



AI Use in Prodigi

When to Use It and What to Watch For: AI in Prodigi can help you understand information faster and with less effort.

You can use the AI Assistant in:

- Magnifier
- Files
- Books
- Distance
- the stand-alone AI Assistant app

Start with your goal: Before using AI, ask yourself:

- Do I need the main idea?
- Do I need exact wording?
- Do I need help deciding what to read more closely?
- Do I need help understanding a form, chart, image, or page layout?

Simple rules:

- Use magnification when you can see enough.
- Use AI when you need quick understanding.
- Use OCR and text-to-speech when you need full detail.
- Use both when you need quick understanding and exact text.
- Trust but verify.

AI can help with things like:

- understanding what a document is
- getting a short summary
- identifying what seems important
- explaining something in simpler language
- asking follow-up questions
- helping you decide what to do next



Be careful: AI is helpful, but it is not perfect. Check the original source when:

- exact wording matters
- the information is important
- the topic is medical, legal, financial, or otherwise high stakes
- you are unsure whether the answer is complete or correct

Privacy and control: Before sharing content with the AI Assistant, Prodigi shows a message explaining what is being shared.

AI can also be limited or turned off when needed. This can be helpful in schools, rehabilitation settings, workplaces, or other supported environments.

Good use sounds like this:

- “What is this page about?”
- “What matters most here?”
- “Do I need to read this in full?”
- “Can you explain this more simply?”
- “Now let me check the original text.”

Bottom line: AI in Prodigi is best used to reduce effort, support understanding, and help you decide what to do next.

It is a tool to support you, not replace your judgment.