



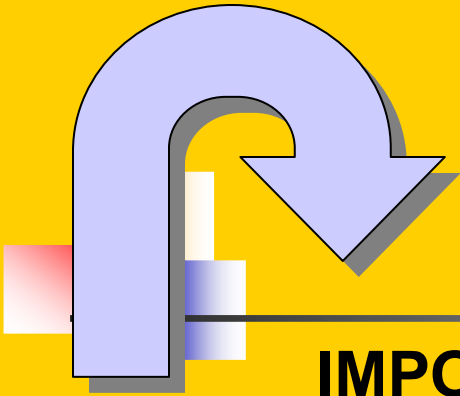
WHAT IS PLAGIARISM ???

- 1) To steal and pass off the ideas or words of another as one's own**
- 2) To use someone else's production as one's own**
- 3) To commit literary theft**
- 4) To present as new and original an idea or product derived from an existing source**

The following are all considered to be
plagiarism:



- turning in someone else's work as your own
- copying someone else's words or ideas without giving credit
- giving incorrect information about the source of a quotation
- changing words but copying the sentence structure of a source without giving credit
- copying so many words or ideas of a source that it becomes the majority of your work (even if you give credit)



IMPORTANT TERMS:

Intellectual Property

Copyright

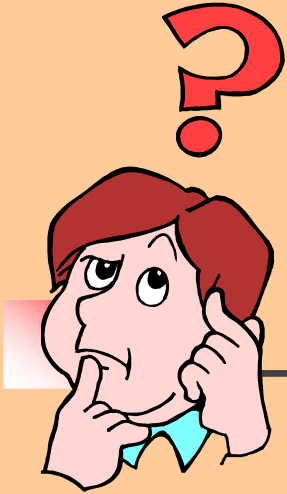
Common Knowledge

Fair Use



PLAGIARISM TAKES MANY FORMS:

- **Downloading a free research paper**
- **Buying a paper from a commercial paper mill**
- **Copying an article from the Web or an online or electronic database**
- **Copying a paper from a local source (another student, from fraternity files)**
- **Cutting and pasting to create a paper from several sources**
- **Quoting less than all the words copied**
- **Faking a citation**



Why is plagiarism wrong?

It's an act of fraud

- stealing another's intellectual property
- claiming it as one's own

It undermines principles of trust and respect

You hurt yourself by failing to acquire skills

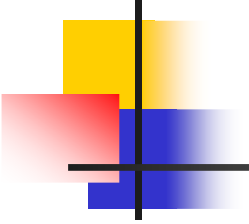
(thinking and analyzing, organizing, writing,
planning and time management)



Benefits of Citing Sources

- Strengthens your writing
- Reveals you have performed research
- Shows respect for creators of ideas
- Will result in a better grade

HOW TO AVOID PLAGIARISM

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- **Require notes, annotated bibliography, summary, outline, rough draft**
 - **Put quotations around everything that comes directly from the text**
 - **Paraphrase but not just by rearranging or replacing a few words**
 - **Cite all your sources even if you don't use direct quotes.**