



LESSON #1

WHAT IS AI?

INTRODUCTIONS

Your facilitators: Name & Name

SHARE YOUR NAME AND YOUR FAVORITE ANIMAL

WRITE AS MANY TERMS AS YOU CAN
REMEMBER FROM LEVEL 1

WHAT IS AI?

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

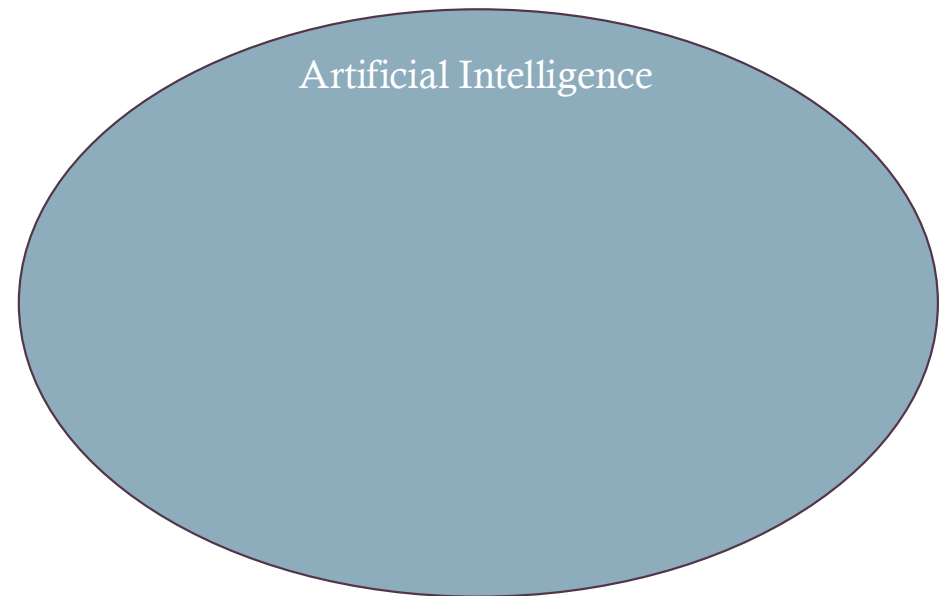
A computer system that mimics human intelligence by performing tasks such as:

- Understanding language
- Recognizing patterns
- Making decisions

Definition from Code.org

TYPES OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

- There are many different types of AI
- One of the most common types is called **machine learning**



MACHINE LEARNING



We can collect a lot of information about how the world works (called **data**)



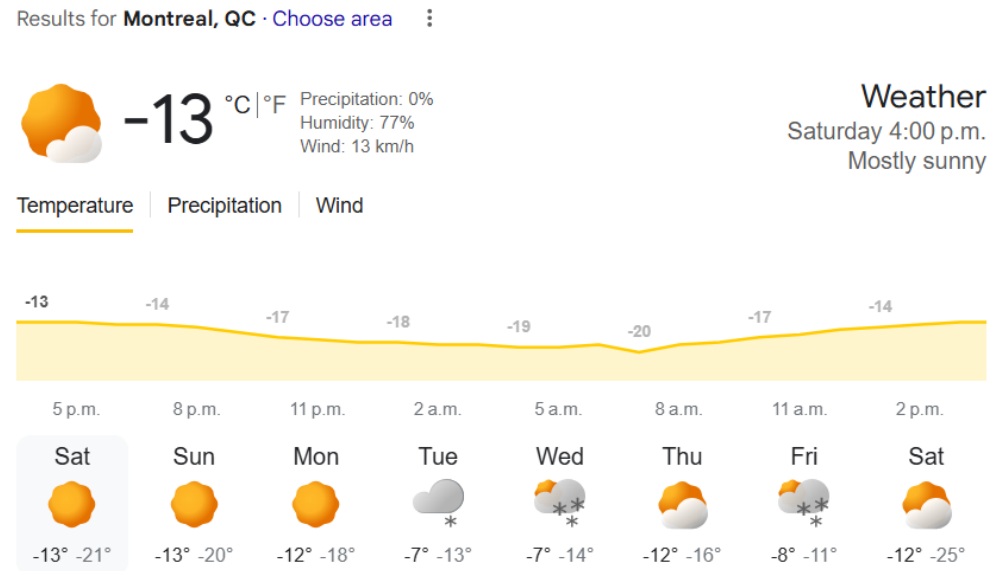
We can use this data to make predictions about what will happen in the future.



We call the process of teaching the computer patterns based on data "**training**".

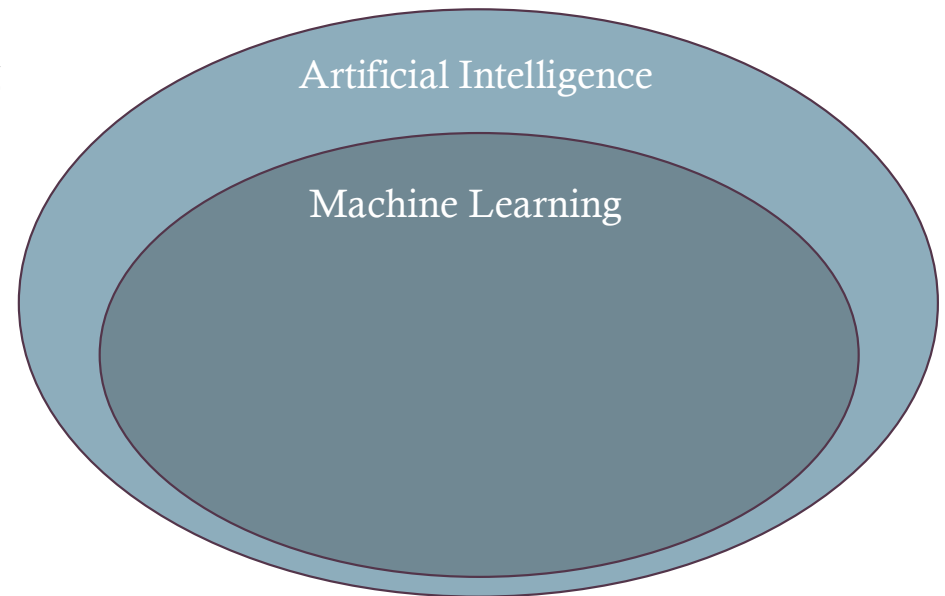
MACHINE LEARNING

Example: Every day we collect data about the temperature outside. We can use past temperature data to predict what the temperature will be like tomorrow



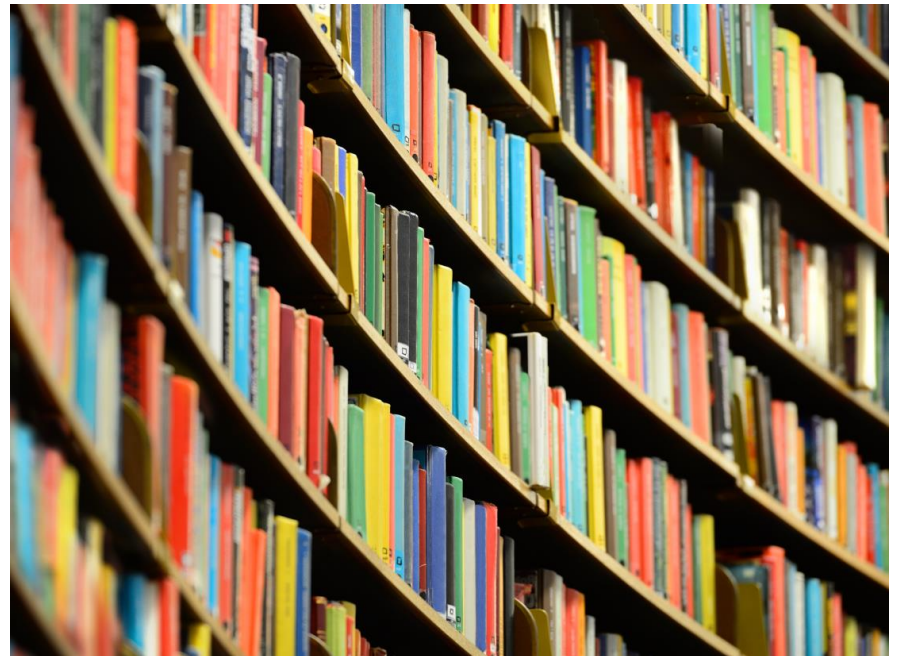
TYPES OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

- Machine learning has been around for a long time.
- One type of machine learning that has been growing quickly recently is **large language models (LLMs)**.



LARGE LANGUAGE MODELS (LLMs)

- In the last example, we made our prediction based on a specific set of data.
- What if we made our prediction based on a really big amount of text we can get (books, articles, social media, transcripts of YouTube videos)?



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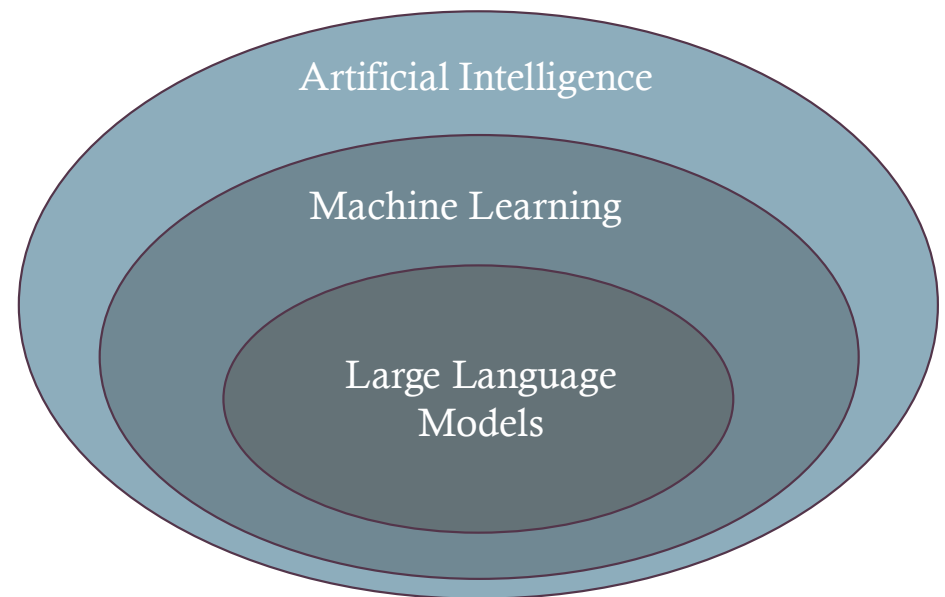
- We call this a **Large Language Model** (LLM). LLMs are a general form of AI trained on large body of knowledge
- Can you think of examples of LLMs that you have used before?



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TYPES OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

- That said, LLMs aren't the only type of AI.
- We will be learning about some of them in the next couple of months.
- We will also be using our Python skills to help us.



SETTING UP GOOGLE COLAB

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- Open the QR code to open the workbook
 - Make your own copy of the workbook
 - File > Save a copy in Drive
 - Start working through the problems in the workbook to review our Python skills



<https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1xQ1CNpeagEfjNadbbW8O50jkwvVYPhHQ?usp=sharing>

READ THROUGH THE WORKBOOK AND FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS

- If you need help:
 - Try Googling an example of the concept
 - E.g. "Variable Example in Python"
 - Ask a friend
