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Dear Student, Parent/Guardian, & Staff Member,

MET Artificial Intelligence (A.I.) Event – presentation slides and A.I. course links

Thank you to everyone who attended our MET A.I. Event on Tuesday 3 March 2026. We were delighted to welcome over 100 attendees—students, parents, guardians and staff—to hear from our three expert speakers: Ravi Srivastava, Hasith Kalpage and Alex Tatham.

Our speakers provided valuable insights into the rapid development of A.I., its impact on the future job market, and the steps young people—and all of us—can take now to prepare for evolving careers. The number of thoughtful audience questions highlighted just how much interest and curiosity there is around this topic.

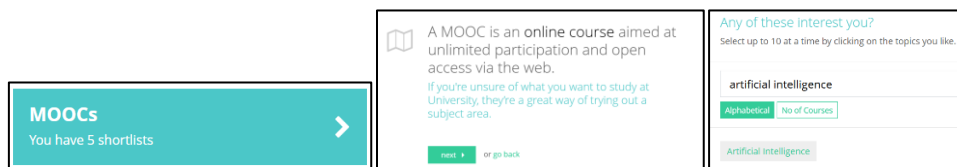
The presentation slides are available under the ‘AI Event Presentation – March 2026’ tab at the following link: [Maiden Erlegh Trust - resources and information for students](https://www.maidenerleghtrust.org/resources-and-information-for-students)

Free A.I. Courses

Our speakers emphasised the importance of developing confidence and skills in using A.I. tools. Below are recommended free learning opportunities:

For students aged 11–18

- **Oxford Home Study A.I. Courses (Free):**
<https://www.oxfordhomestudy.com/courses/ai-courses-online/ai-courses-online-free>
- **Through the UNIFROG MOOCs tool:**
Log in at www.unifrog.org , type “artificial intelligence” into the keyword search bar, and follow the steps shown in the screenshots provided.



For MOOCs - please note – courses are usually free. If you would like a certificate, you will be required to pay. A certificate is not always necessary if you are learning for your own personal development.

You can indicate what you have learned through an application, interview, in the workplace, or at school (if required). Adults can also take these courses.

Free A.I. course for adults

- <https://aiskillshub.org.uk/>

The choice of course will depend on personal interest and the level of A.I. understanding you wish to develop.

Future A.I. Events at the MET

We are pleased to share that all three speakers expressed interest in returning for another A.I. event toward the end of the summer term (subject to their availability). We hope to expand the speaker panel and include a dedicated Q&A session.

Please look out for further details in an upcoming letter.

Thank you once again for your enthusiasm and engagement. As highlighted during the event, staying informed about A.I. developments is essential for all of us, and we look forward to welcoming you again soon.

Yours sincerely,



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