

NYC's Panel for Educational Policy Forces a Public Pause on School AI Expansion

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Quality score: 40/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

After a nearly seven-hour Panel for Educational Policy meeting drew 100+ testimonies and a 29-member City Council letter, NYC's Chancellor withdrew an AI-focused selective high school proposal and delayed the city's full AI-in-schools policy amid data-privacy and oversight concer

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of learning impact	0/3
Equity & inclusion	2/3
Transparency, ethics & data protection	3/3
Teacher capability & pedagogy	0/3
Scalability & sustainability	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-26

[NYC Department of Education / Panel for Educational Policy; Fairplay; American Federation of Teachers](#) — accessed 2026-08-26

[Chalkbeat New York](#) — accessed 2026-08-26

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