



# The English Association of Asia

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## Invitation to the Asian English Usage Contest

### (Secondary School Group)

9th September, 2017

Dear Parents/Contestants ,

RE : 2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest (Elimination)

The aim of English Association of Asia (hereinafter referred to as “the Association”) provides a platform to promote English, its culture and activities related to the language. The Association from time to time launches a variety of events such as English usage contents and writing contests to enhance students’ English standard and interest in their daily lives. **The 2017 - 18 Asian English Usage Contest is particularly held to provide students from participating countries/region with opportunities to exchange knowledge of the English language.**

Thus, the Association has scheduled to hold the Asian English Usage Contest (Elimination) from **15 September 2017 to 13 October 2017**, under schools’ autonomous administration. The Association welcomes your school to recommend and nominate your students and encourage parents to permit their children to participate in the aforesaid event.

Contestants who pass the Elimination Round shall be entitled to take part in the **Heat Event** among all Hong Kong students held on **26 November, 2017 (Sunday)**. Outstanding contestants awarded shall be nominated to take part in the **Final Event**. We believe that it is great time for your students to challenge themselves but also to win honour their parents and school. It is also a valuable chance for them to brush up their English.

Enclosed please find our contest prospectus and registration form for your easy reference. Please be reminded the **deadline** for registration is on **13 October 2017**. You can also **download the sample paper for the Heat Event on our website: [www.eea.edu.hk](http://www.eea.edu.hk)**. Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us at (852) 2493 7971 or send an email to [eea.edu.hk@gmail.com](mailto:eea.edu.hk@gmail.com). We look forward to seeing you in the 2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest.

Yours faithfully,  
English Association of Asia

Enclosure:

1. Contest Prospectus
2. Elimination Round Registration Form and Answer Sheet (photocopiable)
3. Questions for each group (photocopiable)

# 2017-18 年亞洲英文大賽 (入圍賽)

## 邀請函(中學組)

致貴家長/參賽者：

亞洲英文協會的宗旨是推廣英語作為亞洲國家或地區人民溝通的語言。通過舉辦各類型活動，如英文運用比賽及寫作比賽等，為亞洲兒童及青少年提供運用英語進行文化交流的平台，從而提高他們在日常運用英語的興趣，繼而提升其學習動機。本會舉辦「2017-18 年亞洲英文大賽」，正是希望來自不同地方的學生，可以有機會交流其英文的知識。

由亞洲英文協會舉辦的「2017-18 年亞洲英文大賽 (入圍賽)」，謹定於 2017 年 9 月 15 日至 10 月 13 日在各校自行舉行，請誠邀 貴校提名及鼓勵學生參賽，詳情於後頁的附件說明。

是次獲得入圍的學生，將可以獲得安排參加於 2017 年 11 月 26 日 (星期日) 在香港舉辦的亞洲英文大賽 (初賽)。此後，獲獎的優秀學生將被推薦參加亞洲英文大賽 (決賽)，爭取更大的殊榮，為學校、家長爭光。同時也是一次考驗自己、擴闊視野、提高英文能力之良機。

舉辦是次比賽旨在提升香港青少年學子之英語能力，培養世界觀與全球視野，擴展青少年知識領域，增進人際互動關係，建立邁向國際化的良好語言基礎。

隨函附上比賽詳情及入圍賽報名表，請注意截止日期為 2017 年 10 月 13 日。此外，初賽之試題範本，可以在本會網站 [www.eaa.edu.hk](http://www.eaa.edu.hk) 下載。如有任何查詢，歡迎致電：(852) 2493 7971 或電郵至 [eea.edu.hk@gmail.com](mailto:eea.edu.hk@gmail.com) 查詢。

敬祝

教安！

亞洲英文協會 謹啟  
二零一七年九月九日

附件：

1. 2017-18 年亞洲英文大賽 (入圍賽) 比賽詳情
2. 各組別報名表及答題紙 1 份 (可複印)
3. 各級入圍賽題目 (可複印)

# **2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest (Elimination)**

## **Contest Prospectus**

**Proposed Entrants:** P1-P6, S1-S4 Hong Kong students

**Registration Fee:** Free

(Note: The Heat Event will charge not more than \$250/contestant for disbursement of administration, award certificates and contest venues etc.)

**Period Open for Registration:** 15th September 2017 to 13th October 2017

**Registration Method:** Fill in the Registration Form and Answer Sheet and send to below address.

**Eligibility:** All P1-P6 and S1-S4 Hong Kong students

**Groups:** 5 groups:

P1 - P2 / P3 - P4 / P5 - P6 / S1 - 2 / S3 - 4

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**Asian English Usage Contest (Elimination) –  
Registration and Work Submission**

**Schedule:** 3 stages for each group: the Elimination Round, the Heat Event and the Final Event.

### **Elimination:**

To be held under the autonomous administration of each participating school. No limitation for the number of shortlisted contestants so as to encourage all capable students to take part. Shortlisted contestants shall be entitled to register for the Heat Event.

### **Contest Rules and Regulations:**

1. Contestants must finish the test designated by the Organizing Committee.
2. If any contestants are found not eligible or let someone else take part in any part of the contest in their own names:
  - their papers shall not be marked; or
  - their results shall not be recognized even if their papers have been marked.
3. The Contest Rules and Regulations are subject to change by the Organizing Committee. Contestants' objections shall not be considered.
4. No change to contestants' work is allowed once submitted. No change to the results of each stage of the contest will be made, once released.
5. Personal information given by applicants is for the sole purpose of administration of matters like contest applications and training by the English Association of Asia.
6. Once registered for the contest, contestants shall receive notifications regarding the contest. If contestants (or their parents) do not want to receive such notifications, they should write to us stating such request with the contestant's name. We shall notify the Organizing Committee of the same.
7. Relevant forms and the Contest Schedule are found on our contest official website: [www.eaa.edu.hk](http://www.eaa.edu.hk)

### **Release of Results of Elimination Round: 20th October, 2017 – on our website**

(Notes: No awards will be given for the Elimination Round. All shortlisted students are entitled to participate in the open contests held in Hong Kong on 26th November 2017 (Sunday).

# 2017-18 亞洲英文大賽

## (入圍賽)

### 比賽詳情

比賽對象：小學一至六年級，中學一至四年級

入圍賽費用：免費

(備註：初賽將收取不超過\$250/人的費用，作為場地、改卷、證書等行政費用。)

入圍賽接受報名日期：2017年9月15日至10月13日

參加方法：填寫報名表及答題紙寄至下方地址。

九龍油麻地彌敦道 545 號安利大廈 2 樓全層  
亞洲英文大賽 (入圍賽) 報名表及答題紙

報名資格：凡就讀香港小學以及中一至中四的所有學生

比賽組別：共 5 組，小一至小二年級組；小三至小四年級組；小五至小六年級組；  
中一至中二年級組；中三至中四年級組。

比賽章程：各組均包含「入圍賽」、「初賽」與「決賽」三個階段

\*入圍賽：各學校位自行辦理入圍賽，參加入圍賽人數不予限定，惟以鼓勵學生儘量參加為原則。入圍賽成績優異者將獲參加公開賽資格。

### 比賽規則：

1. 參賽者必須根據主辦單位要求的試卷作答。
2. 參賽者資格如有不符或冒名頂替者，其試卷不予評審，已評審者成績不予承認。
3. 主辦單位保留參賽規則及各項辦法之修改權利，參賽者不得異議。
4. 呈交試卷後，不作更改；成績公佈後，不得更改。
5. 所有參賽者的個人資料，僅供本學會作處理比賽申請及培訓等事宜之用。
6. 成為本會參賽者後，會收到本會比賽之最新消息及通知。如不想收取有關本會的最新資訊，請連同參賽者姓名郵寄知會本會作文比賽執委會。
7. 本比賽辦法及相關表格均登載於比賽網站：[www.eaa.edu.hk](http://www.eaa.edu.hk)

入圍結果公佈：2017年10月20日在網上公佈

注：入圍賽不設獎項。所有獲入圍資格的學生皆可參加2017年11月26日(星期日)在香港舉辦的亞洲英文大賽(初賽)。

## Awards for the Heat Event:

School Awards	Ranking Method	To be awarded
Champion Primary School Team Champion Secondary School Team	Ranked by total score of all groups of each school team	Champion Trophy
Primary School Groups: P1-2 ; P3-4 ; P5-6 Secondary School Group: S1-2 ; S3-4	Ranked by the total score of the best 4 contestants of each group	Champion Trophy

Personal Awards	Ranking Method	To be awarded
Gold Awards	Ranked by total score of each contestant	Award Certificate
Silver Awards	Ranked by total score of each contestant	Award Certificate
Bronze Awards	Ranked by total score of each contestant	Award Certificate

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**Office Hours:** Mondays to Fridays, 10:00a.m.-1:00p.m. and 2:00p.m.-6:30p.m.

(closed on public holidays)

Kindly note that all information related to the contest will be updated from time to time on the official website of the organizer (<http://www.eaa.edu.hk>) without further notice.

## 公開賽獎項

團體獎項	細節	將獲頒發
小學團體總冠軍 中學團體總冠軍	計算小學/中學各級團體成績總和	冠軍獎盃
小學組： (1-2 年級；3-4 年級；5-6 年級) 中學組：(1-2 年級；3-4 年級)	以學校為單位， 計算每組最高分的 4 位學生	冠軍獎盃

個人賽獎項	細節	將獲頒發
個人賽金獎	計算參賽者總分排名	獎狀
個人賽銀獎	計算參賽者總分排名	獎狀
個人賽銅獎	計算參賽者總分排名	獎狀

**電郵：** eaa.edu.hk@gmail.com

**聯絡電話：** (852)2493 7971

**傳 真：** (852)2787 0875

**地址：** 香港九龍彌敦道 545 號油麻地安利大廈 2 樓全層

**辦公時間：** 星期一至五 上午十時至下午一時 及 下午二時至下午六時半 (公眾假期休息)

所有資料以 <http://www.eaa.edu.hk> 發佈為準，如有更改，恕不個別另作通知。



**2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest**  
**Elimination Round**  
**Vocabulary & Grammar Challenge**

Notice to teachers:

- Please make photocopies of the right set of questions and distribute them to your students. Tell them to write their answers on the **ANSWER SHEET**. Thank you.
- Time allowed: 15 minutes



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## 2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest

### Elimination Round

## Registration Form and Answer Sheet

School name 學校名稱： ( )			
Student's name (Chinese) 學生姓名 (中文): (Required field 必須填寫)		Student's grade 學生就讀年級：	
Student's Name (English) 學生姓名 (英文): (Required field, as in ID/birth certificate) (必須填寫，並以證件名為準)			
Parent's/Guardian's phone number (家長或監護人聯絡電話): (Required field for receiving contest information by SMS) (必須填寫，用作接收公開賽資料之短訊)			
Student's residential address : (Required field for receiving your Admission Form) 學生住址：(必須填寫，用作收取公開賽之準考証)			

請用**正楷**清楚填寫以上資料，未能提供正確個人資料者，本會將保留取消其參賽資格的權利。

Fill all the information above in **BLOCK LETTER**.

For Contestants who cannot provide the correct personal information, the Association will reserve the right in disqualification.

1)	2)	3)	4)	5)
6)	7)	8)	9)	10)

#### For School/學校注意:

\*Please inform us by mail/e-mail if your school is to submit applications for student collectively.

如貴校會為學生統一遞交報名表，請以郵寄或電郵方式告知本會。

I hereby declare that all the information provided in the Registration Form is true and complete. I understand that Contestants may be disqualified if he/she is found cheating in the contest.

茲證明以上個人資料屬實，本人亦了解如亞洲英文協會發現比賽有作弊情況，可取消參賽者的資格。

Parents or Teacher's Signature:

家長/老師簽署：\_\_\_\_\_



# 2017-18 Asian English Usage Contest

## Elimination Round

### Secondary 1-2 Vocabulary & Grammar Challenge

Choose the correct answer and write it on the answer sheet.

1. The pronunciation of "Korea" is the same as  
A. courier                                      B. career                                      C. carrier
2. Alice is really a foolish girl. She believes in \_\_\_\_\_ herself for a whole week just to become as slim as Rebecca.  
A. shutting up                                      B. hunger                                      C. starving
3. Our car broke down on the way. We \_\_\_\_\_ earlier if we had taken the MTR.  
A. should have arrived                                      B. should arrive                                      C. had arrived
4. Please \_\_\_\_\_ free to contact us again if you have any further questions.  
A. set                                      B. take                                      C. feel
5. (On the phone) Good morning, Rich Bank, Susan Smith \_\_\_\_\_. What can I do for you?  
A. on duty                                      B. here                                      C. speaking
6. As we need to organize a tour for our group, we need to \_\_\_\_\_ out an itinerary for them.  
A. work                                      B. list                                      C. make
7. Avoid offenses wherever you visit. Here are some tips for you to be a \_\_\_\_\_ tourist.  
A. well-done                                      B. well-known                                      C. well-mannered
8. I would like you to help me \_\_\_\_\_ draft a reply to Ms Lilian Lai.  
A. with                                      B. for                                      C. no words are required for the blank
9. /'feðə/ is the IPA for:  
A. father                                      B. feather                                      C. further
10. The aim of our training centre is to offer job training to young people who have recently left prison. Well, some people call them \_\_\_\_\_.  
A. ex-offenders                                      B. trainees                                      C. offenders

