# **Proposal for an Online Magazine**

#### Introduction

As the chairperson of the school English Society, I have been asked by the society to approach you regarding the possibility of the society establishing an online magazine. This magazine intends to have the purpose is to introduce short stories to students.

Short stories are an integral component of students learning and enjoying, so we can include short stories in the English curriculum and make the proposed online magazine become a valuable learning tool and students can present their opinions, also questions and share their reviews on the website. Moreover, they can refer to the online magazine when they prepare for the writing examination.

### **Justification**

Nowadays, technology is advanced. The English Society should know that the internet is the new media and our research result suggest that students use this more in their learning than the traditional learning tools such as books. Therefore, we are confident that the online magazine will be accepted by students as a way of learning.

## How to Set Up the Online Magazine

Thank to, Mrs. Lee, the surprising teacher of English Society, we have been able to source a webmaster to develop the site free of charge, and have already started to accumulate some short stories to get the site up and running. From our school's online internet, there will be a discussion forum. Students can enjoy joining the forums and discussing different topics with classmates. We are sure that students will like the online magazine.

### Content of the magazine

The online magazine will feature both classic short stories written by famous writers and contemporary short stories. Students can search for short stories from our collection. In addition, they can find short articles written by our students and teachers. The online magazine will also function as a meeting place to let student writers to exchange ideas or find help and inspiration. They can ask questions and share their work on the website. It can improve students writing skills. To encourage students to read more short stories, we were thinking of conducting a short story writing competition. This will be a chance for others to see their work and they will contribute more entries to the online magazine.

We look forward to your support on this and hope that we can have the opportunity to come and meet you in the next few weeks to discuss our plans more fully.