Artificial Intelligence Guidance

The purpose of this guidance on the use of artificial intelligence (AI) tools and applications within Milwaukee Public Schools is to ensure their safe, ethical, and responsible use.

Milwaukee Public Schools acknowledges that technology is ever changing and has a tremendous impact on our global society, local community, and classrooms. Artificial intelligence (AI), including generative forms of AI, is becoming more a part of our everyday lives. It is our responsibility to educate and train students to utilize AI in an ethical and educational way. Therefore, Milwaukee Public Schools aims to make both staff and students aware of the guidelines and limitations of its usage:

- Milwaukee Public Schools student email accounts and Chromebooks have access to open AI software. Any misuse of AI tools and applications, such as hacking or altering data, is strictly prohibited.
    - Teachers may use AI for curriculum purposes. Access to websites is allowed as long as teachers adhere to specific data and privacy guidelines regarding age restrictions and usage.
    - Dual enrollment college and university classes or other institutions may have additional restrictions and limitations regarding the use of AI.
- Staff and students who use AI software with a personal device and/or personal credentials should do so at their own risk, understanding that each platform is collecting various forms of data.
- Staff and students must acknowledge and cite, as appropriate, the use of AI in any capacity related to their work: text, image, multimedia, etc.
    - Staff and students who inappropriately use AI could be subject to the district's disciplinary policies.
- Staff and students should recognize that AI is not always factually accurate or seen as a credible source, and they should be able to provide evidence to support its claims. All users must also be aware of the potential for bias and discrimination in AI tools and applications.