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Advice Column

Dear Lonely J,

Thank you for sending me the email about your problems. I understand how you feel at school. Lots of teenagers experience the same. You're not alone. Now, I'm going to give you some advice.

You said that you feel lonely most of the time in school. You don't have many friends and you're not sure why. You should initiate a talk with your classmates. They might not know you're lonely. I suggest you ought to approach them. It helps you get to know each other better and develop friendship

If that doesn't work, I have more advice for you. Why don't you seek help from the social workers in your school? They can offer you professional advice and suitable activities for you to join. If I were you, I would take part in these school activities and meet new people

> I hope you find my advice useful. Don't be afraid to initiate a talk with others. This won't last forever. Please write again and tell me how things go.

> > Marcus Lam

My Love for English

3C Tang Hang Yee Tiffany

What is your favorite subject? like English very much. Many people think learning English is boring, but I believe they are missing something. From my experience, learning English is fun

and important

Nowadays, social media provides a lot of different resources. Who doesn't like social media? From pictures, memes, texts, songs, to animations and videos, learning English is no longer boring. We can always expand our vocabulary and practice listening while surfing the net. Learning becomes natural and interesting just by browsing the internet.

Don't forget about our school library. There are many resources and books you can read, including fictions, biographies, magazines, and newspapers. There is always something for you. I love reading biographies because I can learn from others.

Developing my English competence helps me explore the world in the future. That is my dream. When we visit different countries, speaking English is definitely necessary.

Homelessness in Hong Kong

Homelessness is a growing problem in Hong Kong. According to statistics from the Social Service Department, the number of homeless people rose from 746 in 2014 to 1,562 in 2021. There are more homeless individuals than ever. Many of them sleep in McDonald's, while some find shelter under overpasses. Female homeless individuals often prefer to sleep near public bathrooms because there is light, which makes them feel less afraid.

"McRefugees" is a term used to describe homeless people who sleep in McDonald's. In 2015, an elderly woman died unnoticed in a 24-hour McDonald's in Kowloon Bay.

There are several reasons for homelessness. One major factor is low-paid jobs; low-income workers often cannot make ends meet and become homeless because they cannot afford rent.

Homeless people face numerous challenges. For example, it is more difficult for them to find jobs without a permanent address. They often encounter discrimination due to their living situation, and some community members may develop negative views about them. As a result, homeless individuals may feel ashamed and isolated, potentially leading to depression.

Charities can assist the homeless by providing free meals and essential items. The homeless should receive financial support from the government under social services schemes. Moreover, the government should build more public housing and create more job opportunities. Community members can help reduce discrimination

In conclusion, people become homeless in Hong Kong primarily because rents are so high. Low-income workers struggle to make ends meet and end up homeless. Homelessness can lead to many problems, and we must work together to address this issue.



Ho Man Hei

4C Cheng Po Yi

A Debate Speech: Should Students Use **Smartphones in Class?**

Good morning, Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen,

We are here today to debate for the topic that is 'Should students use smartphones in class?' I am the first person from the affirmative team. We believe that students should be allowed to use their smartphones in class because using

First of all, using smartphones can improve our learning efficiency in class. If students have difficulties in their studies, they can search for more information on the internet. Not only can they find the answer faster, but they may also receive diverse explanations.

Now, to my second argument, we hold the view that smartphones may improve students' interest in learning, for they can provide students with various learning resources. Students are able to find things they like easily, so as to broaden

Last but not least, allowing students to use smartphones in class can help them develop self-control ability. Students can understand their responsibilities and when they are able to use

their horizons, which is better than traditional ways of teaching

All these arguments prove that using smartphones in class can help us study. Therefore, we suggest that students should be allowed to use their smartphones in class. By doing so, we believe that class will become a better place. Thank you!



Review

Firstly, I'm going to talk about the FOLDY Phone. It is

bendable and convenient for carrying outside, as it's very

light and it can be worn like a watch. Although it is

convenient, it's also very pricey. You will need to

recharge it very often, as the battery runs out quickly,

DUO. It can act as a toy, a USB, as well as a charger.

With a press of a button, it can automatically transform

into another form. However, it is very fragile, so you need

to handle it carefully. This gadget is suitable for everyone

Thirdly, the next gadget is MUSE Footwear. This is a

Secondly, the gadget I'm going to discuss is the

lasting only three to four hours.

as it's affordable and convenient.

4A Yeung King Hang Alvin

Some of the new and interesting

gadgets from the Technology Club

that I have tried are the FOLDY

Phone, DUO, and MUSE Footwear.

believe these unique gadgets

could make our daily life more

Short Description The Latest Gadgets

My First Camera

Nowadays, many people still love using cameras to record their lives. When I was 13 years old, I received my first camera. Initially, using the camera felt very important, though the photos often came out overexposed. However, I never gave up. I started to study the importance of composition, angle and positioning. This camera helped me master photography. Although my photos are not as good as those taken by professional photographers. I thoroughly enjoy the moment when I press the shutter. To capture a beautiful moment is enough, regardless of whether it is a smartphone or a camera. The meaning of a photo is to

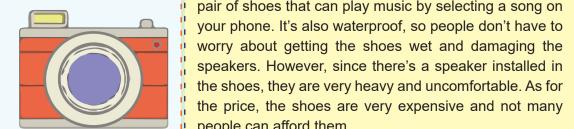
The Walkman enabled music lovers like me to have

fragrant memories.

Walkman Memories

music on the move. Nowadays, many people's Walkmans have long been replaced by wireless earphones. I remember my first Walkman was a gift from my family for my 8th birthday. It was an exquisite and small MP3 player, which I cherished greatly. In my free time, I would put on the earphones, press the play button, and it would become the centre of my world. It made me feel relaxed and happy.

As time passed, new technologies replaced the Walkman, but I still keep it in my bedroom. Whenever I hold it in my hand, I'm reminded of those carefree days and



Young People's Lack of Interest in Traditional Forms of Art

Dear Editor,

5A Li Ho Yeung

I am writing in response to the editorial in the Hong Kong Post about young people's lack of interest in traditional forms of art. As the chairperson of my school's Heritage Club, I would like to address this issue and promote more engaging activities. I believe that the preferences of parents and a lack of government support contribute to this phenomenon. In my opinion, the government should take steps to encourage young people's interest in traditional art.

Nowadays, young people prefer electronic products over traditional art. They often find sports and music more appealing because they are fun and exciting. In contrast, traditional art forms such as lion dance, calligraphy, and the art of tea drinking are often viewed as boring. Besides, many parents encourage their children to participate in sports activities rather than traditional art forms. As a result, young people today lack interest in these cultural practices. Moreover, the government seldom promotes traditional art.

The government should encourage schools to promote traditional art forms. For example, they can organize live shows in schools to educate students about the history of our culture. This is important for fostering appreciation of our heritage. The government can also support exhibitions in museums. With increased support, young people will become more aware of and engaged with their cultural



An Idol I admire

An idol group that I appreciate the most is ENHYPEN. ENHYPEN is a South Korean boy band consisting of seven members. They have become a household name worldwide, with fans all over the globe. One of their catchiest songs is called "Polaroid Love," which has gained over thirty million listeners.

ENHYPEN debuted in 2020, formed through the survival competition show I-LAND. The final group members were the winners of the competition and earned the qualifications for debut. During the competition, they spared no effort to deliver the best performances to impress the judges. Their breathtaking performances truly surprised both the audience and the judges. After their debut, they held concerts in many places, including Hong Kong, Tokyo, and Thailand, to name a few. Recently, ENHYPEN performed at Coachella 2025 in the U.S., one of the most famous music festivals in the world!

ENHYPEN's songs are incredibly attractive! I always listen to their music while studying. The lyrics are very encouraging, and their songs motivate me to study. Additionally, I often listen to their music when I want to relax

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6A Wu Shu Yi

There has been much discussion recently about how iving in a city affects people's diets. Some argue that fast oods are easy to find and affordable, while others claim that fast foods lead to health problems. In this essay, I will discuss common eating habits, the availability of fast food, and the nealth issues related to human-influenced diets.

First of all, fast food can lead to overweight. Fast foods are high in calories. For example, French fries are very greasy because they are cooked in a lot of oil. When we absorb excess oil, our body weight can increase. Being overweight can lead to many problems, such as high blood sugar and high cholesterol, which can negatively affect our

However, fast food saves us time. It is very convenient allowing us to eat quickly. When we do not have enough time ast foods help us save time. Eating fast food in moderation will not necessarily cause

nealth problems. All in all, fast foods have ooth pros and cons. While hey are convenient, it is mportant not to eat too much Frequent consumption can ead to health issues.



Social Media in Our Daily Lives

With the development of technology, social media has become an important part of our daily lives. In this article, I want to introduce one of the most popular social media platforms, which is Instagram. It is not only a popular app among modern citizens, but it also has excellent features. The first excellent feature is that it has an

Explore Page. It can recommend relevant photos, interesting videos, or short clips from different content creators according to the users' interests and browsing history. For example, a new user who is interested in photography can discover and interact with many other great photographers through the Explore Page.

The second feature you cannot miss is that it can facilitate international communication and cultural exchange. For example, by sharing cultural content and interacting with other users, you may overcome language and cultural barriers, and you may have deep conversations with people all over the world at one time. This helps international cultural communication.

Last but not least, the third amazing feature of Instagram is that it allows you to send direct messages. For example, you can share your daily life moments photos, and videos with your friends and family by sending direct messages. You may also have one-on-one communication with your friends.

In conclusion, social media like Instagram is a helpful tool to improve the quality of our life, because it has different features and multiple functions. It provides users with a convenient way to share daily life, communicate, and meet people from around the world.



5C Tong Nga Yi

As a concerned citizen who lives near Lung Kwu Tan, I am writing in response to the recent article discussing whether it is suitable to build

public housing in there. While building public housing in Lung Kwu Tan

can allow more people to have affordable housing, I believe that it could

create more problems than benefits. To begin with, the way to increase developable land in Lung Kwu Tan is by reclamation. Although it affects marine life, the increased land can house infrastructure and facilities such as the proposed MTR station and wet market. This can improve the lives of nearby villagers

However, Lung Kwu Tan is notorious for housing many unwanted facilities such as power plants, incinerators, sewage treatment facilities, and landfills. These sources of pollution affect people's health.

Therefore, increasing the population of the area is not ideal. We should never give up the quality of life of residents, especially their health. Despite many benefits such as increased housing supply



and improved infrastructure, we should not populate the area before these sources of ollution are removed. Yours faithfully, Chris Wong

Application for the Position of Video Game Tester Tang Tsam Yau

My name is Yolanda Tang, a secondary 5 student at Chan Wong Suk Fong Memorial Secondary School. I am writing to apply for the position of video game tester at Peak Level Games.

I am a detail-minded person and enjoy collaborating with people. Last month, I job shadowed a video

I believe I have a strong ability to identify bugs and issues in games, which I developed through hours of gameplay across various genres. I understand what makes a game enjoyable and can offer constructive feedback to improve player experience.

Collaboration is key in any team setting. I enjoy working closely with others to share insights and suggestions that can enhance the gaming experience. My previous experience in group projects has sharpened my ability to communicate effectively, ensuring that all team members are aligned and informed.

I will be available for an interview during the Easter holidays. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss the position.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely, Yolanda Tang

The changes in our lives are closely associated with the development of technology and media. Technology and media have improved our lives, making them easier. There are numerous benefits.

First of all, with advanced technology, people can around the globe instantly. Social platforms like TikTok are evolving, incorporating texts, audios, videos, photos, etc.

media, bloggers only need to post funny messages to earn money. When they have a certain number of subscribers, the

corporations start to believe that these bloggers are influencers. Some of them have become millionaires by developing their

human life.



Yuki set up the fishing rod, but something about the water

Then, Yuki's rod bent under an unexpected force. Whatever was pulling it down felt too strong, almost like it didn't want to be caught. After struggling, they finally managed to lift the fish from the lake—a giant, unusual creature. Its scales shone in a strange way, reflecting

The Benefits of Technology and Media Development 68 Zhu Jing

communicate more easily. We can now connect with people all Instagram, and Facebook have become popular tools for sharing thoughts, experiences, and ideas. Connection is no longer costly or time-consuming. More importantly, our ways of communication

The Secret under the Water



One day, the weather was perfect—almost too perfect. Yuki felt a strong urge to go fishing. She invited her friends, and soon,

2D Chan Tsz Ching

felt strange. It shimmered in the sunlight, yet seemed oddly dark beneath the surface. Kyle was the first to catch a fish. As he reeled it in, Yuki asked, "Dude, how are you so good at fishing?" Kyle paused. "I used to fish a lot," he said, but his voice sounded

Kyle touched a deep scar along its side. "This... isn't normal," he

the wind, but from the water itself. The lake, once calm, now seemed deep and endless, as if it was watching them... waiting.

Secondly, there are easier ways of making money. On social

marketing departments of

careers online. In conclusion, technology and media bring us convenience. They form a partnership that enhances



walked through the park, enjoying they were at the lake.

shadows instead of light.

As they stared, a soft whisper floated through the air—not from





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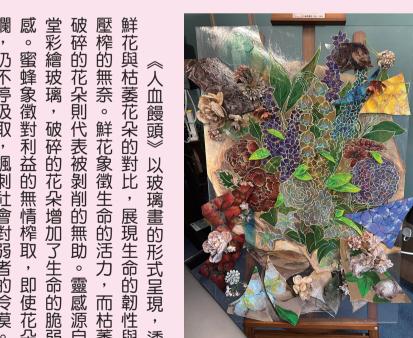




畫面主題是以描繪生命的終結與延續,表現出 自然界中生生不息的循環與生命的無私奉獻。作品 以生命的消逝為起點,延伸至滋養萬物的過程,傳 遞了生命的意義。

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林詩婷《人血饅頭》



林詩婷《商品競拍》



陳雅茜《石榴與我》

世紀最偉



石榴除了象徵多子,在另一層意義上也代 表著死亡。在心理學層面,石榴隱喻著絕望, 與蘋果相似,常被解讀為有毒之物,象徵引人 墮落的夏娃之果。我彷彿淹沒在石榴的洪流之 中,感到無盡的壓迫。然而,即使痛苦重重, 我依然努力向上伸出手,只為掙脫束縛,尋回

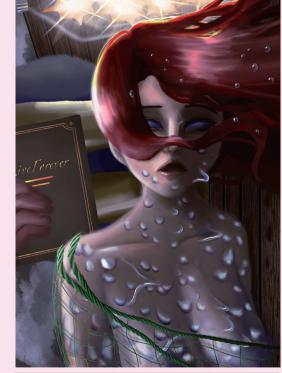
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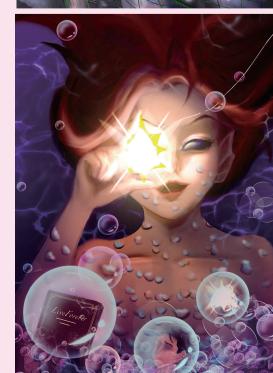




畫面以虛擬直播為主題,探討網絡交流與真實 情感之間的矛盾。畫面中,少女坐在電腦前進行直 播,屏幕中的虛擬形象展現甜美笑容,吸引觀眾。 彷彿提供溫暖的擁抱。但現實中的她卻孤身一人, 身處冷清的房間,顯得孤獨而空虛。

窗外像素化的失真效果象徵現實與虛擬的界限 被模糊,人們躲在虛擬背景下,逃避真實生活的壓 力。房間內簡單的佈局暗示了這種生活的封閉與單 調,少女的世界幾乎被虛擬所佔據。作品反映了現 代人沉浸於虛擬世界、尋求短暫安慰的現象。





梁芷嫣《人魚》







祝家瑜《涅槃》

左側的少女面露疲憊,背景充滿混亂的元素,交錯 的荊棘和散亂的書籍,象徵外界的批評、束縛與壓力, 這些元素交織成壓迫的環境,展現出「舊我」在困境中 的掙扎與無助。她伸出手,試圖擺脫困境,尋找解脫的

右側則呈現了「新我」的自由與重生。未來的少女 展現出輕盈與解放的姿態,背景以明亮的天空、白雲和 盛開的花朵為主,象徵純潔與希望。百合與繡球花綻 放,代表著對新生與幸福的渴望。「新我」伸出手,緊 緊牽引著「舊我」,象徵內心力量的傳遞和自我救贖。

楊佩雯《向死而生》



的奉獻與輪迴的永恆。



一個生命的結束並非真正的終點,而是新的起



