



The Pilgrims Teacher Trainer  
Journal Panel discussion on:

## Using AI in the humanistic language classroom

When: Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> 2026 15.00  
Central European Time

The true power of AI in ELT lies in hyper-personalisation, which allows us to stop teaching 'classes' and start teaching individuals by creating unique, real-time learning pathways for every single student. AI has the 'potential' to be an enormous force for good within education. It also has the 'potential' to do enormous harm. How that potential is realised depends on our ability to help our students understand and negotiate how to use it wisely. As educators this isn't a process we should abstain from but a responsibility we should engage with. Or should we be concerned that our profession is sleep walking towards an AI induced crash in human values? How can we ensure we use AI to promote our humanistic approaches in English language training?

Please join our experienced professional panel and join us for our free one hour panel discussion on Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> 2026 at 1500 Central European Time.

If you would like to participate please send an email to [info@pilgrims.co.uk](mailto:info@pilgrims.co.uk) and we will send you the zoom link to join us.

The panel discussion will be recorded and will be subsequently published in the June 2026 issue of the Pilgrims Teacher Trainer Journal. For more information on the Teacher Trainer Journal please follow this link. <https://pilgrimstj.com>



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