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Student Policy
ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY

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Students of the University are expected to adhere to Millersville University's values and be honest and forthright in their academic endeavors. To falsify the results of one's research, to steal the words or ideas of another, to cheat on an examination, to allow another person to commit, or assist another in committing an act of academic dishonesty, corrupts the essential process by which knowledge is advanced.

Actions that Violate the Academic Honesty Policy - *The below lists are for illustration only. They should not be construed as restrictive or as an exhaustive enumeration of*

enumeration of the various forms of plagiarism that constitute violations of the academic honesty policy.

Fabrication

Fabrication is the falsification of research or other findings, or sources. *The below list is for illustration only. It should not be construed as restrictive or as an exhaustive enumeration of the various forms of fabrication that constitute violations of the academic honesty policy.*

1. Citation of information not taken from the source indicated.
2. Listing in a bibliography fabricated sources or sources not actually consulted.
3. Inventing data or other information for research or other academic projects.

Cheating

- grade in a grade book, on a test, or another assignment.
6. Changing, altering, or being an accessory to changing and/or altering a grade in a grade book, on a test or assignment on a "Change of Grade" form, or other official academic University record which relates to grades.
 7. Entering a building, office, computer, or network for the purpose of obtaining an unadministered test or assignment.
 8. Continuing to work on an exam or assignment after the specified allotted time has elapsed.
 9. Completing an assignment or taking a test or course for someone else or permitting someone else to do the same in their place.
 10. Giving or receiving unauthorized aid in a take-home exam, online exam, or other assignment.
 11. Submitting work for a class that was already submitted for another class, when unauthorized, or allowing another student to submit or copy from previously submitted class work.

Actions which may be taken for violations of the Academic Honesty Policy.

When a faculty member suspects that a violation of the academic honesty policy has occurred, they will meet with students to:

or

