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Academic Dishonesty and Plagiarism

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Students are expected to submit their own work. Work taken from another source must be specifically and formally cited in order to retain the integrity of the piece.

Engaging in scholastic dishonesty which includes, but is not limited to:

- a. Cheating: Copying from another's test paper; using material during a test which is not authorized by the person giving the test; knowingly using, buying, selling, stealing, transporting, or soliciting, in whole or part, the contents of an un-administered test; bribing another person to obtain a test that is to be administered; or securing copies of the test or answers to the test in advance of the test
- b. Plagiarizing: Appropriating another's work or work generated by artificial intelligence (AI) and using it as one's own for credit without the required citation and attribution, e.g., copying written work from the Internet, or any other source
- c. Colluding: Engaging in fraudulent collaboration with another person in preparing written work for credit

Academic dishonesty is a very serious issue and will not be tolerated. If a teacher suspects plagiarism or cheating they will contact an Administrator for further disciplinary action in compliance with the Department of Education Discipline Code.