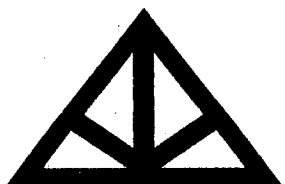


erived from the Latin word *plagiarius* ("kidnapper"), plagiarism is a form of stealing that has been defined as "the falsification of authorship, the wrongful taking of the person's name, or presenting as one's own" (A. J. Harper, 1957). Plagiarism is a form of originality [Neuman, 1995]. Plagiarism involves the commission of wrongs. It is the act of taking the work of another person without acknowledging that it is not one's own. It is a form of intellectual theft. It is a form of information theft. It is a form of deception as it is to get a better grade than one deserves. Plagiarism is a moral and ethical offense rather than a legal one since some instances of plagiarism fall outside the scope of copyright infringement.

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