Honor Code Simplified

It is each student’s responsibility to have a basic knowledge of what the Honor Code states. Considering that this is not the entire Code, this guide alone does not satisfy that requirement. You can find the full Honor Code on the Honor Code website and in the Compass.

Article I:
The Code applies to all work submitted by students of Allegheny College. It is up to the students to maintain their own academic integrity.

Article II:
At matriculation each student promised to uphold the Code.

Article III:
If you see another student not upholding the Honor Code, it is your responsibility to report the student to the professor, Dean of Students office, or a member of the Honor Committee.

Students are not permitted to receive aid in any form during exams.

Plagiarism is strictly prohibited by the Honor Code. Plagiarism is defined as taking words verbatim from another author or using another author’s ideas without proper quotes/citations. Always use proper citations when referencing the work of others.

Previously submitted work cannot be resubmitted.

Professors shall explain their particular policies at the beginning of the academic semester.

Article IV:
Professors do not need to proctor exams and students can complete their exam in any room of the building (exceptions include bathrooms and behind locked doors).

When submitting their work, whether it is an exam or a paper etc., students must have the following pledge as well as their signature:

This work is mine unless otherwise cited.

Signed: XXX