Deliberation Station

These reflective questions help teachers decide whether AI will genuinely enhance the learning experience for their students or if it might detract from critical thinking, creativity or personal engagement. Using this "Delibration Station" will help reduce environmental impacts of trivial AI consumption.

Question	Yes 😁	Not Really 🤔
Does the use of AI align with our school's mission and educational philosophy?	Yes 😁	Not Really 🤔
Does this AI tool support the development of key skills that my students need (e.g., critical thinking, collaboration, problem-solving)?	Yes 😁 → it will help with critical thinking, problem solving or similar	It will help them find answers 🧐
Can my students still learn effectively without using this AI tool?	✳ ✳ 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 teaching?	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 students, ensuring transparency and accountability?	Yes 😁	I don't want them to think less of me 🙁
Will AI help students engage with the content?	Yes 😁 → in an interactive way	It is just an additional tool *(limited educational value)*
Will it enhance my teaching?	Probably 🙌	It is a timesaver ⏰
Can I assess the impact of AI use on my students' learning and adjust my approach if needed?	I have a clear plan, metrics 📊 or outcomes in mind	I am using a vibes-based approach 😎

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	Yes 😁	No 🙁
Am I mindful of the <u>amount of screen time</u> students will have when using AI tools in the classroom?	Yes 😁	No 🙁
Will using <u>AI help me save time</u> on administrative tasks or grading, allowing more time for student-centered activities? Will I use that time wisely?	Hopefully ☝️	Probably not 🙁
Have I checked that it <u>aligns with the school's policies on technology, privacy, and academic integrity?</u>	Yes 😁	Nope 🙁
Am I considering the <u>long-term benefits of using AI for my students?</u>	Yes 😁 ↘ this will help them develop essential skills	No 😫 ↘ this is a quick fix (even for a "real" problem)
Could I <u>save the energy consumption</u> (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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