

Reading, Writing, and Study Strategies Center* • Graduate Writing Center*

Academic Support Programs • Campus Center-1-1300 • UMass Boston

<http://blogs.umb.edu/rwssc> • <http://blogs.umb.edu/gwc>

	MLA (8 th Edition)	APA (7 th Edition)	Chicago (17 th Edition)
Used in...	Humanities	Social Sciences	History
Book Basic citation format, documentation page	Author's last name, first name. <i>Title of Work</i> . Publisher, Publication Year. for example, Morrison, Toni. <i>Playing in the Dark: Whiteness and the Literary Imagination</i> . Harvard UP, 1992.	Author, A.A. (Year of Publication). <i>Title of work: Capital letter to begin subtitle</i> . Publisher. for example, Rice, J.L. (1993). <i>Freud's Russia: National identity in the evolution of psychoanalysis</i> . Transaction Publishers.	Author's last name, first name. <i>Title of work</i> . Place of publication: Publisher, Year of publication. for example, Green, Arnold Wilfred. <i>Sociology: An analysis of life in modern society</i> . New York: McGraw-Hill., 1956.
Book Basic citation format, in text	(Author's last name page number). for example, (Morrison 23-25).	(Author's last name, publication year, p. page number). for example, (Rice, 1993, p. 13).	Citation footnoted. ¹ 1. Author's first name last name, <i>Title of work</i> (Place of publication: Publisher, Year of Publication), page number. for example, 1. Arnold Wilfred Green. <i>Sociology: An analysis of life in modern society</i> (New York: McGraw-Hill., 1956), 15.
Journal Basic citation format, documentation page	Author(s). "Title of Article." <i>Title of Journal</i> , Volume, Issue, Year of Publication, Pages. for example, Bagchi, Alaknanda. "Conflicting Nationalisms: The Voice of the Subaltern in Mahasweta Devi's Bashai Tudu." <i>Tulsa Studies in Women's Literature</i> , vol. 15, no. 1, 1996, pp. 41-50.	Author, A. A., Author, B. B., & Author, C. C. (Year of Publication). Title of article. <i>Title of Periodical</i> , volume number (issue number), pages. for example, Harlow, H. F. (1983). Fundamentals for preparing psychology journal articles. <i>Journal of Comparative and Physiological Psychology</i> , 55, 893-896.	Author last name, first name. "Title of article." <i>Title of Journal</i> vol., issue (Publication Year): pages. for example, Herring, G. "The Beguiled: Misogynist myth or feminist fable?" <i>Literature Film Quarterly</i> 26, no. 3 (1998): 214-219.
Journal Basic citation format, in text	(Author's last name page number). for example, (Bagchi 42-43).	(Author's last name, publication year, page number). for example, (Harlow, 1983, p. 894).	Citation footnoted. ¹ 1. Author's first name last name, "Title of article," <i>Title of Journal</i> vol., issue, (Year of Publication), page number. for example, 1. G Herring, "The Beguiled: Misogynist myth or feminist fable?" <i>Literature Film Quarterly</i> 26, no. 3 (1998): 214.

*You are welcome to save and/or print copies of this entire document (no derivatives) for non-commercial purposes, if you attribute it to its sources. RWSSC, GWC, R. Katz, K. Moriarty, J. Hinkley, K. Hill, M. McCarthy

**Citation styles change frequently! For the updated information try these websites: <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/> <http://www.chicagomanualofstyle.org/home.html>

Reading, Writing, and Study Strategies Center* • Graduate Writing Center*

Academic Support Programs • Campus Center-1-1300 • UMass Boston

<http://blogs.umb.edu/rwssc> • <http://blogs.umb.edu/gwc>

	MLA (8th Edition)	APA (7th Edition)	Chicago (17th Edition)
Online sources Basic citation format, documentation page	<p>Include as much of the following as is available:</p> <p>Author's (and/or editor's) last name, first name. "Article (or page) title." <i>Title of project or database</i>. Additional contributors (translators or editors), Volume, Number, Publisher, Publication Date, Location (URL [without https://], DOI, or Permalink). Date of Access.</p> <p>for example, Willet, Perry. <i>Victorian Women Writers Project</i>. The University of Chicago Library, 24 April 2003, https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/efts/VWWP/. Accessed 19 Feb. 2020.</p>	<p>Include as much of the following as is available:</p> <p>Author, A.A. (Year, Month Date). <i>Title of page</i>. Site name. URL</p> <p>for example, Willet, P. (Ed.) (2003, April 24). <i>Victorian women writers project</i>. The University of Chicago Library. https://www.lib.uchicago.edu/efts/VWWP/</p>	<p>Include as much of the following as is available:</p> <p>Author's last name, first name (or publishing organization). "Title of document/page." <i>Title of Website</i>. Publishing organization, publication/revision date, Access date if no other date is available, URL.</p> <p>for example, Mass Audobon. "Bird-a-thon." <i>Mass Audobon</i>, 2020, https://www.massaudubon.org/get-outdoors/birds-birding/bird-a-thon.</p>
Online sources Basic citation format, in text	<p>When a source has no known author, use a shortened title of the work instead of an author name. Include the author when available. Include page number of PDF file if available.</p> <p>for example, (<i>Victorian</i>).</p>	<p>Follow the author-date method of in-text citation if the information is available. Include page number of PDF file if available (none available for example below).</p> <p>for example, (Willet, 2003).</p>	<p>Citation footnoted.¹</p> <p>1. Author's first name last name, "Title of page," <i>Title of Website</i>, Year of Publication or Revision, URL.</p> <p>for example, 1. Mass Audobon. "Bird-a-thon." <i>Mass Audobon</i>, 2020, https://www.massaudubon.org/get-outdoors/birds-birding/bird-a-thon.</p>
Journal article from online database , basic citation format, documentation page [for in text citation, see "journal" on other side]	<p>Author's last name, first name. "Title of Article." <i>Title of Journal</i>, Volume, Issue, Publication Date, Pages. <i>Name of the database or subscription collection</i>, DOI/URL. Date of Access.</p> <p>for example, Pavletich, JoAnn. "Anzia Yeziarska, Immigrant Authority, and the Uses of Affect." <i>Tulsa Studies in Women's Literature</i>, vol 19, no. 1, Spring 2000, pp. 81-104. <i>JSTOR</i>, doi: 10.2307/464410. Accessed 23 Nov. 2006.</p>	<p>Author, A. A., Author, B. B., & Author, C. C. (Year of Publication). Title of article. <i>Title of Periodical</i>, volume number (issue number), pages. DOI</p> <p>for example, Merilaita, S., & Kelley, J. (2018). Scary clowns: Adaptive function of anemonefish coloration. <i>Journal of Evolutionary Biology</i> 31 (10), 1558-1571. https://doi.org/10.1111/jeb.13350</p>	<p>Author's last name, first name. "Title of document." <i>Title of Journal</i> vol., issue no. (date of publication): Page numbers. DOI or URL.</p> <p>for example, Tucker, Martin. "On Reading Reading." <i>College English</i>, 26, no. 2 (1964): 166. doi: 10.2307/373673.</p>

*You are welcome to save and/or print copies of this entire document (no derivatives) for non-commercial purposes, if you attribute it to its sources. RWSSC, GWC, R. Katz, K. Moriarty, J. Hinkley, K. Hill, M. McCarthy

**Citation styles change frequently! For the updated information try these websites: <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/> <http://www.chicagomanualofstyle.org/home.html>