AI is the spotter, not the lifter.

One system for thinking with AI: a mindset, a process, and a closer look at checking.

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THE MINDSET · AI SPOTTER METHOD

AI is the spotter. The student does the thinking.

How we think about AI's role: it supports the student's intellectual work, it doesn't perform it.

I do the work. I start with my own thinking.

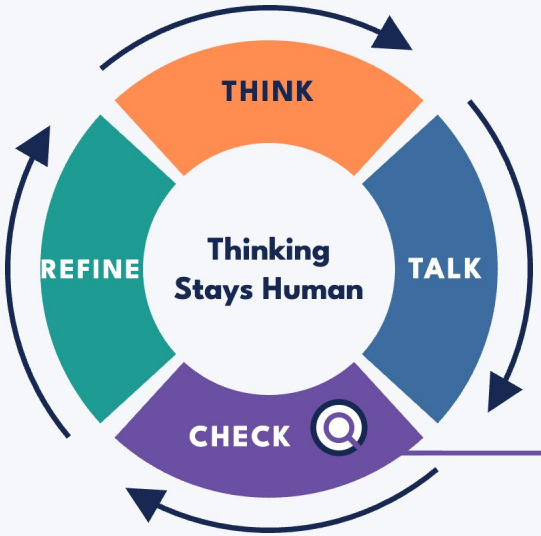
AI spots me. It supports me so I can improve.

I stay in charge. I decide what happens next.

↓ *The mindset is put into practice through a process*

THE PROCESS · AI THINKING CYCLE

How we work with AI



1 · Think
Generate ideas before AI

2 · Talk
Engage with AI as a partner

3 · Check
Read AI like a text

4 · Refine
Make human decisions

Zoom in on CHECK

When students reach Check, POWER shows them how to examine what AI gave them.

INSIDE CHECK · POWER LENS

How we check AI output

Checking doesn't just mean fact-checking. Students examine what an AI response does and doesn't do.

- **P** — **Perspective** — Whose voice is represented?
- **O** — **Omission** — What is missing?
- **W** — **Weighting** — What is emphasized?
- **E** — **Effect** — Who is impacted?
- **R** — **Response** — What do we do?

IN ONE SENTENCE

The Spotter Method establishes AI's role, the Thinking Cycle guides the student's process, and the POWER Lens zooms in on the critical checking that happens within that process.