

READING 2 (Items 6-12)**(7 marks)**

Read the text about the effect of AI on teenagers. Then, for each item, shade in the bubble ☐ next to the correct option.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is part of teenagers' daily lives. Teenagers' use of AI has grown from 60% in 2024 to 85% today. They use AI tools like ChatGPT, Snapchat My AI, and Google Bard to help with homework, write messages, or even talk when they feel lonely. A survey showed that teenagers use ChatGPT more than the other AI tools, followed by Snapchat My AI and Google Bard.

AI has many negative effects on teenagers. First, AI affects teenagers' use of formal language, especially at schools. In fact, 62% of teenagers talk to AI, 48% use AI to help with reading, and 57% use it for writing. Teachers reported that students have become nervous to speak in presentations or group discussions, and they are unable to understand reading texts. However, writing skill is affected the most. Students' essays are becoming shorter and full of grammar mistakes and spelling errors.

Another problem is that AI affects teenagers' social life. Teenagers use AI tools as a "digital friend". They tell them their secrets or ask them for personal advice. In fact, new AI tools, like Replika, are designed to offer emotional support to their users. Teens prefer talking to AI over family members or friends because AI makes teenagers feel important and that they are always right in everything they do. However, this makes teenagers spend less time with family and friends and leads to loneliness and depression.

Another problem is non-verbal communication. Teenagers who spend a long time talking to an app forget how to use body language such as eye contact or facial expressions. They also do not understand when someone is upset or not interested in a conversation. As a result, they may seem impolite when they talk to other people.

Finally, AI affects teenagers' thinking abilities. AI provides teenagers with solutions for their problems. Teenagers also ask AI to make choices for them like what to wear, what to say, or even how to feel. Studies show that boys are more active in this area. This can limit teenagers' problem-solving and independent- thinking abilities.

In conclusion, AI can be helpful, but it also causes serious problems. Teenagers should use AI carefully to live a happy and healthy life.

READING 2 (continued)

6. Nowadays, teenagers' use of AI has increased to _____.%
- ☐ 60 ☐ 62 ☐ 85
7. The most popular AI tool among teenagers is _____.
- ☐ ChatGPT ☐ Snapchat My AI ☐ Google Bard
8. The use of AI affects students' _____ skill more than the other skills.
- ☐ speaking ☐ reading ☐ writing
9. Replika is created to provide support for its users' _____.
- ☐ language ☐ emotions ☐ thinking
10. Teenagers prefer chatting with AI tools because they make them feel _____.
- ☐ important ☐ lonely ☐ depressed
11. Misunderstanding body language makes teens seem _____ when talking.
- ☐ nervous ☐ impolite ☐ upset
12. Boys use AI to choose things _____ girls.
- ☐ more than ☐ as much as ☐ less than

