

# ★ COPY-TIME ★



BASED ON A TRUE STORY!  
STUDENT ACADEMIC INTEGRITY - EPISODE ONE -

ONCE UPON A TIME IN A STUDY GROUP ...

Hi! How are you going with the assessment?

Not good. I'm running out of time to complete it! I don't know what to do!

Take a look at what I've done to get some ideas!

WOW! Thanks!

This looks great! I think I'll just copy it!

Hey look at this assignment. A guy in class showed it to me to get ideas!

Great! can I take a look? I'm having trouble with that assignment too!

Just what I need! I know I shouldn't but I'm going to copy it!

LATER ... IN THE UNIT COORDINATOR'S OFFICE ...

I only got a warning last time I copied someone's work and I got a chance to resubmit ...

These three assignments look almost IDENTICAL! I'm going to have to have a chat to each student ...

## THE CONSEQUENCES:

I shared my assignment to help the other student get ideas. It's all my OWN work!

**STUDENT ONE**

Allegation of breach of academic integrity dismissed.

I'll never share an assignment again ... I'll just share IDEAS!

I was struggling & thought it would be okay if I copied. It's the FIRST time I have done this!

**STUDENT TWO**

Copying is a serious breach of academic integrity. The issue was escalated by the Unit Coordinator to the Head of School. As there were no previous breaches the HoS response was to award zero marks for the assessment.

I didn't realise how serious copying is. I'll never do it again. I may fail the unit...

I know I was wrong but I was desperate. I've been caught before but I was running late so I copied anyway ...

**STUDENT THREE**

Copying is a serious breach of academic integrity. The issue was escalated by Unit Coordinator to the Head of School. As there was a previous breach the HoS response was to award a fail grade for the whole unit.

This really affects my plans. I'll have to repeat the unit. I'll ask for academic support so I don't get into this situation again.

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