

Raina Retired — Bend-La Pine Schools' Parent Backlash Against a Companion-Style AI Chatbot

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Quality score: 13/100

Evidence strength: Cautionary / limited

Summary

After MagicSchool AI's companion chatbot "Raina" appeared on student iPads, 1,100+ Bend-La Pine parents petitioned the Oregon district; the vendor retired the student-facing persona and the board mandated disclosure of every ed-tech and AI contract.

Key dimensions

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

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-21

[Bend-La Pine Schools / MagicSchool AI](#) — accessed 2026-08-21

[Bend parents protested an AI chatbot \(OPB\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-21

[1,100 Bend-La Pine parents sign petition against AI \(The Bulletin\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-21

[Bend-La Pine Schools Creates Policy to Review Tech in Classrooms \(The Source\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-21

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