

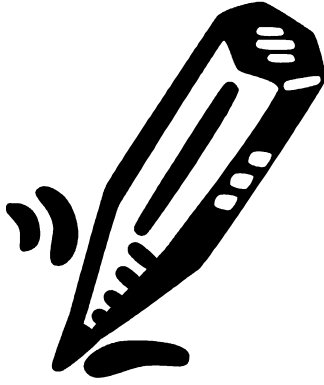
# Plagiarism Scavenger Hunt Activity Worksheet

Use this page to record your answers:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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This scavenger hunt has been created to help you understand what plagiarism is and why you should care. The main purpose is to educate you on some of the issues with plagiarism so you do not accidentally take someone else's ideas and make them yours.

Instructions: This activity has been designed for fourth grade students in Mr. Hawkins class. There are ten questions dealing with plagiarism. Each question needs to be answered based on the information found at the given link. Your job is to search the given site and answer the questions.

*Answer the following question.*

## **Kids health guide to plagiarism**

<http://www.kidshealth.org/kid/feeling/school/plagiarism.html>

1. What does the word plagiarism mean? \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Do you think Chris committed plagiarism knowingly? Explain your answer. \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Strategies for avoiding plagiarism**

<http://www.westmont.edu/offices/provost/Plagiarism/infostud.pdf>

<http://plagiarism.org/plagiarism-101/prevention/>

3. How can you avoid plagiarism? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. List 3 reasons why students plagiarize. \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Giving Credit**

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<http://www.plagiarism.org/article/how-do-i-cite-sources>

<https://www.pierce.ctc.edu/library-sources>

5. What does it mean to cite a source? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. What is a quotation? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. What is Paraphrasing? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

8. What is Summarizing? \_\_\_\_\_  
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9. When should you cite a source? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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10. What are some consequences of plagiarizing? \_\_\_\_\_  
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