

ENGG 2440A: Discrete Mathematics
honesty in academic work

Section 1

What is plagiarism

Plagiarism is the act of using the work of others (in particular the writing of others) as one's own.

The most obvious and substantial type of plagiarism is **copying** whole articles, sections, paragraphs or **whole sentences from other publications without acknowledgement**. This is clearly unacceptable.

However, even the use of a few words or paraphrasing (without actually copying any words at all) may constitute plagiarism if the source is not acknowledged. **Students sometimes unintentionally plagiarize because they are not aware of the very stringent rules that apply.** Students must read the guidelines provided.

If material is taken from a source, there shall be proper quotes and acknowledgements.

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And Barack and I were raised with so many of the same **values: that you work hard for what you want in life; that your word is your bond and you do what you say you're going to do; that you treat people with dignity and respect, even if you don't know them, and even if you don't agree with them.**

Michelle, 2008



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