# **Copycats!**

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# Aim

• I understand the term 'plagiarism' and how to avoid it.

# Success Criteria

- I can explain how to use other people's work respectfully.
- I can explain what a citation is.
- I can write a citation.
- I can explain why plagiarism is harmful.

### Your Amazing Ideas



Tell your partner when you last completed a piece of work you were proud of.



How do people know it belongs to you?

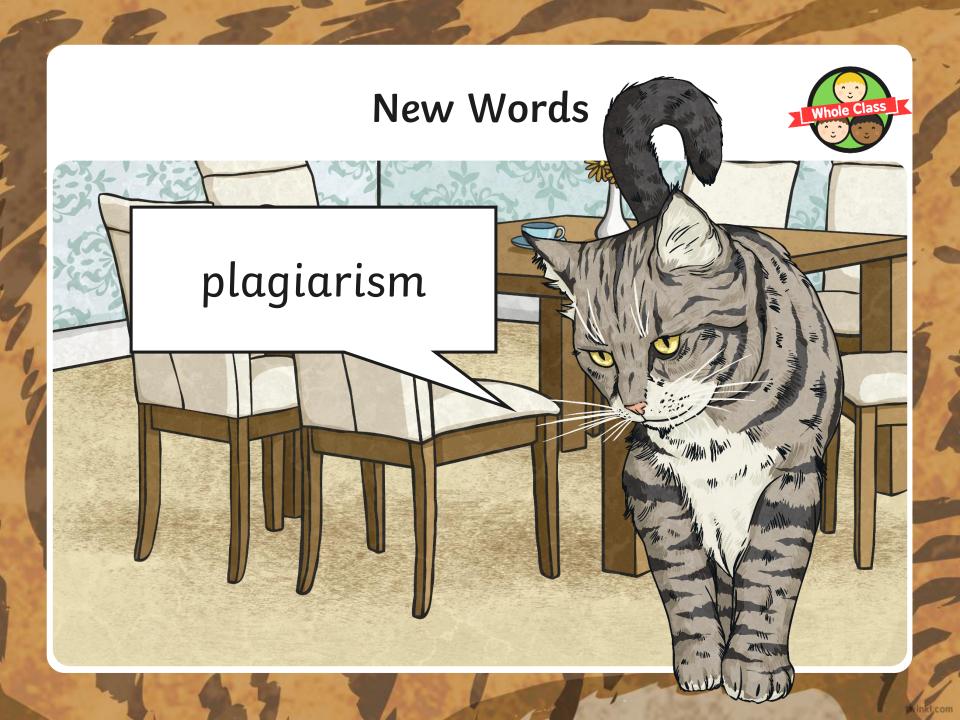
## Your Amazing Ideas



How would you feel if someone wrote their name on your work?

What about if someone removed your name and put the work on display somewhere without giving you **credit** for it?





### New Words



Lesson 3

Use a dictionary to find the definition of this word and write it on the top of your **Copycats!** Activity Sheet.

#### Copycats!

Use a dictionary to find out what the word **plagiarism** means. Write its meaning below:

Complete the following:

The scenario on my card is: \_

Do you think your card shows an example of plagiarism? Why/why not?

Now, find out what a citation is and write its meaning:

Get your partner to draw their best cat picture in the box, then write a citation for it below to give them credit.

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Citation:			

# Plagiarism



wers in a test.

Online, plagiarism can be found everywhere. Photographers' pictures are used by other people, bloggers could have big pieces of their writing stolen and musicians could have their songs and videos copied and posted by others pretending it's them!

### In school, this might

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I have come to Bundir to spend Muharam (n Muslim holidau) on varction. Tadore Bundir bocause of Itis mountains and luch green fields. Mg Swat is also very heautiful bat there is no peace. But in Bundir three is pose and tranquality. Neither is there any firing nor any for. We all are very happy. Today we vert to DPF abox muscleaum and three were loss of people three. People are here to pray while we are here for an exerusinn. Three me shaps saling bangles, enr rings, clockets and other artificial peollers, I thought of buying something but nothing inpressed - uny mother bought ear rings and bangles.

MONDAY 5 JANUARY: DO NOT WEAR COLOURFUL DRES

I was getting ready for school and about to wear my unifor I remembered that our principal had told us not to wear un and come to school wearing normal clothes instead. So I

### Plagiarism

Look at the scenario on your card and decide in your pair if it is plagiarism.

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## Why Not?

Why is plagiarism a bad thing?

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The creator doesn't get recognition.

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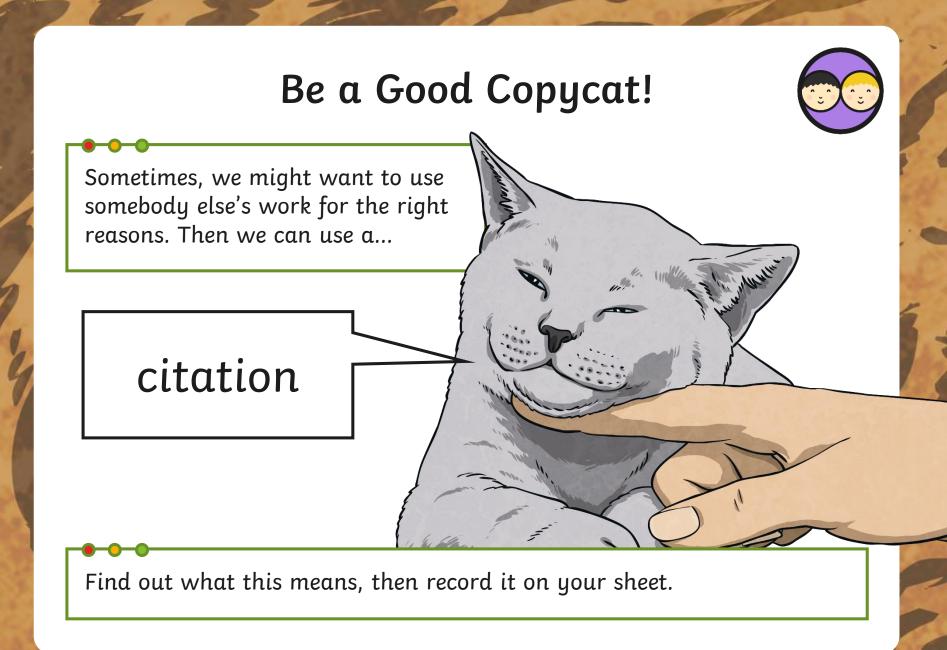
The plagiariser might earn recognition or even money from it.

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It is the same as cheating or lying.

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It is stealing; especially if you make money from it.



### Be a Good Copycat!

Sometimes, we want to use someone's work because we like it so much and most of the time, that's great! This is a good reason to post somebody else's content online.

If you want to do this, a good way of giving the person recognition and respect is by writing a citation, either above or below the work you have used.

## Be a Good Copycat!



What do you think it is important to include in a citation?

