Deliberation Station

These reflective questions are designed to help students engage in a thoughtful and **ethical decision-making process** when considering whether to use AI for their learning. By asking these questions, students will be encouraged to critically evaluate how AI supports their educational goals while fostering independence, critical thinking, and responsibility in their academic work.

Is the AI tool I'm considering aligned with my learning goals?	Yes 😁	Not Really 🤔
Do I already know or can access the answer without AI?	No ☹️ *I really need this and AI is the best way to find it*	Yes 👍 *I already have the information somewhere...*
Could I figure it out on my own?	The AI is a critical to achieve the goals	They would be fine without 😉
Am I confident that the AI tool is reliable and accurate for the content I am learning?	The AI has been vetted and approved ✅ by school	Not sure how I would know that!
Am I aware of the ethical implications of using this AI tool, especially around bias, data privacy and student security?	Yes, I am fully confident of this 💪🏾	Sorry, what now?
Am I prepared to explain how and why I'm using AI to my peers or teachers?	Yes 😁	I don't want them to think less of me/ this use is not allowed
Will it reduce my human interaction?	No 😁 *I am using it collaboratively*	Possibly 🤔
Will it enhance my learning?	Probably 🙌	It is a timesaver/ shortcut ⏰
Will it make me lazier? More dependent?	No 😎	Maybe

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	Yes 🌿 ↘	I haven't
Am I mindful of the amount of screen time and/or frequency of my use of AI tools?	I am mindful of this. I don't want to become AI dependent	considered it 😟
Will using AI help me save time, allowing more time for deeper learning? Will I use that saved time wisely?	Hopefully 🤞	Probably not 🙁
Have I checked it aligns school's policies on academic integrity?	Yes 😁	Nope 😟
Will I still be proud of my work?	Probably	Possibly not 😩
Could I save the energy consumption (and my cognitive abilities from decaying) by doing it myself?	No 🙁 ↘ this task is out of my comfort zone or abilities	I probably should or could do it myself 😊
	USE AI ✅✨	DON'T USE AI ❌

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