

ACADEMIC HONOR CODE GRADE 5 AND 6

Cheating

The following will be considered cheating:

- Copying another student's answers on a test or quiz, with or without their permission
- Sharing questions from an exam with another student who has not yet taken the exam
- Copying another student's answers on a homework assignment
- Copying some other student's work and claiming it as your own
- Allowing another student to copy your work or giving your work to them to turn in as their own
- Use of electronic devices for unauthorized sharing of information.

Plagiarism

Plagiarism is a form of cheating. The following will be considered plagiarism:

- Buying or downloading a paper from the internet and turning it in as your own
- Turning in another student's work, with or without that student's knowledge, as your own.
- Copying any portion of another's work without proper citation.
- Paraphrasing ideas and language from a source without proper citation.

5/6th Grade Consequences

- Teachers will notify parents/guardians of the offense
- If a student has plagiarized, the teacher and or librarian will conference with the student. The student will be required to re-write the plagiarized portion. No academic penalty for 1st offense. 2nd offense will result in a zero on the homework or assessment.
- If a student has cheated, the student will be required to attend a lunch session on cheating. The student will receive a zero on the homework or assessment.