What are information ethics? The “right and wrong” of using information fairly and responsibly. In this workshop you’ll learn answers to the following questions and more!

1. What is the definition of academic honesty?

2. In what circumstances must you cite sources when working on a college project (essay, poster, presentation, speech, web page, or other)?

3. To correctly document the source of a quote or paraphrase, you must use in-text citations. What must be included in the in-text citation regarding the source?

4. What is the definition of intellectual property?

5. A book is one example of intellectual property. What are some other specific examples?

6. Where can you get help on how to correctly cite sources in a paper, presentation, or other college project?
Quick Practice: Using Information Ethically

1. Ethics Scenarios

Scenario A
Which option is correct and why?

What I learned…

Scenario B
Which option is correct and why?

What I learned…

Scenario C
Which option is correct and why?

What I learned…

2. CreativeCommons Search

When you need an image for a project or presentation, take this suggestion: find one that includes permission from its creator to use and modify it. One way is to use the CreativeCommons Search.

Go to https://search.creativecommons.org. Find one image on Flickr related to “political protest” that has been licensed for Creative Commons use.

Who is the creator for the image that you chose?