

Honor Policy

Accetta/Gale: IB 20th Century World History

As a student in this class, I expect you to demonstrate the highest level of academic integrity. According to the IB course companion, **plagiarism** is defined as the representation of the ideas or work of another person as your own. Obviously if you are using the work, images, ideas of another person to support your own argument, these sources must be acknowledged with a citation if you paraphrase and quotation marks for a direct quote. You will be required to use footnotes and bibliographies on all formal writing.

“The following are some of the ways to avoid plagiarism:

- Words and ideas of another person used to support one’s arguments must be acknowledged.
- Passages that are quoted verbatim must be enclosed within quotation marks and acknowledged.
- CD-ROMS, email messages, websites on the Internet, and any other electronic media must be treated in the same way as books and journals.
- The sources of all photographs, maps, illustrations, computer programs, data, graphs, audio-visual, and similar material must be acknowledged if they are not your own work.
- Works of art, whether music, film, dance, theatre arts, or visual arts...must be acknowledged.”

(IB 20th Century Course Companion, 2009)

Other instances of academic dishonesty, those that IB calls **collusion**, include allowing another student to copy and submit your work for a grade or credit. Be clear and careful when sharing work with classmates. You are responsible for how s/he uses this work, even if it was not your intent that s/he submit the work for a grade.

Lincoln is a school of hard workers and creative scholars; I value your integrity and respect your ideas, and so do your peers.

I understand that if I am guilty of cheating, in whatever form, I will receive a zero for that assignment. Additionally, my parents will be informed, and I will be subject to disciplinary action per Lincoln High School policy.

Student Signature _____ Date _____
Student Name _____ Period _____

(please print full name clearly)

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