

## Alef Education’s Artificial Intelligence (AI) Ethical Charter

During the planning, design, development, and support phase of any AI system, Alef Education is committed to following a set of ethics and values inspired by and derived primarily from the AI principles set out by The Future of Life Institute, found [here](#).

AI ethics and values are essential key issues for Alef Education. It has placed AI at the forefront of its innovation and delivery model as it aims to improve the user experience while keeping such users safe from and protected against any foreseeable harm.

This ethical charter adopted and upheld by Alef Education consists of the nine following principles:

<p><b>Accountability:</b> Designers and builders within Alef Education are stakeholders in the moral and material implications of the use, misuse, and actions of AI systems.</p>	<p><b>Transparency:</b> If an AI system causes harm, it should be possible to ascertain why.</p>	<p><b>Fairness:</b> AI systems should be designed in a way that respects the rule of law, human values, inclusiveness, and diversity.</p>
<p><b>Safety:</b> AI systems should be safe and secure throughout their operational lifetime, and potential risks should be continually assessed and managed.</p>	<p><b>Privacy and Security:</b> AI systems are designed to protect privacy in accordance with Alef Education’s privacy standards and safeguards.</p>	<p><b>Shared Benefit:</b> AI technologies should benefit and empower as many people as possible.</p>
<p><b>Human Control:</b> Humans should choose how and whether to delegate decisions to AI systems to accomplish human-chosen objectives.</p>	<p><b>Human Values:</b> AI systems should be designed and operated so as to be compatible with ideals of human dignity, rights, freedoms, and cultural diversity.</p>	<p><b>Non-subversion:</b> The power conferred by control of highly advanced AI systems should respect and improve, rather than subvert, the social and civic processes on which the health of society depends.</p>