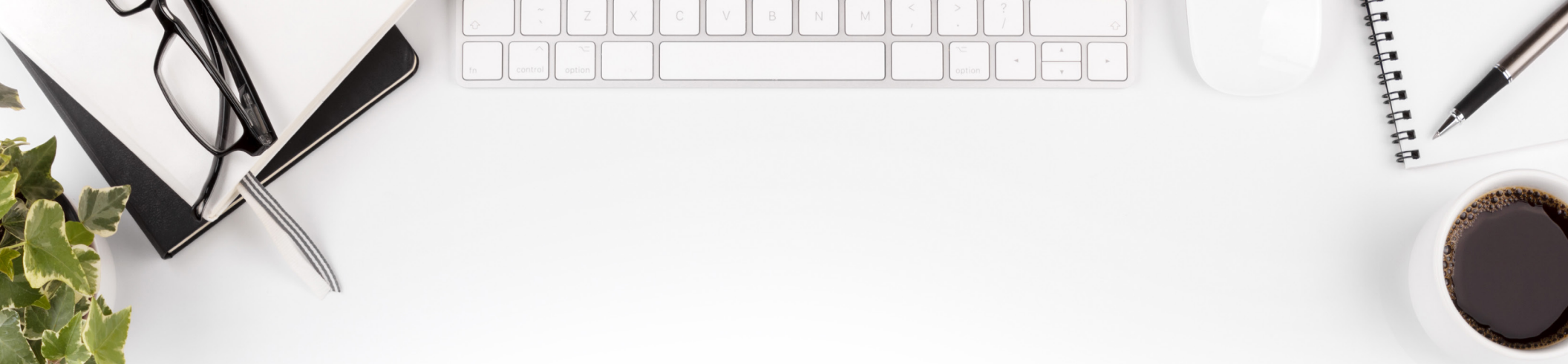


# What is Plagiarism?



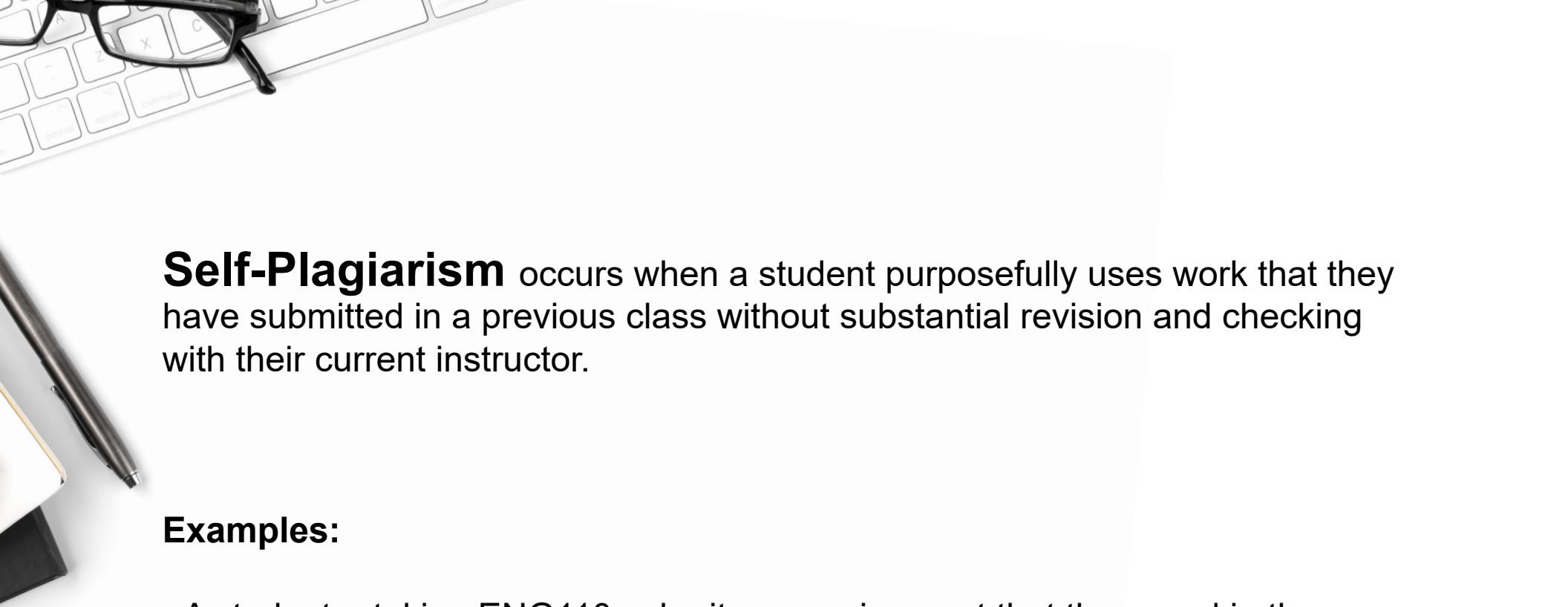


**Plagiarism** occurs when a student purposefully presents someone else's words, ideas, or other original materials without referencing the original source or author.

**Examples:**

- A student uses paraphrases, quotations, or ideas from an outside source and does not reference the original source or author.
- A student purchases or uses someone else's work and submits it as their own.

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**Self-Plagiarism** occurs when a student purposefully uses work that they have submitted in a previous class without substantial revision and checking with their current instructor.

**Examples:**

- A student retaking ENG110 submits an assignment that they used in the previous ENG110 class without substantial revision and checking with their current instructor.
- A student in HIS101 submits the exact paper he/she wrote in ENG110 without substantial revision and checking with their current instructor.

Watch this [brief video about self-plagiarism](#)  
[Rock Ethics Institute]. (2009 June 30). Self-Plagiarism

