Dear Principal,

Under the auspices of the Ministry of Education, Sport and Youth and the Cyprus Computer Society, MIT Global Teaching Labs returns to Cyprus in January 2027, this time to teach AI agents.

MIT Global Teaching Labs is the flagship programme of MIT MISTI (MIT International Science and Technology Initiatives), which has partners in more than 40 countries. Every January, MIT sends a hand-picked group of its own students abroad to teach. Cyprus joined the programme for the first time in January 2026.

The League, which organises the programme in Cyprus, has opened applications for two free five-day bootcamps on AI agents and agentic systems, run in cooperation with two of Cyprus's leading universities:

- Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol: 11–15 January 2027
- University of Cyprus, Nicosia: 18–22 January 2027

Thirty students aged 15–20 will work in small teams alongside the MIT instructors and students of both universities to design and build an AI system of their own, then present it live at a Demo Day. Places are awarded on ability and motivation alone. Participation is free of charge, so a family's financial situation plays no part in who takes part.

We kindly ask you to:

1. Inform the students of the upper lyceum classes and of technical schools, and in particular the teachers of Informatics and Computer Science.
2. Encourage students who already have programming skills to apply before the deadline of 29 November 2026 at theleague.tech/mit2027
3. Forward the attached one-page overview to students and parents (*MIT-MISTI-2027-Schools-Ministry-One-Pager.pdf*).

The programme at a glance

Who can apply	Students aged 15–20 living in Cyprus, with confident English and some programming experience (Python is an advantage). Each participant brings their own laptop.
Format	Each student attends one week, Monday to Friday, 09:00–15:00
Cost	Free for every participant
Language	English
Applications	Online until 29 November 2026 at theleague.tech/mit2027
Selection	· Programming task 30 November – 9 December · online interviews 10–20 December · 30 finalists announced 21 December

School attendance

The programme takes place during the school term. Every selected student will receive an official letter from the organisers confirming their participation in the programme, which the student submits to the school for the five days of their programme week.

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Thank you for helping us reach the students who will benefit most from this opportunity.

With Sincerely,

