

What is Academic Integrity?



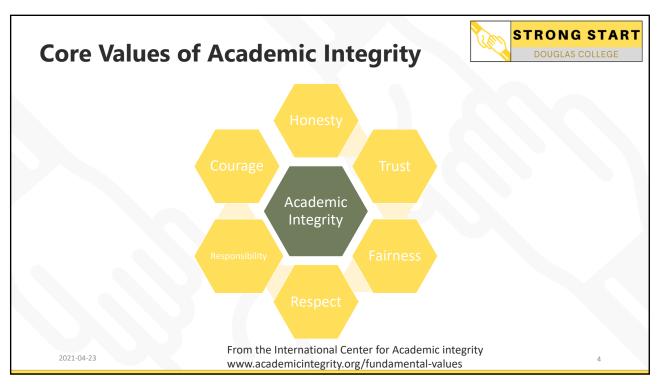
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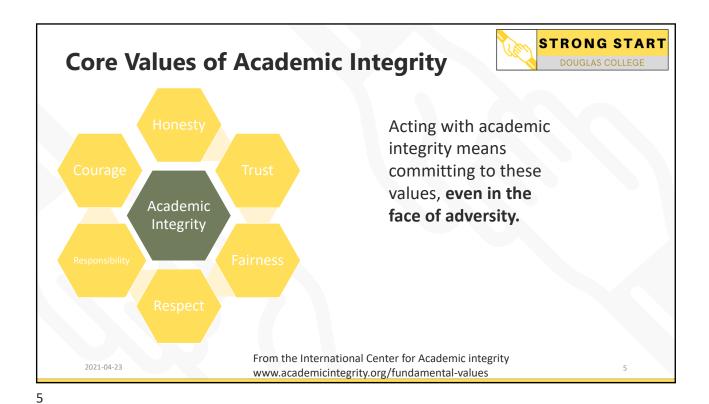
The fundamental **ethics** of scholarship, knowledge creation and transmission, including the principles of **honesty**, **trust**, **respect for truth and knowledge**, **fairness**, **responsibility**, and **courage**.

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Douglas College Universal Education
DCUE 0100: Academic Integrity

• Mandatory for all new students

• Automatic enrollment on June 1

• Complete the course by July 23

• Course will appear in Blackboard:

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# **Course Information**

- Should take about 30 minutes
- At end of course is a short test.
  - oPass = 80%
  - •Three attempts to pass.

Having trouble with content?
You can complete the module with Learning Centre tutors.

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# Why are we making you take this course?

- Reputation.
- Your Learning.
- The consequences for violating academic integrity are serious.

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### **Common Mistakes**

#### The 3 main problems:

- **⊗**Copying from the internet
- ⊗Submitting the same paper for different courses (self-plagiarism)
- ⊗Working too closely with others (cheating)

### Do not rely on:

- ⊗Plagiarism "checkers"
- ⊗Paraphrase Tools

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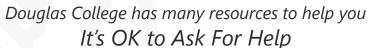
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## **Factors that Contribute to Academic Dishonesty**

- Poor study habits
- Poor time management
- Psychological factors:
  - Anxiety
  - · Lack of self-confidence
  - Pressure to perform



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