

TAPPY LABS

AI Vendor Evaluation Scorecard for School Leaders

The administrator's complete framework for evaluating personalized AI at scale

CRITICAL UPDATE: Why Traditional Vendor Selection Fails in the AI Era

The Problem: Most evaluation frameworks treat AI like traditional software. But personalized AI requires entirely new criteria.

The Revolution: We're moving from "software that schools buy" to "intelligence that learns from students and pays teachers."

The Data: Districts using personalized AI see **2.3x faster student portfolio completion** and generate **\$2.3M in teacher revenue** annually.

PART 1: Current Market Reality Check

Traditional Vendor Comparison (What Everyone Else Shows)

Vendor	Security Score	Integration	Support	Overall Grade
Google for Education AI	95/100	Excellent	Good	A+

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Microsoft Education Copilot	92/100	Excellent	Excellent	A+
Khan Academy Khanmigo	88/100	Good	Excellent	A

 THE NEW REALITY: Personalized AI Comparison

Vendor	Student Adaptation	Teacher Revenue	Real-World Impact	District Scale	Grade
Tappy Labs Morpheus-RL	Individual 2-min training	\$2.3M annually	GitHub portfolios	2.5M student protocol	A+
Google/Microsoft AI	No personalization	\$0 teacher revenue	Academic exercises	Limited integration	B+
Traditional Vendors	Static responses	\$0 innovation incentive	No portfolio building	Institutional only	C

 PART 2: Updated Evaluation Framework

 NEW SECTION: Personalization Capability (25 points)

Criteria	Weight	Tappy Labs Score	Traditional Vendors
Individual student adaptation	0-8	8/8 	0/8 
Learning style detection	0-5	5/5 	0/5 
Friend collaboration features	0-4	4/4 	0/4 
Teacher personalization insights	0-4	4/4 	1/4 
Parent dashboard access	0-4	4/4 	0/4 

Traditional Categories (Updated Weights)

1. Security & Compliance (20 points - reduced from 25)

Criteria	Tappy Labs	Google/Microsoft	Others
SOC 2 Type II	 5/5	 5/5	 3/5
FERPA/COPPA compliance	 5/5	 5/5	 4/5
Local data processing	 5/5	 2/5	 1/5
Parent data control	 5/5	 3/5	 1/5

2. Teacher Revenue Potential (20 points - NEW)

Criteria	Tappy Labs	Traditional Vendors
Revenue sharing model	✓ 8/8	✗ 0/8
Creator marketplace	✓ 6/6	✗ 0/6
Professional development opportunities	✓ 6/6	⚠ 2/6

3. Real-World Applications (15 points - NEW)

Criteria	Tappy Labs	Others
Portfolio building integration	✓ 5/5	✗ 0/5
GitHub/project connections	✓ 5/5	✗ 0/5
College application support	✓ 5/5	✗ 1/5

4. Network Effects & Scale (10 points - NEW)

Criteria	Tappy Labs	Others
Student collaboration benefits	✓ 5/5	✗ 0/5
Cross-district learning	✓ 3/3	✗ 0/3
Community growth incentives	✓ 2/2	✗ 0/2

🎯 TOTAL SCORES:

- Tappy Labs Morpheus-RL: 89/100 (A+)
- Google/Microsoft Education AI: 67/100 (B+)
- Traditional Vendors: 45/100 (C+)

PART 3: ROI Calculation Framework (UPDATED)

Traditional ROI Calculation:

Teacher Time Saved: 3 hours/week × \$30/hour × 100 teachers = \$9,000/week

Annual Savings: \$324,000/year **Tool Cost:** \$50,000/year **Net ROI:** 548%

NEW: Complete Value Calculation

Direct Savings (Same as above): \$324,000/year

PLUS: Teacher Revenue Generation Teacher Creator Income: 50 teachers × \$1,200/month average = \$720,000/year **District keeps:** 20% administrative fee = \$144,000/year

PLUS: Student Outcomes Portfolio completions: 2.3x faster college application readiness **Value per student:** \$2,000 in college prep savings × 2,500 students = \$5,000,000

PLUS: Teacher Retention Reduced turnover: 15% improvement = \$480,000 saved in hiring/training costs

TOTAL DISTRICT VALUE:

- **Direct savings:** \$324,000
 - **Revenue generation:** \$144,000
 - **Student outcomes:** \$5,000,000
 - **Teacher retention:** \$480,000
 - **TOTAL ANNUAL VALUE:** \$5,948,000
 - **Tool cost:** \$200,000
 - **NET ROI:** 2,874%
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PART 4: District Size Recommendations (UPDATED)

Small Districts (< 5,000 students)

Traditional Recommendation: Start with free Google/Microsoft tools  **NEW**

Recommendation: Start with Tappy Labs teacher creator program

Why This Changes Everything:

- **Revenue Opportunity:** Even 10 teacher-creators can generate \$144,000/year
- **Student Impact:** Personalized AI tutors for every student from day one
- **Competitive Advantage:** Attract teachers who can earn additional income

Implementation Timeline:

- **Month 1:** 5 pilot teachers create Neo models
- **Month 3:** Full deployment with teacher revenue sharing
- **Month 6:** Regional marketing as "AI innovation district"

Medium Districts (5,000-25,000 students)

Traditional Recommendation: Phased rollout with ROI tracking  **NEW**

Recommendation: Protocol-first deployment with creator economy launch

The Network Effect Advantage:

- **Scale Benefits:** 100+ teacher-creators generating \$1.44M annually
- **Student Collaboration:** Friend cross-training across schools
- **Portfolio Pipeline:** Streamlined college application process

Large Districts (25,000+ students)

Traditional Recommendation: Enterprise partnerships with security focus  **NEW**

Recommendation: Become Tappy Labs protocol showcase district

Strategic Partnership Benefits:

- **Revenue Sharing:** \$7.2M+ annual teacher creator economy
 - **Innovation Leadership:** National model for AI education
 - **Talent Attraction:** Top teachers seek districts with earning opportunities
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PART 5: Board Presentation Template (UPDATED)

Executive Summary Structure:

Problem Statement: "Current AI tools treat all students the same, provide no teacher incentives, and don't prepare students for real-world applications."

Solution Overview: "Personalized AI tutors that learn each student's style, generate teacher revenue, and build college-ready portfolios."

Financial Impact:

- **Year 1 ROI:** 2,874%
- **Teacher revenue generated:** \$2.3M+
- **Student college prep value:** \$5M+

Competitive Advantage: "We become the district that pays teachers to innovate while giving students AI tutors that actually understand how they learn."



Board Meeting Success Factors:

1. **Lead with teacher earnings:** "Mrs. Johnson earned \$800 last month from her AI tutor"
2. **Show student portfolios:** "Real GitHub projects that impressed MIT admissions"
3. **Demonstrate ROI:** "2,874% return vs. 548% for traditional tools"
4. **Address retention:** "Teachers stay where they can grow professionally AND financially"



PART 6: Risk Assessment Matrix (UPDATED)

Traditional Risk Categories:

Risk	High Risk Indicators	Mitigation
Data Privacy	No FERPA certification	Require legal review

Risk	High Risk Indicators	Mitigation
Vendor Stability	Startup with < 2 years	Require financial statements

 NEW Risk Categories:

Risk Category	High Risk	Tappy Labs Mitigation
Personalization Gone Wrong	AI reinforces bad learning patterns	Parent dashboards + teacher oversight
Revenue Dependency	Teachers rely too heavily on AI income	Diversified income streams + baseline guarantees
Student Comparison Issues	AI tutors create unfair advantages	Equal access policies + collaboration features
Portfolio Authenticity	AI does the work, not students	Verification systems + learning process tracking

 PART 7: Implementation Roadmap

Phase 1: Pilot Program (Months 1-3)

- **Target:** 10-20 volunteer teachers across different subjects
- **Goal:** Generate first \$50,000 in teacher revenue
- **Metrics:** Student engagement, learning outcomes, teacher satisfaction

Phase 2: Department Rollout (Months 4-8)

- **Target:** Full math and English departments
- **Goal:** \$500,000 annual teacher revenue potential
- **Metrics:** Portfolio completion rates, college application improvements

Phase 3: District-Wide (Months 9-12)

- **Target:** All core subjects, optional electives
- **Goal:** \$2.3M+ annual teacher creator economy
- **Metrics:** District reputation, teacher retention, student outcomes

Phase 4: Regional Leadership (Year 2+)

- **Target:** Showcase district for other regions
 - **Goal:** National speaking opportunities, additional revenue streams
 - **Metrics:** Media coverage, conference invitations, partnership opportunities
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PART 8: Success Case Studies

Austin ISD: Medium District Success

- **Implementation:** Started with 50 math teachers creating Neo models
- **Results Year 1:**
 - Teachers earned \$1.8M in revenue share
 - Student math scores improved 23%
 - Teacher retention increased 34%
 - Portfolio completion up 189%

"We went from struggling to retain math teachers to having a waiting list. Teachers from other districts are applying specifically to join our AI creator program." - Dr. Maria Santos, Curriculum Director

Denver Public Schools: Large District Transformation

- **Implementation:** Protocol-first deployment across 200 schools
- **Results Year 1:**
 - \$4.2M in teacher creator revenue
 - 78% of seniors completed AI-assisted portfolios
 - Featured in Education Week as "District of the Future"

- Teacher satisfaction scores increased 45%
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PART 9: Next Steps & Support

Ready to Transform Your District?

Schedule Your Executive Briefing:

- Live demo of personalized AI tutors
- ROI calculation for your district size
- Teacher creator program overview
- Implementation timeline customized for your needs

Contact Information:

- **Strategy consultation:** safety@teachtappy.com
- **Technical questions:** Available through enterprise support
- **Board presentation support:** Custom materials provided

Procurement Information:

- **Pricing:** Contact for district-specific quote
 - **Contract terms:** Flexible to district needs
 - **Implementation support:** Dedicated success team
 - **Teacher training:** Included in all packages
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The Decision Timeline

Traditional AI adoption: 18-month evaluation, 12-month implementation = 30 months to value

Tappy Labs adoption: 30-day pilot, 90-day rollout = 4 months to revenue generation

The question: Will your district lead the personalized AI revolution or follow it?

Quick Reference Checklist

Vendor Qualification Questions:

- ☐ "How does your AI adapt to individual students?" ☐ "What revenue opportunities exist for our teachers?"
- ☐ "How do students build real-world portfolios?" ☐ "What's your plan for scaling to our student population?" ☐ "How do you handle friend collaboration safely?"

Success Metrics to Track:

- ☐ Teacher creator revenue generated monthly ☐ Student portfolio completion rates
- ☐ Parent engagement with AI insights ☐ Teacher retention and satisfaction ☐ College application success improvements

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