

## Research Assistant II (Ref: 2500589) Department of English Language Education

## **Project Title:**

Integrating Informal Digital Learning of English (IDLE) in improving EFL learners' willingness to communicate and speaking

## [Appointment Period: around 13 months]

The Department of English Language Education is inviting applications for the position of Research Assistant II for the project titled "Integrating Informal Digital Learning of English (IDLE) in improving EFL learners' willingness to communicate and speaking". The appointee will work closely with the Principal Investigator and local primary and secondary English teachers to support students in using digital tools informally to boost their English speaking confidence and abilities.

The appointee supports a variety of research and administrative tasks. The duties include reviewing literature, designing IDLE activities, coordinating with internal and external research collaborators, development of research instruments, data collection and analysis, and performing any other duties as assigned by the Principal Investigator. The appointment will be for a period of 13 months.

Applicants should have at least Level 2 or equivalent or above in five subjects including Chinese Language and English Language in HKDSE; or Grade E (Level 2) or above in five subjects including Chinese and English (Syllabus B) in HKCEE or equivalent, preferably have a Bachelor's degree or Master's degree in Language Education, Educational Technology, Psychology, and other related fields.

For further enquiries about the post, please contact Dr Lee Ju Seong at islee@eduhk.hk.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

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

The University only accepts and considers applications submitted online for this post. Applicants should complete the <u>online application form</u> and upload a full CV on or before **19 June 2025**. 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/jobsopp/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. Since the incumbent's work would involve contacts with persons aged under 18 and/or mentally incapacitated persons, prospective employee(s) will be required to undergo Sexual Conviction Record Check operated by the Hong Kong Police Force.

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