1.3 Avoiding plagiarism

3 Degrees of plagiarism

(1) Y
(2) Y
(3) Y
(4) N
(5) Y
(6) N
(7) Y
(8) N
(9) Y/N
(10) Y

4 Avoiding plagiarism by summarising and paraphrasing

(a) acceptable – a correctly referenced summary

(b) plagiarised – original wording with minor changes to word order

(c) acceptable – a correctly referenced quotation

(d) technically plagiarism – mistake in date means the citation is incorrect

(e) plagiarised – some original wording and no citation
5 Avoiding plagiarism by developing good study habits

(Possible further suggestions)

- check that your quotations are exactly the same wording as the original
- when paraphrasing, alter the structure as well as the vocabulary