AI AND HONOR CODE COMMITTEE NEWSLETTER

On behalf of the AI committee, welcome to Fall 2025!

As you're probably aware, AI is a growing part of the world around us. It's hard to stay on top of the latest developments. The AI and Honor Code Committee is here to support faculty with practical, discipline-specific resources and examples as we navigate the evolving role of AI in education.

Recent Data

42% of college students used generative AI tools daily or weekly in Spring 2025 (Tyton Partners)

"15-25% of students across several studies feel AI should not be allowed at all in education or refuse to use it themselves" (O'Connell).

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Must Reads

"How Are Students Really Using AI?"

by Derek O'Connell | July 14, 2025
This article from the Chronicle of Higher Education provides an overview of recent data from the past two and a half years since the explosion of AI. With plenty of links for those so inclined, you can't find a better place to see what's going on with AI.

AI in English Courses:
Ethical & Novel Faculty Exemplars

Division of Information Technology | TXST | August 13, 2025
This handout highlights concrete, named examples of English and Writing faculty using generative AI ethically and creatively. Each entry includes links, a quick summary of the classroom move, and a practical tip you can adopt immediately.

Have a question, concern, or example to share? Let us know — we're building a resource hub and would love to include your insights.