Dear students,

The <u>English Language Teaching Centre</u> at the University of Sheffield are looking for students to participate in a trial English course in Virtual Reality (VR). This will happen in November/December 2021 using an app called <u>Immerse</u>. The course will last for 5 weeks and there will be two lessons a week of about 45-60 minutes each. The time of the course will be decided through a survey to find the best times for the students, but is likely to be the evenings for you (e.g. 19:00-20:00 or 20:00-21:00). (日本時間)

The course is for students of intermediate level, but it's ok if you are a little higher or lower. The course will focus on improving your speaking and pronunciation skills. There will be no preparation or homework required for the course.

The course is a trial for research purposes so there will be **NO** cost for you. However, **you will need to own either the Oculus Quest 1 or the Oculus Quest 2 VR headset** to participate in the course because the app only works on those headsets.

If you are interested in participating in the course, please contact David Read at <u>d.p.read@sheffield.ac.uk</u> and write in the email: 'I have an Oculus Quest and I am interested in participating in the VR course'.