Reading Text

Title: Students Using AI to Learn English

More and more students in Japan are using artificial intelligence (AI) to learn English and other languages. A language-learning company conducted a survey about how students study languages. More than 4,700 Japanese students answered questions about their learning habits. The survey found that the number of people using AI tools such as ChatGPT increased by more than 80 percent in 2024. AI was especially popular with younger students. Researchers said more young people used AI than attended face-to-face lessons with teachers.

However, not everyone was satisfied with AI learning. Some people in their twenties said that AI lessons sometimes lacked natural responses and felt a little boring. They believed that learning with a real teacher could be more interactive and engaging.

According to the report, mobile applications are now the most popular way to learn languages. Around 58 percent of learners use language-learning apps. Other methods include watching videos on platforms like YouTube or Netflix, reading textbooks, and taking online lessons. The number of people going to language schools is gradually decreasing. Only about 14 percent of learners attend traditional classes with teachers.

English is still the most popular language to study, followed by Korean. Many people learn Korean to understand the language used by their favorite artists and celebrities.

Source: Breaking News English

1. Short-Answer Questions

1. Where are many students using AI to learn languages?
2. How many students participated in the survey mentioned in the article?
3. Why do some learners feel dissatisfied with AI lessons?
4. What is the most popular way for people to learn languages today?
5. Why do many people study Korean?

2. Multiple-Choice Questions

1. What is the main topic of the article?

A. The popularity of Korean music
B. The use of AI in language learning
C. Traditional language schools
D. The history of English learning

2. According to the survey, what increased by more than 80 percent in 2024?

A. Language schools
B. AI tools used for learning
C. English teachers
D. Textbooks

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3. Who uses AI tools the most?

A. Teachers
B. Older adults
C. Younger students
D. Language experts

4. What is the most popular way to learn languages today?

A. Reading textbooks
B. Mobile applications
C. Face-to-face classes
D. School courses

5. Why do many learners study Korean?

A. For work opportunities
B. To travel to Korea
C. To understand their favorite artists and celebrities
D. To study in Korean universities

3. True / False Statements

Write **True (T)** or **False (F)**.

1. The survey included more than 4,700 students.
2. AI is more popular among older learners than younger learners.
3. Some people think AI lessons are not very interactive.
4. Only a small percentage of learners attend traditional language classes.
5. English is the second most popular language to learn.

4. Gap-Filling Summary

Fill in the blanks with suitable words from the text.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is becoming popular in _____ learning. A survey of more than _____ Japanese students showed that the use of AI tools increased significantly. However, some learners feel that AI lessons are not very _____. Today, many students prefer using _____ applications to study languages. English is the most popular language to learn, followed by _____.

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