Exploring CILL AI Tools - Talkpal

Objectives

- Utilise Talkpal AI to simulate natural voice conversations and improve speaking fluency.
- Practise listening comprehension and pronunciation in a low-pressure environment.
- Receive instant feedback on grammar and vocabulary usage during voice chats.

Location

- **SAP Rooms** (Speaking Assistance Programme Room) and **MoCoWs** in **CILL (Room A305)**.

Instructions for Use

1) Access the tool

- Turn on the computer in the SAP Room or MoCoW in CILL.
- Open the **Talkpal.Ai** app shortcut on the desktop.

2) Login

- Click the **"Log In"** button on the main screen.
- **Important:** You will see login details (email/password) already pre-filled on the screen. **Do NOT modify or change these details.**
- Simply click **"Log In"** again to access the institutional account.

3) Choose a Mode

- Once logged in, select a practice mode that fits your goals:

    Chat Mode: Have a free-flowing conversation on various topics.
    Sentence Mode: Practise constructing specific sentences and improving grammar.
    Call Mode: Simulate a phone call for listening and speaking practice without visual cues.

    There are also other modes that you can explore.

4) Practice Session:

- Ensure your headset/microphone is working.
- Speak clearly and allow the AI to respond. Use the feedback provided on-screen to correct any errors in real-time.

5) Finishing Up

- When you have finished your session, close the application to reset the station for the next student. If using Chat mode you can delete your chat session. This ensures your feedback is not viewed by the next student using the shared account.

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