

Dear Colleagues,

Training Workshop for Hong Kong Graded Character Naming Test*

A training workshop for the administration of the test will be offered to qualified speech therapists in Hong Kong. Those who have completed the training workshop will be awarded a certificate approved by Speech Therapy Unit of PolyU as HKGCNT providers and each participant will be getting a **FREE** copy of the test. The HKGCNT training workshop will be held on 9th January 2019 (Wednesday).

Time : From 6:30 to 9:30 pm
Venue : V322, Lecture Theatre, 3/F, Jockey Club Innovation Tower, PolyU
Instructor : Dr. Leung Man Tak
Charge : HK\$1,000.00 each

The HKGCNT package and receipt will be distributed to test purchasers at the workshop. To facilitate arrangement, we would be grateful if you could respond by returning the attached reply slip with cheques and required documents by 7th December 2018. Email will be sent to you upon the receipt of the reply slip.

We look forward to meeting you at the workshop.

Important note:

1. All qualified participants attended the workshop will be awarded a certificate of HKGCNT PROVIDER. Their names will appear on the PolyU STU website (st.cbs.polyu.edu.hk).
2. HKGCNT providers should fall into one of the following categories:
Speech therapist /pathologist, educational psychologist, clinical psychologist, registered research psychologist, OR a researcher who has a PhD degree of other degree approved by a panel.
3. Enquiry number: Tel – 34003636; Fax - 27881392 (Ms Wendy Har).

***The Hong Kong Graded Character Naming Test (HKG CNT)**

A. Who is it for?

There are two requirements to be a certified examiner:

1. The user of the test has to complete the training workshop for administration of the test.
(Each user will be given a Certificate).

2. The user of the current test should be one of the following professionals:
 - a. Educational psychologist
 - b. Clinical psychologist
 - c. Speech therapist
 - d. Registered research psychologist
 - e. A researcher who has a PhD degree approved by a panel in the Centre of Communication Disorders.

B. What does the HKGCNT contain?

The test comprises a test manual, six different stimuli presentation sheets (中文讀字表), six different recording forms (中文讀字記錄表) for each of the different grades, an Excel file for the calculation of percentage of different categories of characters and a set of audio files correspond to each of the test items.

Each stimuli presentation sheet consists of 150 items, which are all single Chinese characters. The 150 test items are divided into two parts comprising 75 items each. Each part is printed on one side of the stimuli presentation sheet, thus forming a printed, double-sided, stimuli presentation sheet. Each of the presentation sheets and the recording forms are stored as Word files protected by a password.

A set of audio files is attached to the test. Users can play the files and listen to the standard and alternative pronunciations of the stimuli used in the current test. User familiarization with the acceptable pronunciations of the test stimuli is a prerequisite for administration of the test to ensure accuracy and reliability.

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Reply Slip

(Please return the reply slip **on or before 7th December 2018**)

To: Speech Therapy Unit
EF701, Core F, Department of Chinese and Bilingual Studies
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Fax no.: 2788 1392 Email: speech@polyu.edu.hk

Name: Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____

Profession (please circle): Speech therapist / Educational psychologist / Clinical psychologist /
Registered research psychologist / A researcher who has a PhD degree of
other degree approved by a panel.**

Institution / Department: _____

Corresponding address: _____

Tel. no.: _____ (office) _____ (mobile)

Email (required): _____

I now enclosed a cheque (made payable to 'The Hong Kong Polytechnic University')
HK\$ _____ (Bank: _____ ; Cheque number: _____)

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** Please submit a photocopy of the relevant document.