

Hanson Memorial High School

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HMS Student Artificial Intelligence (AI) Policy 2026-27

This policy document outlines Hanson Memorial’s institutional stance for student AI usage, rules for acceptable AI usage, and consequences for student misuse of AI tools.

Hanson is committed to helping students use artificial intelligence (AI) tools in ways that support learning, integrity, and responsible digital citizenship. Students in grades 6–12 are expected to use AI tools only with teacher permission and in alignment with the goals of their assignments. AI should never replace a student’s own thinking or effort.

Students must not share personal or sensitive information with AI tools and are expected to be transparent about when and how AI is used. Misuse of AI—including unauthorized use, dishonesty, or reliance on AI to complete work—will be treated as a violation of academic integrity and will result in disciplinary action.

This policy reflects our values of honesty, responsibility, and stewardship. It may be updated as technology evolves, and students are expected to follow any new guidelines provided by school administration.

Student Rules for the Use of AI Tools

1. I will use AI in ways that support the purpose of the assignment and my personal growth.
2. I will use AI tools responsibly, avoiding content or actions that could cause emotional or reputational harm to myself or others.
3. I will not share personal, sensitive, or confidential information with AI tools, unless directed to do so in a secure, school-approved platform under teacher or counselor supervision.
4. I will only use AI tools for school assignments or assessments when given permission by a teacher.
5. I agree to use the designated AI tool(s) if my teacher or the school has recommended a specific AI tool.
6. I may use AI outside of class to support my understanding, but I will never use it to complete or submit work without approval from my teacher.
7. I will be honest about when and how I use AI in my schoolwork.

8. I will follow my teacher's directions on how to cite AI and will carefully check the content for accuracy and appropriateness if I use AI to assist with an assignment.
9. I will ask my teacher before using AI if I am unsure whether AI is allowed or appropriate for an assignment.
10. I understand that AI may provide inaccurate or biased results, and I will use it carefully and critically. I take full responsibility and ownership of all the work I turn in.
11. I will not use AI carelessly or without purpose. I understand that AI tools require significant energy and resources to operate, and I will use them thoughtfully, respecting both the task at hand and our responsibility to care for God's creation.
12. I understand that this policy may be updated as technology and school practices change, and I will follow any new guidelines shared with me by teachers or school leaders.

Academic Integrity and AI Misuse

Misuse of AI in academic work is considered a violation of academic integrity and will be addressed by the school administration and faculty. School administration and faculty will decide on the consequences of AI misuse.

Each student will sign this policy annually, and a copy will be kept on file for the school year.

Student Name

Grade

Student signature

Parent name

Date

Parent signature

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