Lesson Plan: Citation Practices and Plagiarism

What is plagiarism? / When do we need to cite work?

Plagiarism: Give Credit

You must give credit whenever you:

- Use another person's words, ideas, opinions or theories
- Present facts, statistics, graphs and drawings that are not common knowledge
- Quote someone's written or spoken words
- Paraphrase someone's written or spoken words

One of the best ways to avoid plagiarism is to carefully cite the information sources you use, whether they come from the Web or from print materials.

http://www.lib.unc.edu/instruct/citations/plagiarism/plagiarism2.html

(see attached for UW guidelines: http://depts.washington.edu/pswrite/plag.html )

Go through tutorial: http://www.lib.umb.edu/webtutorial/module6/Module6-1.html

How do we cite work correctly?

- Parenthetical citation
- Footnotes
- Endnotes
- References
- Bibliography

Special cases?

- Internet resources
- Private communications
- Other?

What are the different styles? (http://www.lib.washington.edu/research/wri.html )

- APA
- Chicago
- MLA

Practice: