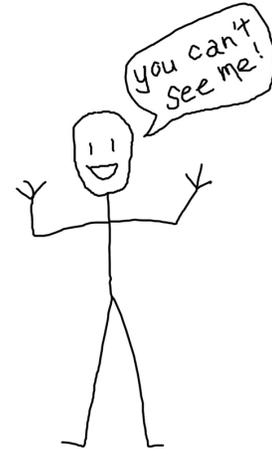


# Cheating and Plagiarism Survey

Please help us assess the level of academic integrity in our school culture.  
Your answers will be **completely anonymous**.

1. What is your "take" on the level of cheating and plagiarism in our school? (choose one)

- Students rarely cheat
- It's very difficult
- It's somewhat difficult
- It's not very difficult
- It's fairly common
- Almost everyone does it



2. Which of the following have you done? (choose all the apply)

- Cheated on a test or quiz
- Copied someone else's homework
- Downloaded a complete paper
- Cut and pasted a paper together using online materials without appropriate documentation
- Submitted another student's work as my own with or without his/her knowledge
- Plagiarized just part of an essay
- Used Cliff's or Spark Notes to avoid reading a book
- None of the above

3. **If you have cheated**, why did you do so? (choose all that apply)

- Competition for good grades
- Didn't seem like a big deal
- Didn't think I'd get caught
- Not interested in the subject or assignment
- Parents expect good grades
- To keep grades up for college admission, sports eligibility, etc.

4. **If you have cheated**, what happened?

- I was caught and punished
- I was caught and not punished
- I was not caught

5. Have your parents talked with you about cheating?

- Never talked about it
- They encourage it
- They don't care if I do it or not
- They tell me I should not do it
- They forbid me to do it

6. Do your parents know if you cheat in school?

- Yes
- No
- I don't cheat

7. How easy would it be for you to obtain test questions or answers for a test or quiz?

- Very difficult
- Somewhat difficult
- Not very difficult
- Easy

8. How easy would it be for you plagiarize a paper without your teachers knowing?

- Very difficult
- Somewhat difficult
- Not very difficult
- Easy

9. Which of the following do you consider plagiarism?

- Changing the words around in a quote and then using them without documentation
- Using information that you consider common knowledge without citation
- Taking ideas from several of one person's writings and citing it every time, not just once.
- Paraphrasing the ideas of others without documentation
- Using information found on a Web site. Citing the source is not necessary.

10. How would you define plagiarism?