

# Helpful resources and tips

This reading is your guide to the tools, resources, and support available in this specialization. Refer to it any time you have a question about the tools we use or how to get help.










## Tips for success

To help you succeed and get the most out of your learning, keep these tips in mind:

- Progress through the course content in the order that it's presented.
- Practice by applying what you're learning to something you're working on in your life.
- Work at your own pace, and set deadlines that fit your schedule.

## Overview of AI tools

Our aim is to provide you with fundamental AI skills—regardless of the platform. While you are welcome to use any AI tool you are comfortable with, our activities feature these tools:

- **Gemini** is a versatile AI tool designed for a wide range of tasks, such as brainstorming ideas, summarizing complex documents, writing code, and even analyzing the content of images. You can also use these powerful features in the tools you use every day with [Gemini in Google Workspace](#) . Gemini's flexibility makes it ideal for practicing the AI concepts you'll learn in this specialization. Learn more about [Gemini's features](#)  and [regional availability](#) .
- **NotebookLM** is a research and writing assistant that is grounded exclusively in the source materials you provide, instead of generating information from other sources. Learn more about [NotebookLM's features](#)  and [regional availability](#) .
- **AI Studio** is a web-based tool designed for prototyping and experimenting with AI models. Learn more about [AI Studio's features](#)  and its [regional availability](#) .

## Key terms