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Directions: For this part, you are allowed 30 minutes to write an essay on the use of translation apps. You can start your essay with the sentence “The use of translation apps is becoming increasingly popular.” You should write at least 120 words but no more than 180 words.

The use of translation apps is becoming increasingly popular. Especially with the acceleration of economic globalization, translation apps are being used in various fields. Since the use of translation apps has its merits and demerits, we are supposed to use them properly.

For one thing, the flexibility and practicality of translation apps contribute a lot to the improvement of efficiency in work and study. Compared with the high cost of traditional human translation and low efficiency of paper dictionary, the use of cost-free translation apps is really a good means to save money and time. For another, due to the complexity of languages, there has been a hot debate on the preciseness of those apps. Besides, the excessive use of translation apps will lead to our laziness, making us rely too much on mobile phones and other digital products.

Considering every aspect of the topic, we should bear in mind that each coin has two sides. We should be alert to dependence on translation apps and use them in a proper way.