

WHY STUDENTS CHEAT

Use this worksheet to examine each reason that has been correlated to student cheating and have students suggest ideas the school might implement to resist cheating. Summarize responses and forward them to the AIC.

Reasons Students Cheat	Ideas to Resist Cheating
High performance expectation with low confidence of honest success	
Teachers and fellow students tolerate cheating, which supports perception that everyone cheats	
Students are alienated from academic goals and perceive teachers as uncaring and not fair or academic subjects as not relevant	
Pressure to complete multiple tasks	
Student immaturity or laziness	