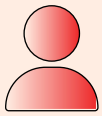
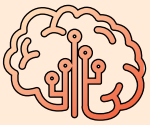
5 Step Scaffolding Scale for Students

Level 1 No AI Assistance	Level 2 AI -Assisted Brainstorming	Level 3 AI-Supported Drafting	Level 4 AI-Collaborative Creation	Level 5 AI as Co-Creator
				
No AI tools are used at any point. Students rely solely on their knowledge and skills.	AI tools can help generate ideas. Final content must be created by the student without direct AI input. AI assistance must be cited.	AI can help with drafting initial versions. The final version must be significantly revised by the student. Clear distinction between AI input and student's contributions.	AI-generated content can be included. Student must critically evaluate and edit AI contributions. AI usage must be transparent and cited.	Extensive use of AI in content creation. Student provides a rationale for AI use and ensures original thought. Work adheres to academic integrity with proper citations.