

Citations: In-Text and Verbal

Source	Structure and Example for Works Cited	Parenthetical Citation
Book	<p>Last Name, First Name. <i>Title of Book</i>. Publisher, Publication Date.</p> <p>Gleick, James. <i>Chaos: Making a New Science</i>. Penguin, 1987.</p> <p>When a book has multiple authors, order the authors in the same way they are presented in the book. The first given name appears in last name, first name format; subsequent author names appear in first name last name format.</p>	(Gleick page#)
Play	Playwright. <i>Play Title</i> . <i>Periodical</i> . Editor. City of publication: Publisher, year.	(Author Act.Scene.Lines)
Entire website or page on a website	<p>Author, Editor, or compiler. "Page Name." <i>Name of Site</i>. Sponsor/Publisher of website, Date of creation, URL. Date of access.</p> <p>Gulledge, Chas. "Global Conflicts: How do they impact you?" <i>Believe It!</i> University of Silver Spring, 19 May 1999, Global.com. Accessed 21 Apr. 2010.</p>	(Gulledge)
Article in a publication	<p>Author. "Title of Article". <i>Title of periodical</i>, Publish Date, page numbers.</p> <p>Buchman, Dana. "Special Education." <i>Good Housekeeping</i>, 12 Mar. 2006, p. 143.</p>	(Buchman 143)
Article in an online database like EBSCOhost databases or Points of View	<p>Author's last name, author's first name. "Article title." <i>Name of periodical</i>, Version (edition), Number (vol/no), year, pages, <i>Database</i>, Date of Access.</p> <p>Langhamer, Claire. "Love and Courtship in Mid-Twentieth-Century England." <i>Historical Journal</i>, vol. 50, no. 1, 2007, pp. 173-196. <i>ProQuest</i>, doi:10.1017/S0018246X06005966. Accessed 27 May 2009.</p>	(Langhamer 178)
Television Show	<p>"Name of episode." <i>Show Name</i>, writers, directors, distributor name, year.</p> <p>"The One Where Chandler Can't Cry." <i>Friends: The Complete Sixth Season</i>, written by Andrew Reich and Ted Cohen, directed by Kevin Bright, Warner Brothers, 2004.</p>	("The One Where Chandler Can't Cry")
Radio Program	<p>"Title of the episode." <i>Name of the series or program</i>, Network name, call letters of the station, date of broadcast, city.</p> <p>"The Blessing Way." <i>The X-Files</i>. Fox, WXIA, 19 Jul. 1998, Atlanta.</p>	("The Blessing Way")
Podcast	<p>"Episode." <i>Show Name</i>, distributor name, date, website.</p> <p>"Best of Not My Job Musicians." <i>Wait Wait...Don't Tell Me!</i> From NPR, 4 June 2016, http://www.npr.org/podcasts/344098539/wait-wait-don-t-tell-me.</p>	("Best of Not My Job Musicians")
Video	<p>YouTube: "Name of video." <i>YouTube</i>. Uploaded by username, date of video, URL.</p> <p>Other Vids: Last name, First name of creator. "Title of film or video." <i>Title of website</i>, role of contributors First name Last name, Version, Publisher, Publication date, URL.</p>	("Title of Video")

Song	Musician. "Song." Album, Record Label, year, Name of source, URL (if applicable). Rae Morris. "Skin." <i>Cold</i> , Atlantic Records, 2014, <i>Spotify</i> , open.spotify.com/track/oOPES3Tw5r86O6fudK8gxi .	(Rae Morris)
Digital File	Determine the type of work to cite (e.g., article, image, sound recording). End the entry with the name of the digital format (e.g., PDF, JPEG file, MP3). Smith, George. "Pax Americana: Strife in a Time of Peace." 2005. JPEG file.	(Smith)
Film or video recording	<i>Film Title</i> . Director's name, performers, film studio or distributor, release year. <i>The Usual Suspects</i> . Directed by Bryan Singer, performances by Kevin Spacey, Gabriel Byrne, Chazz Palminteri, Stephen Baldwin, and Benecio del Toro, Polygram, 1995.	(<i>The Usual Suspects</i>)
Electronic Image like photos, maps, charts, etc.	Artist's/Author last name, first name. "Title of artwork." Year created. Museum, or individual who owns the artwork, location of museum or collection, URL. Van Gogh, Vincent. "Starry Night." 1889. Museum of Modern Art, New York. Adams, Clifton R. "People relax beside a swimming pool at a country estate near Phoenix, Arizona, 1928." <i>Found</i> , National Geographic Creative, 2 Jun. 2016, natgeofound.tumblr.com/ .	(Van Gogh)
Letter, memo, or e-mail message	Last name of email's author, first name. "Subject title." Received by First name and last name, Date sent. Brown, Joe. "January Data." Received by Sarah Green, 23 Jan. 2011.	(Brown)
Speech	Last name, First name. "Title of Speech." Title of Event, Day Month Year, Location, City, State. Type of Speech. Stein, Bob. "Reading and Writing in the Digital Era." Discovering Digital Dimensions, Computers and Writing Conference, 23 May 2003, Union Club Hotel, West Lafayette, IN. Keynote Address.	(Stein)

Verbal examples: State the title of the work and the author to give credit for the research.

1. The article "Global Conflicts: How do they impact you?" by Chas Gullledge states...
Gullledge, Chas. "Global Conflicts: How do they impact you?" *Believe It!* University of Silver Spring, 19 May 1999. Web. 21 Apr. 2010.
2. The line "the smell of your perfume" is in the song "Skin" by Rea Morris.
Rae Morris. "Skin." *Cold*, Atlantic Records, 2014, *Spotify*, open.spotify.com/track/oOPES3Tw5r86O6fudK8gxi.

Other ways to integrate verbally:

According to ♦ As (source) put it ♦ Give fact and then attribute after ♦ (Source) writes

General Guidelines

- The source information required in a parenthetical citation depends (1.) upon the source medium (e.g. Print, Web, DVD) and (2.) upon the source’s entry on the Works Cited (bibliography) page.
- Any source information that you provide in-text must correspond to the source information on the Works Cited page. More specifically, whatever signal word or phrase you provide to your readers in the text, must be the first thing that appears on the left-hand margin of the corresponding entry in the Works Cited List.

Check Your Understanding

Find three different kinds of sources on a topic of your choosing (for instance, a database article, a website, and a video). Follow the MLA guidelines and complete Works Cited entry for each source. Then, for each source, write a sentence that paraphrases or directly quotes the source and includes a correct parenthetical citation for it.

Works Cited Entry	Paraphrase or Quotation WITH Parenthetical Citation
Topic: Cocker spaniels Type of source: Website Works Cited: “Cocker Spaniel.” <i>American Kennel Club</i> . American Kennel Club, AKC.org. Accessed 1 Jan. 2018	“Cockers love their playtime and brisk walks” (“Cocker Spaniel”).
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