

According to section 3.1 of Senate Policy 60:

**Academic Integrity** is “any behaviour that undermines the University’s ability to evaluate fairly students’ academic achievements, or any behaviour that a student knew, or reasonably ought to have known, could gain them or others unearned academic advantage or benefit”

## What is Academic Misconduct?

Academic misconduct is the act of unauthentically completing work for the goal of gaining unearned academic benefit.

This includes:

- Cheating
- Misrepresentation of Personal Identity
- Plagiarism
- Unauthorized Use of Intellectual Property



## How to Maintain Academic Integrity

Maintaining academic integrity is a consistent effort to produce your own authentic work throughout your academic life. It involves:

- Maintaining the values of honesty, trust, fairness, respect, and courage
- Reporting academic misconduct
- Taking advantage of resources
- Joining the Academic Integrity Council and the Academic Integrity Ambassadors Program

