

## MCS 210 - Writing Assignment 1

1. Read the linked articles, which describe what plagiarism is and how to avoid it.
  - a. <https://www.plagiarism.org/article/what-is-plagiarism>
  - b. <https://www.plagiarism.org/article/preventing-plagiarism-when-writing>
2. In between 200-300 words explain what plagiarism is and how to avoid it. Do this without plagiarizing the articles linked above (or any other sources).
3. Create an Overleaf project named MCS210\_WA1
4. When you have finished writing your response, submit your work for peer review by sharing your Overleaf project for this assignment with your reviewer. The name of your reviewer is posted in Moodle with this assignment.
5. Your reviewer will read your response and add feedback by adding comments to your Overleaf project. You will also do this for another student. While reading each other's responses, be sure to look for and comment on the following:
  - a. Are any parts of the response plagiarized?
  - b. Are there any incorrect statements or claims?
  - c. Are there any grammar or spelling errors?
  - d. Are there ways that the writing could be improved stylistically (e.g., edit a sentence to make the meaning clearer)?
6. After you have finished giving and receiving feedback, edit your project based on the feedback provided. If there is feedback that you do not agree with, you do not need to make the suggested changes, but you should explain why by adding your own comments. As to why you did not make a suggested change.
7. When you have finished writing your revised response, download your project from Overleaf as a .zip file and submit via Moodle.