

AI Policy Statement

Central Alabama Community College is committed to the highest standards of academic honesty and integrity. Students should avoid cheating, plagiarizing, or committing other forms of academic dishonesty. Consequences for violations of academic integrity may include being required to retake an examination or resubmit an assignment, receiving an “F” on an exam or assignment, or receiving an “F” for the course. Please see the *Student Handbook* for a more detailed explanation of academic integrity.

Generative artificial intelligence (AI) should not be used to complete course assignments (e.g. by entering exam questions or assignment questions, writing prompts, etc.) unless an instructor authorizes their use. These tools should only be used with explicit and clear permission of each individual instructor, and then only in the ways allowed by the instructor. Students who are unsure of policies regarding generative AI tools are encouraged to ask their instructors for clarification. The unauthorized use of AI tools to complete course assignments is a violation of academic integrity.

Prohibited: The use of generative artificial intelligence (AI) tools (e.g., ChatGPT) is strictly prohibited in this course, even if properly attributed. The use of generative AI tools is considered plagiarism and will be handled in accordance with existing policies on student conduct and academic integrity.

Or

Allowed: The use of generative artificial intelligence (AI) tools (e.g., ChatGPT) is allowed for specific activities within this course. Generative AI tools may only be used for activities that explicitly state that they are allowed, and students are expected to properly attribute (cite) the source of any AI-generated material for those activities. Using generative AI tools for activities that do not explicitly allow their use is considered plagiarism and will be handled in accordance with existing policies on student conduct and academic integrity.