**Academic Integrity Information**

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*Good Practices:*

1. Include statement on plagiarism, resources, and link to Arts and Sciences’ policy in syllabus.
2. State consequences of plagiarism in syllabus:
   1. Will need to redo work;
   2. Will fail assignment; or
   3. Will fail class.
3. File a report with the Dean’s office when you reach an agreement on consequences with student.
4. Contact the Academic Integrity Officer if you have questions or if you are unable to resolve the matter yourself.

*The Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences Academic Integrity Policy:*

<http://www.as.pitt.edu/fac/policies/academic-integrity>

*Violation Report Form (also see other side):*

<http://www.as.pitt.edu/faculty/policies-and-procedures/academic-integrity-violation-report-form>

Prevention Resources for Students

*Excellent information by Mark Kemp for students:*

<http://www.english.pitt.edu/undergraduate/understand-and-avoid-plagiarism>

*Free citation software through the library:*

<http://library.pitt.edu/mendeley-and-endnote-citation-tools>

*Free plagiarism checkers:*

<http://www.duplichecker.com/>

<https://www.grammarly.com/plagiarism-checker>

Detection Tool for Instructors

*SafeAssign* and *Turnitin Direct Assignment* are both built into CourseWeb. For support, contact the University Center for Teaching and Learning (<http://www.teaching.pitt.edu/>).