



PROJECT

## PLAGIARISM

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## Plagiarism definition

plagiarism [pley-juh-riz-uhm, -jee-uh-riz-]

**noun**

1.

an act or instance of using or closely imitating the [language](#) and thoughts of another author without authorization and the representation of that author's work as one's own, as by not crediting the original author: *It is said that he plagiarized Thoreau's plagiarism of a [line](#) written by Montaigne.* **Synonyms:** appropriation, infringement, piracy, counterfeiting; theft, borrowing, cribbing, passing off.

2.

a piece of writing or other work reflecting such unauthorized use or imitation: *"These two manuscripts are clearly plagiarisms," the editor said, tossing them angrily on the floor.*

From [dictionary.com](http://dictionary.com)

## These are some things that can be plagiarized.

- essays
- homework
- ideas
- music
- literature
- objects =copyright infringement

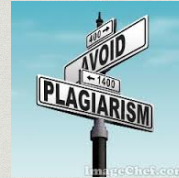
## Possible Punishments for Plagiarism

- Fail the assignment
- Fail a class
- Get kicked out of school
- Lose your job
- Lose money
- Be embarrassed



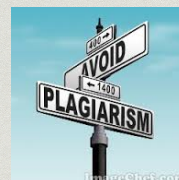
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Only the first one is ok. The others are not because they don't cite the source.

## WHAT IS PLAGIARISM?

### Deliberate Plagiarism

- Rewriting from books or articles
- copying & pasting from web pages and online sources to create a patchwork writing
- buying, downloading, or borrowing a paper



### Accidental Plagiarism

- not knowing when & how to cite
- not knowing how to paraphrase or summarize
- not knowing what "common knowledge" is
- recycling an old paper

## Different types of plagiarism we will consider

- Academic plagiarism
- Literary plagiarism
- Musical plagiarism

