

Academic Misconduct Application – Student Guide

A student will be notified once an academic misconduct allegation has been made.

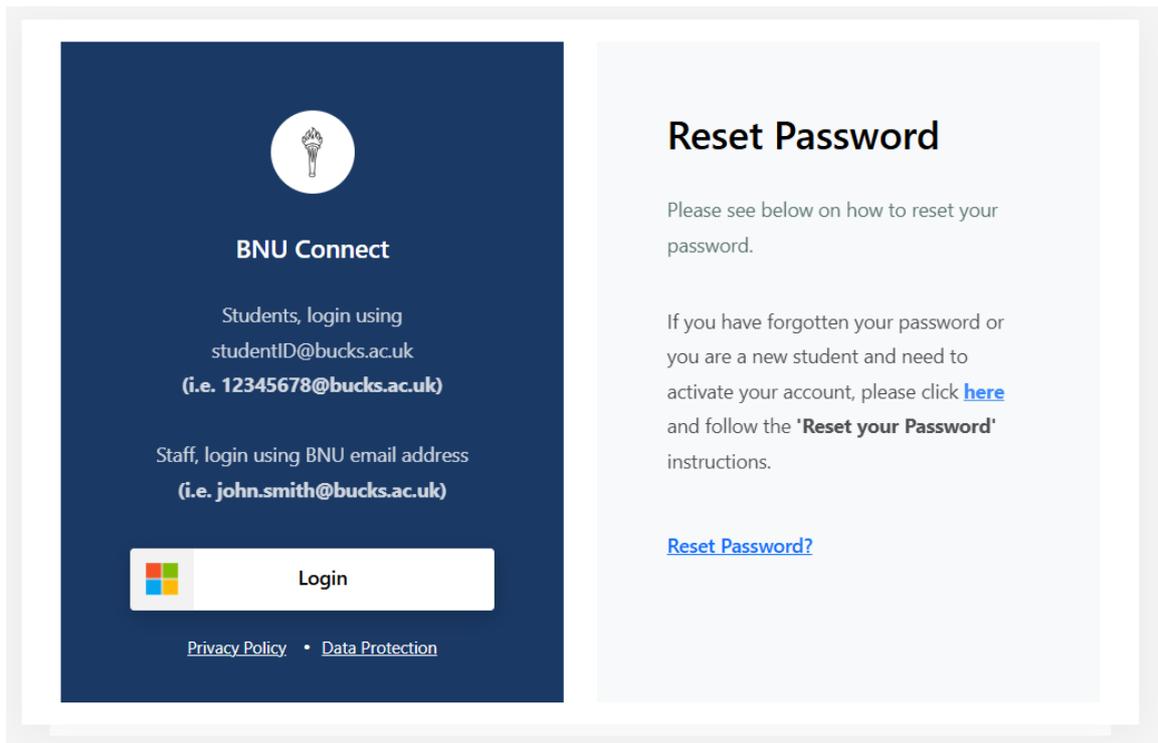
The student will receive the outcome of the local decision. This could be;

- No case to answer
- Poor academic practice
- Minor
- Referral to a panel.

If the allegation is referred to a panel, the student will receive an email requesting that they provide a learner response.

A link to the application will be included in the email notification that the student receives.

Note that Partner students will need to use their BNU email address to log in.



The image shows two side-by-side screenshots from a web application. The left screenshot is the BNU Connect login page, which has a dark blue background. At the top center is a white circular logo containing a stylized torch. Below the logo, the text reads 'BNU Connect'. Underneath, it says 'Students, login using studentID@bucks.ac.uk (i.e. 12345678@bucks.ac.uk)'. Below that, it says 'Staff, login using BNU email address (i.e. john.smith@bucks.ac.uk)'. At the bottom, there is a white rectangular button with a small multi-colored square icon on the left and the word 'Login' in the center. At the very bottom, there are two links: 'Privacy Policy' and 'Data Protection'. The right screenshot is a 'Reset Password' page with a light grey background. The title 'Reset Password' is in bold black text. Below the title, the text says 'Please see below on how to reset your password.' followed by a paragraph: 'If you have forgotten your password or you are a new student and need to activate your account, please click [here](#) and follow the **'Reset your Password'** instructions.' At the bottom of this page, there is a blue link that says 'Reset Password?'.

After logging in to BNU Connect the student can click on the Learner Response section.

Learner & Identifier Details Assessment Details Allegation Offence Local Decision **Learner Response** Documents Decision & Penalty

To be completed by **the learner** if the case is being formally investigated.

Please complete all fields as fully as possible. This section helps us to understand the context of the assessment and any relevant learner information.

The students can request reasonable adjustments, upload a response, and submit evidence.

What to include in your response?
 You may wish to comment on:

- How you approached the assessment or exam.
- Whether you used any tools (e.g., AI, Grammarly) and how you used them.
- Any drafts, notes, or research you used.
- Any personal circumstances that may have affected your work.
- Whether you understand the concern and how you plan to avoid similar issues in future.

Alternatively, if you choose not to provide a response, you can tick the relevant box below.

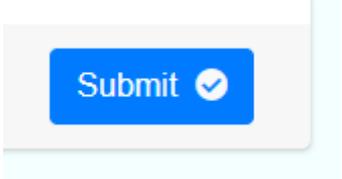
I choose not to provide a response.

Learner Response Details

Demonstration

Evidence Type	Upload	Uploaded files
Drafts or working notes	 Uploaded (1)	Feb 24, 2026, 04:32 PM   
File metadata or version history		
Declaration of AI use.	 Uploaded (1)	Feb 24, 2026, 04:33 PM   
Supporting documentation (e.g., disability support plan)		
Other (please specify in your response above)		

Click: SUBMIT



The student will have 5 days to respond. A reminder email is sent to the student to complete this section.

Once the student has uploaded all evidence, a notification is sent to conduct and the case is put into the next available Academic Integrity Panel.

The student will then receive the outcome and the opportunity to appeal the decision.