



**Title:** Academic Integrity Policy  
**Effective Date:** July 2023  
**Issuing Authority:** Provost  
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### **Purpose**

Mercer University strives to be a Community of Respect which includes respect for academic integrity.

### **Scope**

This policy applies to all students, faculty, and staff at Mercer University.

### **Exclusions**

None

### **Policy Statement**

Students operate under an honor system and will exhibit the values of honesty, trustworthiness, and fairness regarding all academic matters. Students, faculty, and staff are expected to report any violations, including but not limited to, cheating, plagiarism, and academic dishonesty, to the honor council appropriate for their campus and program.

### **Website Address**

Procedures related to Honor Systems and Academic Integrity are outlined in the specific handbooks for each campus and can be found on the Provost website at <https://provost.mercer.edu/office-of-the-provost/honor-system/>.