

SLLC English Activities 2019-20

Face Yourself: Workshop for Self-study Skills & Strategies

As the semester kicks off, have you ever thought of how you can improve your language skills by yourselves? “Self-study” involves studying through self-learning materials without direct supervision. However, how can we make sure that we are doing it on a right track? How can we get the most out of this “self-study”? Here are what we are going to offer you in this 1-hour workshop:

1. A tailor-made Self-learning Journal in both Chinese and English that provides you with grammar tips as well as useful English and Chinese phrases. It is a journal that can help you to keep track on your study at HKCC.
2. Chances of analyzing your own language study needs and setting objectives for your English learning
3. Ways of writing an effective study plan and mastering the art of “self-learning”
4. Ways of using various learning materials, resources and skills to learn English

Application method: Through CARES in each semester

Movie Viewing Award Scheme

The objectives of the award scheme are to motivate students to learn authentic English from real contexts and to encourage students to learn authentic English from media.

Scheme Details

Submission of reflection is done through SLLC (English activities) Moodle page.

You are encouraged to watch movies that interest you. In order to join this activity, you need:

- to select your favorite English movie from SLLC (English)
- to watch and reflect on that English movie
- to write an online 300-word reflection after watching that movie and submit it through Virtue Self-learning Language (SLLC) (English) Moodle page

This activity will be organized once every semester and submission deadlines will be on 20/12/2019 (Friday) (Sem 1) and 17/4/2020 (Friday) (Sem 2). A student can join this activity once every academic year.

Awards

1. Gift coupons up to \$250 will be given to winners of the “Best Reflections” and writers of the shortlisted “Quality Reflections”.
2. Participants of SLLC activities can earn points for “English Enhancement & Self-learning Award Scheme 2019-20” to win Gold, Silver & Bronze Awards.
3. Personalised Certificates will be awarded to the winners of the shortlisted reflections.

Learning Idioms in English Songs Award Scheme

The objectives of the award scheme include 1) to build a good foundation for academic development; 2) to strengthen students’ listening skills and 3) to guide and encourage students to listen to more meaningful English Songs and learn English idioms through them.

Scheme Details

Submission of reflection is done through SLLC (English activities) Moodle page.

You are encouraged to listen to some of the recommended meaningful English songs and to share what you have learnt from these songs. You need to:

- share some of the English songs that they found meaningful
- write a 300-400 words reflection to share how listening to English songs can help you to improve your English and what songs you would recommend the others to learn English through them.

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Write Your Own SLLC Diary Award Scheme

The objective of the Write Your Own SLLC Diary is to arouse students’ awareness of independent language learning, keep track of their own study pattern and provide them with effective learning strategies.

Scheme Details

Submission of reflection is done through SLLC (English activities) Moodle page.

- Think of your previous language learning habits and reflect on parts that you would like to share/ improve
- Go to Virtual SLLC Moodle page to finish **FOUR** SLLC diary entries (each worksheet requires around 80-100 words of reflection)
- Follow the questions and explore what self-learning is and how it can help you in your post-secondary study by finishing the worksheets
- Submit all the diary entries through Virtue Self-learning Language (SLLC) (English) Moodle page

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Highlights of the Week Award Scheme

The objective of Highlights of the Week Award Scheme is to encourage students to reflect on which SLLC English tips on “Highlights of the Week” help them most, which areas of English learning can be furthered enhanced and how can E-learning help them with English learning.

Scheme Details

Submission of reflection is done through SLLC (English activities) Moodle page.

- Go through all "Highlights of the Week" sharing on English writing, listening and speaking skills under SLLC English activities Moodle page
- Go to Virtual SLLC Moodle page to finish **FOUR** sets of questions (each question requires around 80-100 words of reflection)
- Submit all the answers through Virtue Self-learning Language (SLLC) (English) Moodle page

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