the warranty will 11 be in effect. For more information, visit our website at [www.madisonelectronics.com](http://www.madisonelectronics.com). 12.

9. (A) proud            (B) proudness            (C) prided            (D) pride
10. (A) have stood by            (B) stood by            (C) are standing by            (D) will stand by
11. (A) never            (B) such            (C) no longer            (D) still
12. (A) Refunds must be requested within 10 days of purchase.  
(B) You can also e-mail us at [info@madisonelectronics.com](mailto:info@madisonelectronics.com).  
(C) Please be sure to keep your receipt.  
(D) You must send the item in its original packaging.

### C. Reading Comprehension

Like it or not, AI chatbots are here to stay. The public launch of ChatGPT in November 2022 has been widely recognised as a gamechanger among techies and the general public alike. No sooner had it been launched by the research laboratory OpenAI - funded in part by one of the world's richest men, Elon Musk - than it was spawning imitators. Tech giants Google and Microsoft quickly announced the launch of their own AI-powered chatbots, and the world has not been quite the same since.

Not all the press has been positive. Some of the concerns relate to the way this technology

could impact behaviour in schools and workplaces. Regarding the potential drawbacks to education, the obvious fear is that students will simply start relying on chatbots to write their homework and assignments for them. There are already signs that this is starting to happen on a large scale, with many institutions of learning reporting an uptick in chatbot-generated work and media reports of a “cheating epidemic” spreading to schools around the globe.

And it’s not just the teenagers who have learnt how to manipulate the software to their benefit: a survey of more than 200 kindergarten teachers in the United States demonstrated that 26% of them had caught at least one of their pupils using chatbots to cheat. Bear in mind, this research - which was conducted by the education website Study.com - was focused only on five-to-six-year-olds. Among older learners, the figure is likely to be considerably higher, and further data from Study.com seems to support this conclusion. Asked if they had used ChatGPT for their homework, college students overwhelmingly answered in the affirmative, with almost 90% confessing to having done so. This was among 1,000 students over the age of 18 who took part in the survey. Almost half admitted using the chatbot to answer quiz or test questions that had been set as homework, while more than 50% took advantage of the software to write essays. While some schools have shied away from an outright ban on the use of the chatbots, others have implemented a zero-tolerance policy towards the technology. In the United States, school boards in several major cities, including Los Angeles and New York, have either forbidden or blocked chatbot usage among pupils. With OpenAI’s GPT-4 capable of scoring over 90% on many tests - including even bar examinations taken by lawyers - this reaction is understandable.

As for the possibly detrimental effects of chatbots in offices and other places of business, similar worries have been voiced by employers. A January 2023 study by Fishbowl, a networking app for business professionals, recorded 43% of employees using chatbots for work tasks - a jump of 16% from just three weeks earlier. This suggests that adoption of the technology for corner-cutting purposes is snowballing at a dramatic rate. The same research revealed that only 32% of employees used chatbots with the knowledge of their managers.

While some employers might be concerned about a general dumbing down of their staff or a related drop in creativity, other possible pitfalls in the workplace are quite distinct from those of the classroom. They could also be more of an immediate threat. Many employees have admitted to copying and pasting company information into chatbots, and as of June 2023, more than 4% of this has been sensitive data, according to research by the data security firm Cyberhaven. As the current generation of chatbots is now able to learn from information that is entered, any confidential data inputs become part of the collective confines of the system. They can be used to develop and enhance the AI or for other unforeseen and unintended purposes. This has led several large tech multinationals to take the same action as the school boards.

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A further concern, though, is a more general one: reliability. Misinformation proliferates across cyberspace, and - as things stand - the Internet is the sole source of information for chatbots. As such, chatbots are limited by the information they have at their disposal. There are already plenty of documented cases of chatbots providing wildly inaccurate answers. In the case of Microsoft's Bing chatbot, there have been accusations that the AI is "lying" and even that it has insulted or threatened users who have pointed out its incorrect responses.

Finally, ethical dilemmas are unsurprisingly at the forefront of thinking about the dangers of AI-driven chatbots. Once again, this comes down to the trustworthiness of online information. It is a sad fact, but the Internet is filled with deliberately misleading information, based on personal biases and discrimination. The large language models (LLMs) that are used to instruct AI chatbots are automated, meaning they might take information from racist, sexist or otherwise bigoted sources. Of course, filters can be applied to exclude such content but, thus far, they are not always effective. Some companies are also reticent to deliberately exclude certain political content for fear of seeming to adopt an "ideological" stance. All of which is to say, the road ahead for AI chatbots may remain rocky for some time to come.

13. Based on the article, what is true about Elon Musk?

- (A) He invented chatbots.
- (B) He helped finance ChatGPT.
- (C) He became wealthy through AI technology.
- (D) He founded OpenAI.

14. Which of the following words or phrases is used to describe the chatbots from Microsoft and Google?

- (A) Imitators
- (B) Research laboratories
- (C) Tech giants
- (D) The general public

15. According to the article, which of the following is true?

- (A) Schools face greater problems with AI than offices.
- (B) Employees are less likely to cheat than managers.
- (C) College students are more likely to use chatbots than preschoolers.
- (D) Racist and sexist people rarely use new technologies.

16. What have several large tech companies done?
- (A) They have merged with other multinationals.
  - (B) They have consulted with American education boards.
  - (C) They have banned the use of AI chatbots.
  - (D) They have created software that is more trustworthy.
17. What is the purpose of LLMs?
- (A) To teach chatbots
  - (B) To prevent discrimination
  - (C) To help language students
  - (D) To filter misleading information
18. What might be meant by the last sentence of the text?
- (A) AI will soon power cars.
  - (B) Technology will always be a part of our lives.
  - (C) No one can stop the progress of ChatGPT.
  - (D) There will be more difficulties with chatbots in the future.
19. What is the appropriate title for this article?
- (A) The Origin of ChatGPT
  - (B) The Rise of Chatbots
  - (C) A Few Concerns over AI
  - (D) Protecting Your Online Security

Choose the correct answers to complete the notes of this article.

**Background**

- ◆ ChatGPT was launched in 2022.
- ◆ Tech experts and regular people saw ChatGPT launch as a(n) 20 .
- ◆ The program was partly 21 by Elon Musk.
- ◆ Competitors such as Microsoft and Google release chatbots soon afterwards.

20. (A) tipping point      (B) good news      (C) threat      (D) disaster
21. (A) managed      (B) administered      (C) masterminded      (D) invested

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### In Education

- ◆ More than a 22 of American kindergarten teachers reported at least one child cheating with chatbots.
- ◆ Almost 90% of college students have used ChatGPT for homework.
- ◆ In some cities, a(n) 23 policy has been implemented at schools.

22. (A) half (B) quarter (C) hundred (D) dozen

23. (A) emergent (B) flexible (C) rigid (D) sensible

### In Workplaces

- ◆ Adoption of AI tech to cut corners at work is 24 dramatically.
- ◆ Unintentional sharing of sensitive data is a threat to businesses.
- ◆ Through copying and pasting, confidential information can become part of the 25 of the AI system.

24. (A) falling (B) multiplying (C) diminishing (D) complicating

25. (A) precinct (B) property (C) treasure (D) confinement

## 第二部分：非選擇題，翻譯每題 10 分，英文作文 30 分。

### A. 翻譯 Translation: Please Translate the Following Passages from English to Chinese and Vice Versa.

#### 1. 英翻中 (10%)

The presence of wildfire smoke from North America over the UK, whilst not common, does occasionally happen during the summer months. Large plumes of smoke that rise from intense fires, that can burn for weeks on end, sometimes reach the upper atmosphere to be picked up by the jet stream - a zone of strong winds, close to the level at which planes fly. These winds then carry the smoke particles across the Atlantic.

#### 2. 中翻英 (10%)

「綠色飲食」指的是透過改變生活飲食習慣，以達到珍惜食物、減少浪費的行為，鼓勵大家吃多少點多少，優先選用天然之食材，以及自備餐具。

B. 英文作文 Composition (30%)

*Many young people follow celebrities on social media and are influenced by their fashion, lifestyle, opinions, and behavior. Some people believe that celebrities set a good example for youth, while others think they send the wrong message. Do you believe celebrities have a positive influence on young people? Why or why not? Write a short essay of at least 300 words on this topic.*

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