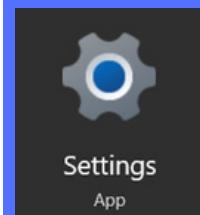


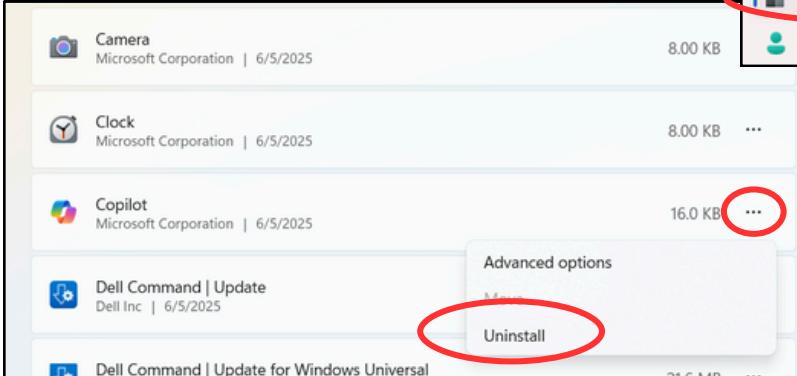
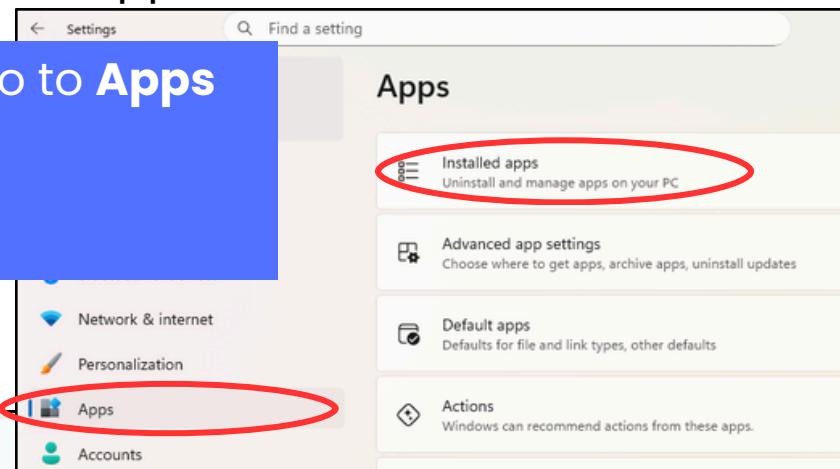
# AVOIDING AI: WINDOWS 11

Windows 11 comes with **Copilot** and **Microsoft 365 Copilot** installed. Older computers may still have **Cortana**. Security permissions may allow generative AI access to your apps. To remove:



Open **Settings** and go to **Apps** (lefthand sidebar)

Click **Installed Apps**



Scroll to **Copilot**, **Cortana**, or **Microsoft 365 Copilot**

Click the **three dots** to the right of each AI app

Select **Uninstall**

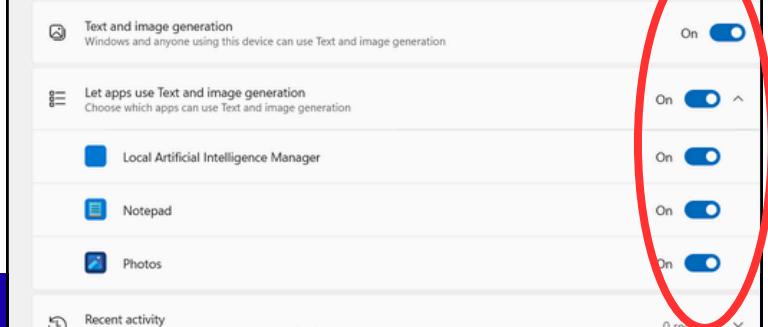
In **Settings** go to **Privacy & security** (left sidebar)

Scroll to **Text and image generation**

Turn off all permissions

Privacy & security > Text and image generation

Text and image generation uses on-device generative AI technologies to quickly respond to requests. Turning these settings off will not affect apps and features using cloud AI technologies.



## WHY AVOID AI?

Generative AI is a source of misinformation, and is rife with labor, environmental, and social concerns. It's being pushed by big technology companies through forced adoption by design.

Check out the other side of this sheet for organizing resources.



# AVOIDING AI: GET ORGANIZED!

Here are some resources for collective organizing and action:

## **Anatomy of an AI System**

If you'd like to know more about how AI works and the impacts these systems have, this visualization offers a detailed map of a single AI system.

<https://anatomyof.ai>



## **A Roadmap for Action Against AI**

Learn more about various ways to resist AI through this strategic and practical plan for action.

<https://ainowinstitute.org/publications/research/ai-now-2025-landscape-report>



## **Organizer Guide to Fighting Data Centers**

Get ideas for local action from this comprehensive guide that includes talking points, research, and actions.

<https://www.kairosfellows.org/fightdatacenters>



## **WorkersDecide.tech**

Workersdecide.tech offers a ton of worker-focused resources for AI refusal, including a BINGO sheet to share with coworkers!

<https://www.workersdecide.tech>



## **Civics of Technology Curriculum**

This teaching resource helps students critically engage with AI.

<https://www.civicsoftechnology.org/curriculum>



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