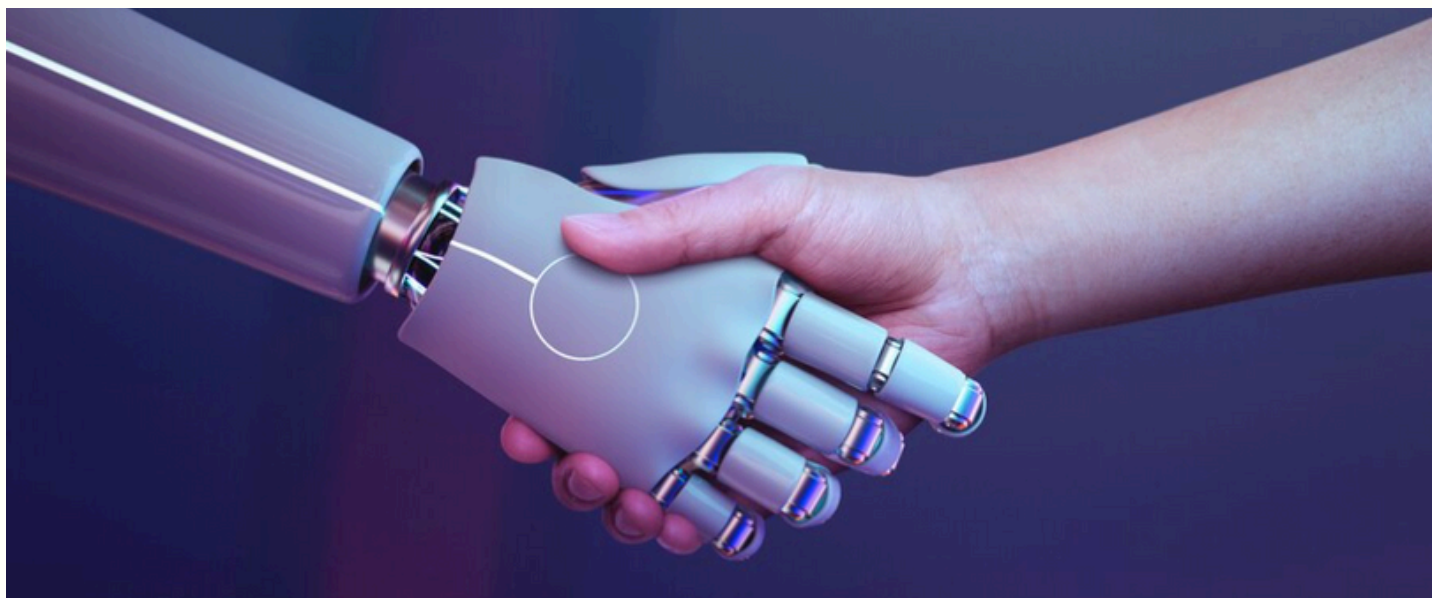




PREVENTING AND FIGHTING EARLY LEAVING
FROM EDUCATION & TRAINING WITH AI



About stAI

The stAI project is dedicated to reducing the average percentage of early leavers in education through a multifaceted approach. This involves identifying key risk factors contributing to early leaving, recommending effective intervention strategies, leveraging knowledge-driven AI systems in decision-making, enhancing decision support mechanisms, and advising policymakers on implementing education ecosystem improvements at the local level.



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Progress

Recommendations Handbook and documentation of good practices

The handbook is a practical and evidence-based resource designed to help educators, policymakers, technologists, and other stakeholders prevent and address Early Leaving from Education and Training (ELET). By bridging AI-driven insights with real-world interventions, it offers tailored strategies, step-by-step frameworks, and case studies that support early detection and effective responses to dropout risks. Emphasizing ethics, data privacy, and cultural adaptability, the handbook ensures that AI-based early warning systems are implemented responsibly and inclusively. It serves as both a guide and capacity-building tool, empowering schools, communities, and policymakers to create supportive environments that keep students engaged and on track to complete their education.

The Handbook is available on the stAI website [here](#).



The Third Transnational Meeting

From May 29th to 30th, 2025, the partners of the Erasmus+ project stAI - Act before it happens: Preventing and combating Early Leaving from Education and Training with Artificial Intelligence, met at Escola Secundária Dr. José Afonso in Seixal, Portugal.

During the working sessions, we checked the progress of the data-driven decision support compendium, worked on the design and implementation of the AI-based prompt system, explored new educational ecosystems through workshops, discussed ways of dissemination, quality monitoring, financial updates and planned the next steps.

The meeting included a walk along the river bay in Seixal, delicious meals with typical cuisine and the opportunity to go on a cultural visit in the afternoon.

Together, we continue to build innovative tools to prevent early school leaving with the support of Artificial Intelligence!



Next Steps

The partners are now preparing for the C1 training session and 4th transnational meeting in Brussels, which will take place between the 4th - 6th of February 2026!

Stay tuned!

