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AI Insights

Submitted by Trevor Martinson

AI Tools

Have you heard about AI? Apparently, it's a thing now. Jokes aside, AI refers to artificial intelligence. It has been constantly reported on in the last few years. AI is in the news so much because of the rise of generative AI (or GenAI).

What is GenAI? It is a form of AI that creates original content (text, images, video, audio, code, etc.) based on a user's prompts.

GenAI is becoming integrated into more and more aspects of our everyday lives (for better or for worse – Pro: It can [improve efficiency](#), and it can be a great [brainstorming tool](#); Con: There are [serious environmental impacts](#), and it may be resulting in the [decline of critical thinking](#)).

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Libraries in the News

[Dickinson Area Public Library](#), [Grand Forks Public Library](#), and [Valley City Barnes County Public Library](#) will be receiving a \$10,000 gift from Carnegie Corporation of New York to mark America's 250th anniversary and to celebrate being some of the 1,681 libraries Andrew Carnegie helped fund more than a century ago.



Adult Education & GED Department of Public Instruction

North Dakota Department of Public Instruction (NDDPI) promotes and supports programs at no cost that help individuals over the age of 16 obtain basic academic and educational skills to be productive workers, family members, and citizens. Adult Education provides a second opportunity for adult learners committed to improving their academic and career skills and assist adults to be contributing and successful citizens. By providing eight ND regions and five correctional sites, Adult Education and GED strives to remove barriers prohibiting success and prepare students for post-secondary and workforce opportunities through partnerships with other agencies. Through their website, NDDPI Adult Education provides resources you can share with your patrons who are looking for information about getting their GED or continuing on in their educational journey. On their website, there is information on where the Adult Learning Centers are located, who to contact, English as a Second Language, GED testing and more. There is a printable resource that can be shared with patrons about adult education in North Dakota.

Check out their website at <https://www.nd.gov/dpi/education-programs/adult-education-ged>. Resources are available for your patrons seeking to earn their GED.

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Llama Llama Yoto Player

Yoto Player puts kids in control of an inspiring world of audio. Packed with features for day and night, it's so much more than a storyteller. No microphone, no camera, no ads.

This Yoto Player comes packed with *The Llama Llama Story Collection* by Anna Dewdney, including *Llama Llama Red Pajama*, *Llama Llama Mess Mess Mess*, *Llama Llama and the Bully Goat*, *Llama Llama Loose Tooth Drama*, *Llama Llama Love to Read*, *Llama Llama Gram and Grandpa*, *Llama Llama Home with Mama*, *Llama Llama Misses Mama*, *Llama Llama Mad at Mama*, and *Llama Llama Time to Share*.

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