

Acceptable Use Agreement for AI Technology in Grades K-12

Welcome, students!

Artificial Intelligence (AI), specifically tools such as ChatGPT, Google Bard, Bing ,Claude, and Canva Write, bring fantastic opportunities to enhance and deepen our learning journey. Whether engaged in creative brainstorming, analyzing texts, refining our grammar and writing techniques, or helping with homework, these innovative instruments offer support and foster innovation. The use of AI tools such as those listed above can help build critical thinking, problem-solving, and analytical skills. However, it's essential to utilize them in a manner that maintains the standards of academic honesty, always keeping in mind that the genuine objective of our educational endeavors is to learn and grow in mind and spirit.

Here are the guidelines for our class::

1. **Use Only for Learning:** I will use AI tools only for educational purposes, such as asking questions about school subjects or practicing my reading and writing under the guidance of my instructor. I understand that AI is a tool to help me, not do the work for me.
2. **Cite your sources:** I will always cite my sources. If it's human or machine, I will always cite the source.
3. **Keep Personal Information Private:** I won't share my full name, address, phone number, or any personal information with the AI chat tool or anyone online.
4. **Ask Before Exploring:** If I want to ask the AI chat tool to do something new or different, I will check with a teacher or parent/guardian first to make sure it's okay.
5. **Designing art:** I will only create graphics that are assigned by a teacher for an educational purpose
6. **Report Problems:** If something seems wrong, or if the AI chat tool gives me an answer that doesn't seem right or is offensive, I'll tell a teacher or parent/guardian right away.
7. **Stay on Task:** I will focus on my schoolwork and not use the AI chat tool to explore topics that aren't related to my learning.
8. **Be critical of AI Answers:** I know that the AI chat tool may not always understand me perfectly, sometimes it makes things up, and I will ask a human teacher or parent/guardian if I need more help.
9. **Respect:** We won't use AI to spread hate speech, misinformation, or engage in any activity that goes against our school's code of conduct.

Parent/Guardian Guidelines:

1. **Monitor Usage:** I will supervise and monitor my child's use of AI chat tools to ensure they are being used appropriately. I recognize that this is a new and quickly changing technology.
2. **Discuss Responsible Use:** I will discuss this agreement with my child and make sure they understand the importance of responsible use of AI chat tools.
3. **Support Learning:** I will encourage my child to use AI tools to support learning, and I will be available for questions and guidance. Be certain that whatever the student presents is a truthful reflection of their understanding and skills.

Keep in mind, the primary objective of education is personal development and learning. AI offers a remarkable resource to assist us on this path, yet it cannot take the place of proactive participation and hard work. Let's commit to utilizing AI wisely, and let's embrace this year as a time for profound learning, innovation, and creativity.

I have read (or had read to me) and understand these rules, and I promise to follow them:

Student Agreement

I understand these rules and promise to follow them:

Name: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Agreement:

I have read these rules with my child and we have talked about what they mean:

Name: _____

Date: _____

Please sign and return this agreement to your child's teacher. Thank you for helping us use technology responsibly in our learning community!