

Parents and Students:

SFVPS has a zero tolerance for plagiarism and cheating. We take these offenses quite seriously and have committed to making sure that all students understand and acknowledge the importance of maintaining academic integrity at all times.

Plagiarism is defined as "the act of taking the ideas, writings, etc. from another and passing them off as your own." Every student must submit only original writing assignments, or to credit (site) the author of any writings and/or ideas that are used within an assignment that will be turned in for credit.

Please read, sign, and return the below portion to school office.

Plagiarism and Cheating Code of Integrity Agreement

I understand that plagiarism and cheating are serious academic offenses that will result in severe consequences. I agree to only submit my original work for credit and to follow the test-taking rules as defined by the administration and teachers. I understand that the use of a cell phone during a test is prohibited and will be determined as cheating.

Violation of these rules will result in the following consequences:

1st Offense

- 1. A failing grade on the assignment/ test without the opportunity to make up the work.
- 2. Parent Conference
- 3. 5 hours of school community service

2nd Offense

- 1. A failing grade on the assignment/ test without the opportunity to make up the work.
- 2. Parent Conference
- 3. A formal letter to be placed in my permanent school record
- 4. 10 hours of school community service

3rd Offense

- 1. School Suspension
- 2. A formal letter to be placed in permanent school record.
- 3. 10 hours of community service.

-----Cut off and Return-----

Plagiarism Conduce Agreement

Student's Name _____ Parent's Name _____

Student's Signature _____ Parent's Signature _____

Date Received _____(Office use only)

