Accessing/Reviewing a Turnitin Originality Report

The integration of Turnitin Originality with Canvas LMS enables faculty to require that student submissions are scanned by the Turnitin Originality tool to identify potential originality issues (plagiarism). This document assumes that you already have one or more Turnitin-enabled assignments in your Canvas course(s) and are ready to review the originality reports for student submissions.

Accessing the Enhanced Similarity Report for Student Submissions

1. Click the Grades link on the course menu from anywhere in your Canvas course.



2. In the Gradebook, locate the student submission you want to review and click the **submission icon** to select it. **NOTE:** You can quickly identify assignment submissions with Turnitin originality reports by using a colored (e.g., yellow, green, red) square in the upper right corner of the grade cell.

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5. In the right panel of the SpeedGrader screen, locate and click the Turnitin originality score icon that appears under **Submitted Files**.



6. A new browser tab containing the Turnitin Enhanced Originality Report for the student's submission will open. You can switch between viewing the Canvas SpeedGrader screen and this originality report by clicking their respective browser tabs. After reviewing the originality report, close its tab to return to Canvas. **NOTE:** To learn more about the report and how to interpret and use it, we've provided several resources in the next section of this support document.

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Turnitin Enhanced Originality Report Resources

The following resources by Turnitin provide excellent starting points for anyone wanting to understand how to interpret and use the reports. **NOTE:** Vendors do

sometimes update their support resources. If one or more of these links are not working, please notify our team via email to <u>IDT@uhcl.edu</u> so we can update our local documentation.

- Interactive Self-Guided Tour
- Educator Guide Understanding the Turnitin Similarity Report: The New Experience
- [Video] Understanding Text Similarity for Instructors: Enhanced Similarity Report [8:37]
- Turnitin Support Page: New Similarity Report Resource Center

Conclusion

If you encounter any difficulties while following the above procedure, or if you have other Turnitin-related questions, please contact the IDT team either by sending an email to IDT@uhcl.edu or by contacting our colleagues in OIT's Support Center to request that a help ticket be created and forwarded to our team.