The use of generative AI is prohibited at Western, except where faculty have specifically authorized its use. Student looks at course syllabus to check if AI is allowed in a course.

Student proceeds with work without using AI.

Is it OK to use AI for initial ideation and inspiration but not for generating content, text, or images for work?

Is use of AI allowed for this work?

Despite prohibition, student uses AI for work in this course.

Instructor discusses this concern with student and considers a resolution.

Instructor evaluates standards and student work; refer to: Evaluating Student Work When AI is Suspected

Instructor can refer to Disability Access Center for Faculty

Instructor can refer to ATUS, Plagiarism Detection at Western

Students can refer to Academic Uses of AI for Students

Office of Academic Integrity contacts student and informs them of training

Incident resolved at instructor’s discretion.

Will the resolution impact the student’s grade?

Instructor can refer to AI and Chatbots Teaching Considerations and FAQs: Generative AI in Teaching, Learning, and Technology Guidelines

YES

AI use has a place in this course.

YES

AI use has a place in this work.

YES

AI is expected to be used as a part of this work.

Is it OK to use AI for generating text, images, or content within specified guidelines?

Is it OK to use AI for generating content, text, or images for work?

YES

Instructor finishes investigating violation, communicates to the student their decision and sanction, and files a

Students refer to Academic Honesty for Students (responding to alleged violation flowchart and steps).

Instructor refers to Academic Honesty for Instructors (reporting flowchart and steps) as well as departmental

Students refer to Academic Honesty for Students

Instructor evaluates standards and student work; refer to: Evaluating Student Work When AI is Suspected

Instructor can refer to Disability Access Center for Faculty

Instructor can refer to ATUS, Plagiarism Detection at Western

Students can refer to Academic Uses of AI for Students

Student proceeds with work using AI as outlined, citing all uses of AI.

YES

NO

AI is prohibited or is not mentioned.

Instructor can refer to AI and Chatbots Teaching Considerations and FAQs: Generative AI in Teaching, Learning, & Technology Guidelines

YES

AI use has a place in this course.

YES

AI is expected to be used as a part of this work.

Is it OK to use AI for generating content, text, or images for work?