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Australian universities to allow AI in assessments

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Please try Levels 4 and 6. They are (a little) harder.



THE READING

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The increasing use of artificial intelligence in our lives is changing education. Three universities in Australia adopted a landmark policy - to allow students to use AI in assessments. Tests will take place under strict conditions. A professor said: "Instead of banning students from using such programs, we aim to assist [them] to use digital tools to support learning." The Internet is full of AI text generators. These can be used to write essays that look authentic enough to fool examiners. The content from these AI tools evade detection by even the smartest anti-plagiarism tools.

Artificial Intelligence is posing challenges to exam fairness. AI is the biggest disruptor since calculators in maths tests. The latest dilemma for schools comes from a language processing website called ChatGPT. This can create authentic, human-like content on any subject in seconds. Teachers worry that students will use it to write essays. Another professor said teachers needed to embrace AI. He said: "You cannot stop it. The alternative is the Middle Ages - going to pen and paper." He said universities needed to change with the times.

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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- 1. The increasing use
- 2. a landmark
- 3. allow students to use
- 4. Tests will take place under
- 5. banning students from using
- 6. use digital tools to support
- 7. essays that look authentic enough
- 8. the smartest anti-

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- 1. Artificial Intelligence is
- 2. AI is the biggest disruptor
- 3. a language processing
- 4. human-like content on
- 5. students will use it
- 6. teachers needed to
- 7. The alternative is the
- 8. universities needed to change

- a. learning
- b. strict conditions
- c. plagiarism tools
- d. policy
- e. to fool examiners
- f. of artificial intelligence
- g. such programs
- h. AI in assessments

- a. Middle Ages
- b. website
- c. with the times
- d. since calculators
- e. embrace AI
- f. posing challenges
- g. to write essays
- h. any subject

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about artificial intelligence in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1	STUDENT 2	STUDENT 3
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a)	 	
b)		
c)	 	
d)		
e)		
f)		

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a)		
b)	 	
c)	 	
d)		
e)		
f)		

WRITING

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Write about **artificial intelligence** for 10 minutes. Read and talk about your partner's paper.