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**Student Questionnaire on the Use of Digital Technology**

**Questionnaire Description**

This questionnaire is about your use of digital technology. It mainly focused on your experiences of digital technology use for learning and similar purposes. Kindly read and answer each question and ask for help if you do not understand something or are not sure about how to respond.

The questions, as a university student, are about your experiences of digital technology access, preference and use for learning. Your responses will help me and my colleagues in the English Language department to understand your academic experiences with technology. It will help us, teachers in what and how to use digital technology/ies more effectively to benefit your English language learning, especially the learning of listening skills.

Responding to this questionnaire may require you about 20-25 minutes. There are no right or wrong answers. I would just like you to answer as honestly as you can. Participation in the survey is completely voluntary. All responses are anonymous and confidential. Thank you very much for your collaboration.

**Part I: Participants Background**

**Gender:** Female Male

**Part II: Access to and Use of Digital Technologies**

1. Do you have access to any of the below technology devices at your university? (Tick all that apply)

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Devices** | **Yes, provided by the university** | **Yes, I use my personal device in the university** | **No, I do not have** |
| Desktop computer |  |  |  |
| Laptop |  |  |  |
| Smartphone |  |  |  |
| Tablet devices |  |  |  |
| Smartwatch |  |  |  |
| Other, please specify\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  |  |  |

1. How often do you use the computer/laptop, desktop, palm top/?

Never Rarely Sometimes Often All the time

1. How often do you use your Smartphone?

Never Rarely Sometimes Often All the time

1. Do you have Internet access?

Yes No

1. Do you get Wi-Fi/broad band internet connectivity on your campus?

Yes No

1. How often do you use the internet?

Daily Alternate days Once a week Irregularly Rarely Never

1. Which device do you use most frequently to access the Internet? (Tick all that apply)

Smartphone Tablet Laptop Desktop computer other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. For what purpose do you connect to the internet (Select all that apply).

for Socialization

for Learning

to do course assignment

for information gathering

for entertainment

Any other purposes please specify \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. How would you describe your overall technology experience, access, and use at your institution?

Poor Fair Neutral Good Excellent Don’t know

1. What recommendation would you give to the institution to improve the digital technology access for your overall technology use at the campus?

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**Part III: Students’ Learning Experience in DT and Preference**

In this section, you tell about your preferred ways of learning and learning environments, learning experiences of English language listening skills.

**Learning Preference**

1. What will be your preferred ways of learning **Listening Skills** at the university? Rank your learning preference writing numbers (1-9) in the box.

Printed handouts

Videos

Videoconferencing

Online audio tools (YouTube…

Online podcasts

World wide web

TV/DVD, CD ROM

Online discussions (e.g., Chatrooms, bulletin boards)

Face-to-face discussions

Other preferences please specify \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. In what type of environment do you prefer to learn English language listening Skills? (Please tick on your choices)

I prefer to participate in technology enhanced face-to-face (in-class) learning

I prefer a combination of online and face-to face learning over only face-to-face learning

I prefer a combination of online and face-to-face learning over only online learning

I like the flexibility of a blended (both online and in-class) course/lesson

I prefer to participate in online study groups with other students

I prefer to participate in face-to-face study groups with other students

1. In which of the approaches do you prefer to learn listening skills in the classroom? (Please tick on your choice)

Using digital technology (computers, smartphones, software, e-learning, internet etc.)

Teacher read (the teacher reads the text, and you listen to it)

Both approaches mentioned above

**listening skills Learning Experiences**

1. How often do you use the following digital technology facilities for learning listening skills? (Please tick on your response)

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Tech facilities** | **Never** | **Rarely** | **Sometimes** | **Often** | **All the time** |
| Desktop computer with no Internet connection |  |  |  |  |  |
| Desktop computer with Internet connection |  |  |  |  |  |
| Laptop/tablet PC, with no Internet connection |  |  |  |  |  |
| Laptop/tablet PC, or with Internet |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mobile phone |  |  |  |  |  |
| Digital camera |  |  |  |  |  |

1. How often do you use a computer or smartphone or any other technological tools for the following learning activities?

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Learning Activities** | **Never** | **Rarely** | **Sometimes** | | **Often** | **All the time** |
| Send or read email messages |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Chat online for schoolwork |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Search the internet to collect information |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Download/upload/browse material from website |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Participate in online communities or forums related to the subjects you study |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Use computers when working in groups |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Use headsets to listen to audio/video texts |  |  |  |  | |  |
| Use YouTube tool to listen audio/video files |  |  |  |  | |  |

1. What kind of listening classes/ learning sessions have you had this semester? (Please tick all that apply)

Technology assisted class (using laptop, Smart phone, speaker, language lab)

non-technology enhanced class

If you ticked the non-technology enhanced class, how does your teacher teach listening skills?

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1. Have you used a computer/any digital technology to learn/practice listening skills in English language?

Yes No

If YES, what kind of listening learning practice did you have?

computer/smart phone assisted listening practice

self-access with the practice on the computer/smart phone with **teacher’ help**

self-access with the practice on the computer/smart phone **without teachers' help**

1. If you have a technology enhanced listening class, what resources do you or your teacher used in listening lessons? (Please tick that all apply)

Digital read aloud/Micro soft word narrator

The Institution Learning Management System (LMS)

Listening skills Exercise software, online quizzes, and tests

Smart e-board in the language laboratory

CDs or DVDs

Multimedia production tools (e.g., PowerPoint, video editing, digital recording)

Broadcasting tools (You Tube, Podcast, etc.)

Digital learning games, computer/video games

Computer/laptops/ smartphones

Any other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you like using digital technologies like computers, smartphones or learning management system (LMS)/e-learning platforms in learning listening skills?

Yes No

1. Do you use the university’s LMS (Learning Management System) or e-learning platform for learning purpose?

Yes No

1. Do you feel competent at using a computer and similar technological hardware and software to learn listening skills?

Yes No

1. Thinking about your actual English language classroom experiences within the current semester, rate your level of agreement with the following statements: My English language instructor typically...

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Strongly disagree (1) | Disagree  (2) | Neutral  (3) | Agree  (4) | Strongly Agree  (5) |
| …use technology during class to enhance listening learning with additional materials (e.g., by providing audio or video materials) |  |  |  |  |  |
| …uses digital technologies (tools such as computers, laptops, handhelds, interactive/smart whiteboards, software programs, CDs, Web resources, or institutional LMS (learning management system) etc., for teaching **listening skills** |  |  |  |  |  |
| …encourage me to use my own technology devices to deepen learning (e.g., by searching online for related listening skills practice, or exercise) |  |  |  |  |  |
| …uses technologies to interact more with us. |  |  |  |  |  |
| …uses technologies to facilitate teaching activities |  |  |  |  |  |
| …uses technologies appropriate for his/her listening skills teaching |  |  |  |  |  |

**IV. Perception**

1. How do students perceive the use of digital technology for their listening learning?

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Strongly disagree (1) | Disagree  (2) | Neutral  (3) | Agree  (4) | Strongly Agree  (5) |
| Second/ foreign language like English classrooms should have various types of digital technology. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Language teachers should use technology in their listening teaching classrooms. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Students will learn better if they use technology in their classrooms. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Learning English Language Skills such as Listening, will be effective with the use of digital technology. |  |  |  |  |  |
| I could learn more if my instructor could use digital technology for teaching listening in the classroom. |  |  |  |  |  |
| More audio and video equipment are needed for teaching and learning listening skills in the classroom |  |  |  |  |  |
| The use of digital technology enhanced my listening skills learning in the class |  |  |  |  |  |
| Digital technology increases active involvement of the students in their learning |  |  |  |  |  |
| I consider digital technology to be a destruction |  |  |  |  |  |
| I would be willing to experiment with variety of digital tools |  |  |  |  |  |
| Digital technology increases motivation to learn listening skills |  |  |  |  |  |

25. What would you like **your English language instructor** to do with digital technology to enhance your listening skills? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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