

IHS Academic Honesty Policy

Our Academic Honesty Policy and subsequent consequences for violating this policy is designed to include an educational component and includes a three tiered process as listed below.

ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY: Students are expected to demonstrate honesty and integrity while in attendance at Irvine High School. Each student is expected to do his or her own work. This includes test taking, homework, class assignments, and the creation of original essays, compositions, term papers, and scientific research. Sharing work with another student during test, on in-class essays or assignment, or on homework is considered cheating. All work submitted by a student should be a true reflection of his or her own effort and ability. Any behavior which can be defined as cheating represents a violation of mutual trust and respect essential to education at Irvine High School. (Academic Honesty Policy. B.P. 6010)

Consequences for violating the Academic Honesty Policy

First violation:

- ✓ Student referred to Grade Level Administrator
- ✓ Parents are contacted by teacher
- ✓ Student receives “0” on the assignment or assessment
- ✓ Student is assigned a Saturday School
- ✓ Student is assigned Academic Honesty Assignment #1

Second violation (during any class or term):

- ✓ Student referred to Grade Level Administrator, parent conference
- ✓ Parents are contacted by teacher
- ✓ Student receives “0” on the assignment or assessment.
- ✓ Student is assigned a Saturday School.
- ✓ Student is dropped from the class with an “F” grade **or** completes Academic Honesty Assignment #2

Third and subsequent violation (during any class or term):

- ✓ Student referred to grade level administrator
- ✓ Grade level administrator contacts parents to confirm that the student will be dropped from the class with an F
- ✓ Parents are contacted by teacher
- ✓ Student dropped from the class with an “F” grade