

Teaching Online

The teaching and learning of languages has been _____ (1) in recent years thanks to the internet. Some might say that the _____ (2) of teaching may not be what it once was but i would argue that the benefits outway the disadvantages. This is an opinion _____ (3) by many such as omniglot.com and english.com. The internet offers us a vast amount of resources that were once often difficult to get _____ (4) of or very expensive. I would argue that for this reason it is almost impossible to be involved in the teaching and learning of languages without working online in some _____ (5) or form.

To learn a language, the student is required to be _____ (6) and varied in their methods. The days of grammar book _____ (7) learning are long gone and the internet gives teachers and students the perfect opportunity to practice language, discuss their doubts and even find like-minded people with whom they can practice speaking. It could be called 'the classroom without walls, but what it has done is opened the lid of time _____ (8). We can now study languages 24/7 and this enables those with tight schedules to get into language learning. We can study where we want, when we want and even use our telephones to do so.

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| 1. A. revolutionised | B. altered | C. changed | D. adapted |
| 2. A. amount | B. quality | C. quantity | D. qualify |
| 3. A. responded | B. echoed | C. answered | D. resaid |
| 4. A. hold | B. access | C. hand | D. permission |
| 5. A. shape | B. way | C. method | D. size |
| 6. A. constant | B. consistent | C. ordered | D. classical |
| 7. A. organised | B. based | C. controlled | D. made |
| 8. A. restraints | B. limits | C. deadlines | D. controls |

Answers:

1. A
2. B
3. B
4. A
5. A
6. B
7. B
8. A