



Santa Barbara County Education Office

Artificial Intelligence

FREE

2026-2027 VIRTUAL SESSIONS

3:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Sessions are independent of each other

AI Virtual Sessions are for TK-12 educators who want to explore the impacts of AI on educational systems, teaching and learning, ethics and culture. We'll also discuss how to support students in their AI journey.

SEPT 23

Generative AI and Its Impacts

- Explore environmental, economic, and social implications of GenAI
- Model a classroom discussion on questioning AI outputs
- Leave with a short student activity on AI's societal impacts

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OCT 21

NotebookLM for Teaching

- Compare ideas across multiple texts and sources
- Turn documents into student inquiry and discussion
- Generate visual explanations and knowledge maps

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NOV 18

Designing Custom AI Supports for Learning

- Explore when to build a custom AI support for a learning task
- See how instructions and guardrails shape AI responses
- Watch a live example of creating a simple instructional AI tool

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JAN 20

AI and Feedback Loops

- Use AI to generate feedback prompts aligned to a rubric
- Model an AI-supported revision cycle for student work
- Discuss where AI feedback helps, and where teachers lead

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FEB 16

*Only Tuesday session!

Enhancing Lessons with AI

- Use AI to surface misconceptions and discussion questions
- Generate multiple explanations of complex concepts
- Explore ways AI can support strong lesson planning

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MAR 17

Deepening Student Thinking with AI

- Model a classroom routine for comparing AI responses
- Explore prompt iteration as a student skill
- Discuss strategies for building student AI discernment

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MAY 19

AI Tools Educators May Already Have Access To

- Explore AI features already embedded in common platforms
- See classroom examples using existing tools
- Identify practical ideas to try immediately

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