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doing today
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Presents a

AI CAFÉ

Sip, Learn, Collaborate

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What is the AI Collective?

BGSU's AI Collective is a group comprised of Northwest Ohio K-12 teachers, administrators, higher education faculty, and business leaders working together to use AI to empower, assist and inspire educators.



We Need AI Guidance

We can't control it and we can't ban it but we can help students learn to use it, in a supervised way, in a thoughtful way and a meaningful way.

— Sarah Eaton, Associate Professor University of Calgary,
Expert in AI Education



Representatives from the Following Organizations:

- Anthony Wayne Schools
- Bowling Green State University
- Empowered AI
- Lake Erie West ESC
- Maumee Schools
- Otsego Schools
- Ottawa Hills Schools
- Perrysburg Schools
- Putnam Co. ESC
- Rossford Schools
- Springfield Schools
- Washington Local Schools

Why AI in Education?

A Microsoft study in May of 2024 shares data and recommendations...

Our schools need to be positioned to fully implement AI Literacy training into all curriculum areas so that all of our students have the opportunities to learn to work with the technology before graduation.

The urgency for training our students is emphasized by the recent Microsoft study in May of 2024 which found:

- ❑ 75% of knowledge workers are now using AI for their work (a 46% increase over in just 6 months)
- ❑ 66% of leaders say they wouldn't hire someone without AI skills
- ❑ 71% say they'd rather hire less experienced candidates with AI skills, than more experienced candidates without them.

(" [AI at Work is Here. Now Comes the Hard Part.](#)" Microsoft, May 8, 2024).

Why AI Café?

Teach AI

◆ Education Systems Worldwide Lack Guidance on AI

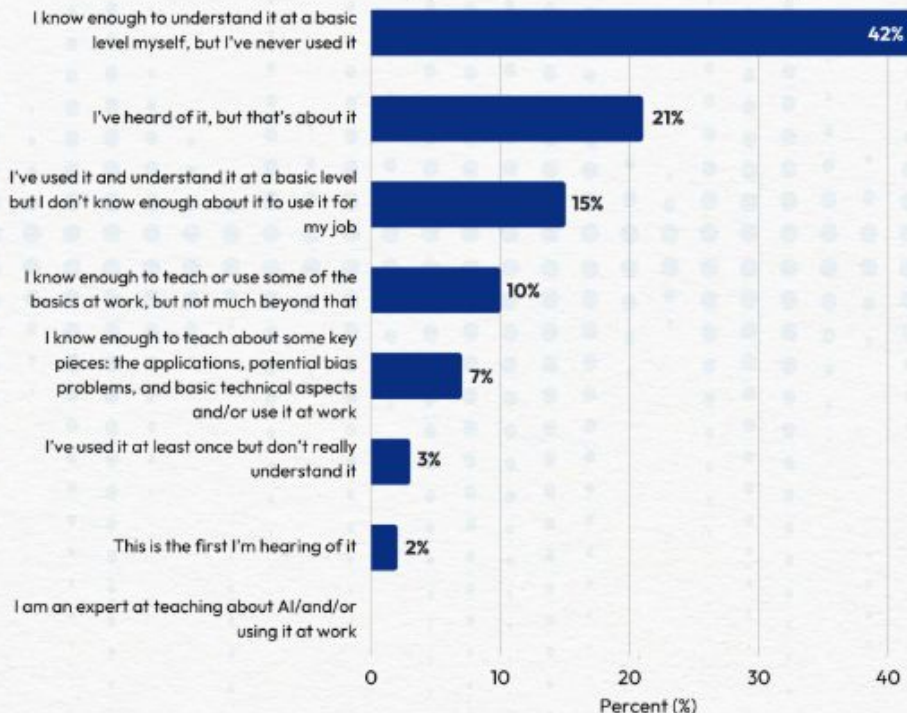
Only 7% of education systems provide guidance about the use of generative AI.



Source: UNESCO

Educators Need More AI Knowledge and Experience

How knowledgeable are you about artificial intelligence?



75% have never used AI.

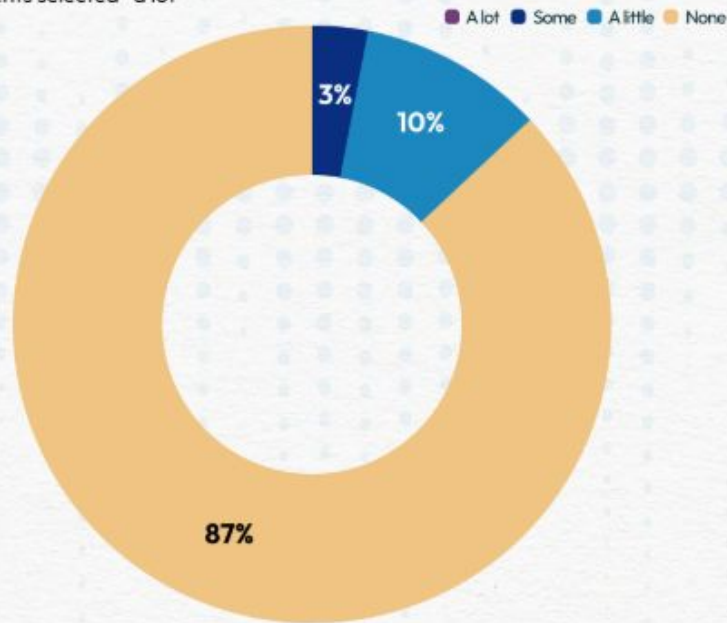
7% use it at work and can teach about applications, bias, and basic technical aspects.

Source: Edweek Research Center

Educators Lack Professional Development on AI

How much professional development have you received about incorporating AI into your work in K-12 education?

0% of respondents selected "a lot"

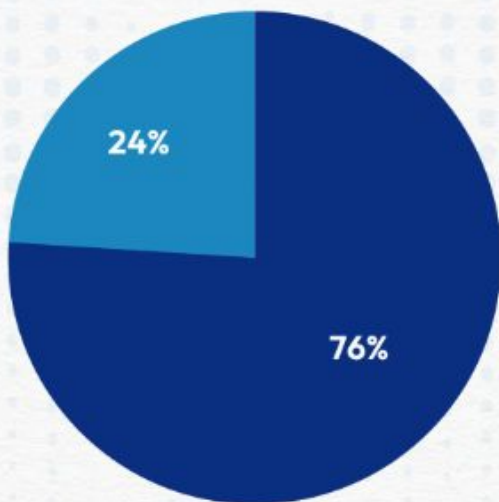


87% have never received any PD about AI.

Teachers AI Use for Work

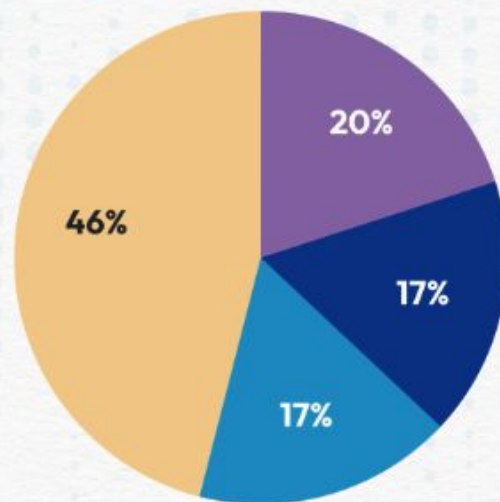
Do teachers use AI for work?

Some use of AI for work Never use AI for work



If teachers use AI what do they use it for?

Planning and preparation Communication
Individualized instruction Other



◆ Educators Agree that AI Will Impact the Classroom

Teachers

Feel that AI will have a significant impact.

85%

Administrators

Feel that AI will have a significant impact.

78%

Teachers

Express concern about the challenges of AI.

49%

Administrators

Express concern about the challenges of AI.

46%

What to Expect Today at the AI Café



Good Food and Drink - we love spoiling educators! Feel free to help yourself to anything at anytime - in the Lobby area and in the Kitchen area.

Bathroom Breaks - there are 10 minutes in between each session built in for your needs - from networking to using the restroom to stepping outside in the sun!

Engaging Sessions with fun Barista's Facilitating them!

Today's Barista's are AI Collective Members and are wearing Orange T-shirts - they are happy to answer any questions you may have and talk 'AI Shop'!

Introducing the AI Collective Barista's:

Sara Gary Allison Dawn Maria Susan Diane Paige Melissa

How do the Sessions Work?

- Pick a session with a topic that interests you and go to that room
- If that session is already full, select your next option
- If while attending a session, it is not meeting your needs, you may move to another session
- Each session is 45 minutes and may occur more than once
- Fill in your Learning Journal for each session





Thank you for
participating in
the FALL '25 AI
Café!

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few minutes to
give us your
feedback by
scanning the QR
Code.

We always
welcome your
feedback!

Have a great
week!

