Avoiding Plagiarism
North American version

An online course and software solution to ensure your students follow best practice in paraphrasing, referencing and citation.

Avoiding Plagiarism is an introductory course for undergraduate and postgraduate students which is suitable for all disciplines. This updated course will give you assurance that all your students have been adequately prepared for their assignments and provides your university with evidence that students have received training in how to avoid plagiarism, whether intentional or not.

COURSE FEATURES

Student views
Interviews with students giving their thoughts on plagiarism.

Review quizzes
Multiple choice quizzes to revise what plagiarism is and test student knowledge.

Scenarios
Interactive scenarios that illustrate some of the situations students may encounter throughout their studies.

Plagiarism in the news
Online resources to help extend learning, including articles on real-life cases of plagiarism.

Practice exercises
Interactive activities to help identify plagiarism and practice how to correctly cite and reference different sources.

North American context
This course includes MLA and APA style referencing as well as US-specific case studies.

1 hour of core activities

On taking this course, you can be confident that students at your institution:

➤ understand what plagiarism is and why avoiding it is so important

➤ are familiar with the key terms associated with plagiarism and academic integrity

➤ can identify the different types of plagarism

➤ appreciate the importance of referencing and accurate citation.

COURSE MODULES

Module 1: What is plagiarism?

Module 2: Plagiarism in context

Module 3: Referencing

Module 4: Avoiding plagiarism: Tips and tales

The standard of the course is very high and is incredibly useful for students preparing to write essays.

Student
at NUI Maynooth

Plagiarism
IN THE NEWS

High profile

Self-plagiarism

Students punished

Ohio university student expelled for plagiarizing Wikipedia

An Ohio University senior was expelled for plagiarizing three phrases from a Wikipedia article...

Students expelled for plagiarism at Deakin University, Australia

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Senator Rand Paul is accused of plagiarising his lines from Wikipedia

Senator Rand Paul, the Kentucky Republican who is among his

Self-plagiarism concerns lead to retraction of two papers

Two separate research papers from a team of Harvard researchers have been retracted due to duplicate publication of data...

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