

Student Perceptions of Academic Honesty

Spring Semester 2017

4 ALP English classes

32 students in 4 Accelerated Learning Program (ALP) English classes were asked to complete a short poll before participating in a discussion about Academic Honesty.

Their responses were anonymous.



How do they feel about cheating?



75%

have been tempted to cheat on school work



65%

would cheat if they knew they wouldn't get caught



25%

think it is okay to cheat on a pop quiz



16%

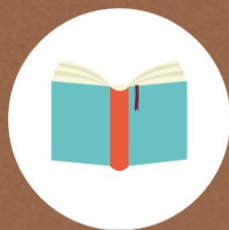
think it is more acceptable to cheat if you don't care about the topic



84%

would NOT report someone for cheating

What "counts" as cheating?



65%

copying a friend's homework



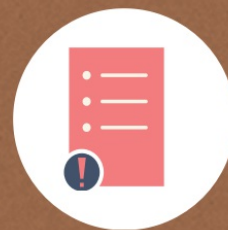
34%

a friend tells you what's going to be on the test



41%

handing in a paper you wrote for a different class



72%

a friend gives you a copy of the exam answers



81%

using sentences verbatim from an online paper