

MHS Cheating Policy

Cheating includes, but is not limited to, such unauthorized activities as:

1. Copying homework.
2. Copying on quizzes, tests, etc.
3. Looking at another person's work during quizzes, tests, etc.
4. Talking during a test/quiz without teacher permission.
5. Willingly providing unauthorized aid to another person.

Penalties:

1. The first incident of cheating: The student(s) receives a zero for the work.
2. The second incident of cheating: The student(s) receives a Friday Extension Program, in addition to a zero for the work.

Cheating on a Required Reading Test

Cheating on a Required Reading test includes, but is not limited to:

1. Using book/notes/online resources on a Required Reading test.
2. Looking at another student's computer to give assistance during a Required Reading test.
3. Talking to someone while taking a Required Reading test.
4. Taking a Required Reading test for another student.

Required Reading Cheating (Media Center Penalty)

1. Any Required Reading tests affected will be removed and zeros will be inputted in their place.
2. All affected students will receive an F for Required Reading that trimester.
3. The parent/guardian will be notified by the media specialist about the incident.
4. The English teacher will be notified by the media specialist about the incident.

Required Reading Cheating (English Penalty)

1. All affected students will receive a zero for the English Required Reading category that trimester.

The MHS members of the Read to Succeed Required Reading Committee support the MHS English department's decision that both students involved in the cheating receive a zero for their English Required Reading category that trimester.