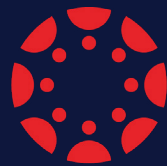# Copyleaks

Plagiarism and AI Detection Platform Canvas Instructor Guide

CANVAS

Welcome to Copyleaks for Canvas.

This guide will give you a general overview of what you need to start using Copyleaks in Canvas, including how to create assignments and interpret your Similarity Report.

This guide also covers the AI Content Detector, a built-in feature of your integration, so you can seamlessly scan for AI-generated content alongside plagiarism.

Other portions of this guide cover general information, including scan settings, understanding the different alerts, and some troubleshooting tips.

For any questions, please contact your institution's Canvas administrator.

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Instructor Plagiarism + AI Scan Tool

The Instructor Plagiarism + AI Scan Tool allows instructors to upload one or multiple files outside of an assignment, view the similarity score at a glance, and view the interactive report by clicking on the score.

Accessing the Instructor Plagiarism + AI Scan Tool
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Plagiarism Detection

Similarity Levels

Copyleaks detects multiple forms of plagiarism, including many forms of paraphrasing. On your Similarity Report, you will see possible results for the following:

- Identical Text
- Minor Changes
- Paraphrasing
- Omitted Words

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The Copyleaks Internal Database

Our Internal Database is a collection of millions of user-submitted documents from multiple sources, including educational institutions, enterprise users, and more. You can compare files to content within the Internal Database to check against work from past semesters.

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Duplicate Assignment Reminder

If an assignment has multiple attempts enabled, subsequent submissions from a single student to the same assignment will be ignored to avoid false flags against the student's previous submission. A result from the Internal Database will appear if the same paper is submitted to a different assignment.

Color Code

Blue: No matching text
Green: 1 - 24%
Yellow: 25 - 49%
Orange: 50 - 74%
Red: 75 - 100%

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Character Manipulation

Another detection alert you may see on your Similarity Report is for manipulated characters.

This can include:
- Special Characters
- Character Replacement
- White Characters

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AI Content Detector

The Copyleaks AI Content Detector is the most comprehensive and accurate AI text detection solution available, with 99.1% accuracy and a .2% false positive rate, the lowest of any platform, built right in and accessible through the scan settings.

What models can you detect?

As of April 1st, 2024 our AI Content Detector can detect content created by most AI text generators and text bots including the GPT4 model, ChatGPT, Bloom, Jaspr, Rytr, and more.

What languages do you support?

The AI Content Detector offers more language options than any other solution on the market, including English, Spanish, French, Portuguese, German, Italian, Russian, Polish, Romanian, Dutch, Swedish, Czech, Norwegian, Korean, Japanese, and Chinese (Simplified and Traditional), and more. For a full list of supported languages, click here.

For further questions about our AI Content Detector, please visit our FAQ Guide.

Scan Settings

Template Exclusion

Teachers can upload templates to exclude specific text when running a scan on a student's assignment, preventing similar content detection regarding original questions, prompts, and more.

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Admin Lock

Settings with a lock icon next to them have been locked by your institution's administrator and cannot be changed at the assignment level. If there is a setting you need to change that has been locked, please contact your Canvas administrator.

Show Student Information

If your admin has enabled this setting, you can see the date and time of submission along with the user (via their email or username) who submitted the detected result.

Writing Assistant

Keep your writing concise and accurate with grammar, spelling and sentence structure tips that help prevent run-ons, fragments, and more. Plus, word choice suggestions align your vocabulary with the intended audience and identify potentially misused words and homophones.

If you are interested in hearing more about this feature and how you could use it at your institution please contact your admin.

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Cross-Language Detection

This enables you to scan for results in over 30 languages from which content may have been taken. For example, a document in French can be scanned to see if it matches results translated from another language, such as Spanish.

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Note: Additional costs apply; contact your Admin to have this feature added.
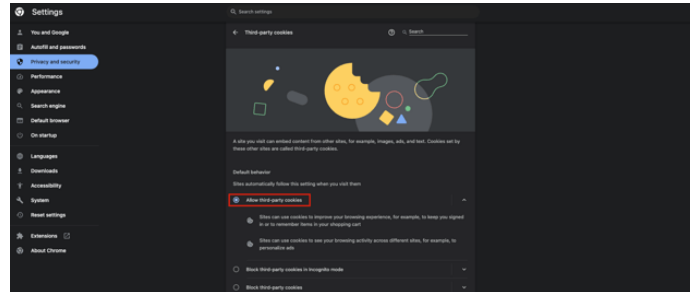
Troubleshooting

If you are experiencing a technical issue, we suggest using Google Chrome as your default browser and clearing your browser's cache.

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To ensure third-party cookies are enabled Chrome:

1. Click on Settings
2. Navigate to Privacy and security
3. Click Third-party cookies
4. Allow third-party cookies

However, if the problem persists, please contact your institution's Moodle administrator. If they cannot resolve the issue, they will contact your institution's Account Manager, who will help promptly resolve it.

For further questions regarding Copyleaks and your Moodle LMS integration with Copyleaks, please visit our **Help Center.**

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