What Are AI Snapshots?

AI Snapshots are **free,** ready-to-use classroom activities that make AI literacy accessible to every teacher and every student. ***No AI expertise required.***

15-Minute Bell Ringers

Each Snapshot fits into any 15–20 minute block. Use them as bell ringers, warm-ups, lesson closers, or stand-alone mini-lessons.

Low-Tech & Low-Prep

Snapshots are designed to be unplugged. No student devices, logins, or internet access required. Just project the slides and go.

Every Core Subject

Snapshots connect to ELA, Math, Science, and Social Studies standards. AI literacy isn't a separate subject; it lives inside the ones you already teach.

Built for Discussion

Each activity uses real-world AI scenarios to spark critical thinking and student dialogue, not lectures. Students do the thinking.

High-Level Examples of a Snapshot :

ELEMENTARY EXPLORATIONS Grades 3–5	**Blind Spot** — Students sort photos to predict which faces an AI trained on limited data would recognize—and which it would miss. A powerful, hands-on introduction to bias in AI systems. ELA · Math · Social Studies
EVALUATING AI OUTPUTS Grades 6–12	**The Default Setting** — A student prompts an AI image generator with "a girl with brown hair." The results reveal a narrow default, sparking discussion about how training data reflects and amplifies societal biases. ELA · Social Studies · Science
AI & HUMAN RELATIONSHIPS Grades 9–12	**The AI Effect** — Students debate scenarios like using AI to write an apology or creating a deepfake as a joke. They sort each as Supports, Erodes, or Depends—building ethical reasoning through real discussion. ELA · Social-Emotional Learning

See It In Action: AI Snapshot — Social Studies (Grades 6-12)

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