

AI Skills Partnership — UK Government and Industry Coalition Targets 10 Million Workers by 2030

AI in Education · Good practice · United Kingdom

Quality score: 60/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

In January 2026 the UK government and an industry coalition (Accenture, Google, IBM, Microsoft, AWS and others) expanded the AI Skills Partnership, committing £187m (TechFirst) and £27m (TechLocal) to give 10 million workers — a third of the UK workforce — AI skills by 2030.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of learning impact	1/3
Equity & inclusion	2/3
Transparency, ethics & data protection	2/3
Teacher capability & pedagogy	1/3
Scalability & sustainability	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-09-04

[UK Department for Education & the AI Skills Partnership industry coalition](#) — accessed 2026-09-04

[techUK statement](#) — accessed 2026-09-04

[GOV.UK press release](#) — accessed 2026-09-04

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