

Applying the Academic Integrity Policy

Using the official DePaul University Academic Integrity Policy as a guide, identify whether the following situations count as plagiarism, cheating, both, or neither.

1) I am a student in a WRD 104 course. I copy and pasted text from Wikipedia into my research paper without citing Wikipedia as the source.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

2) I am a student in a WRD 104 course. I copy and pasted text from Wikipedia into my research paper. I used quotation marks around the copied text and include the URL to the Wikipedia article at the end of my paper.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

3) I am a Communication Studies major. I copy and pasted a page of text that I wrote for a paper in one of my previous classes into a paper for my capstone course.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

4) I am a Finance major taking a History course to meet a Liberal Studies requirement. I was assigned to use Chicago style to cite my work in a paper, but used APA style instead.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

5) I am currently working two part-time jobs in addition to taking a full course load. My sister offered to help me out by writing up my chemistry report, and I accepted. The data used for the report is based on experiments I did with my lab group from class.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

6) I used an online service to have someone write my final paper for a course. I made significant revisions to the paper before turning it into my professor. Since I paid for the paper and then made significant changes to it, I deserve credit for my work.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

7) My first language is Chinese. I paid to use an online proofreading service to correct my English grammar mistakes before turning it into my professor.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

8) My first language is Arabic. I went to the DePaul Writing Center and worked with a tutor who helped me to identify article usage errors, fixed them in part of my paper, and then instructed me to fix them elsewhere.

Plagiarism Cheating Both Neither

9) I began my sociology paper with a definition of the word "diversity." I didn't cite which dictionary the definition came from because dictionary definitions are common knowledge.

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