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Bibliography Form Guide for Internet Sources

Based upon:

MLA Style Page. Modern Language Association. 20 February 2002

<http://www.mla.org>.

General Bibliography Format Instructions

1. Arrange citation entries alphabetically by the first word in the citation ignoring "The," "A," or "An."
2. The first line of each citation starts at the LEFT margin; the second and any succeeding lines are indented FIVE spaces. .
3. Key elements possibly included in an Internet citation are:
 - Author's name (if given), last name first
 - "Title of article in quotation marks"
 - Title of complete work underlined
 - Original date of publication or version (Vers.)
 - Database source used to locate article
 - Location of subscriber to Subscription Database source (i.e., Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL)
 - Date of your visit to the site (**Note: In all of the following example citations, the date used as "date of visit to the site" is 20 February 2002.**)
 - Full http address of site in <angle brackets>.

Online Encyclopedias

Author (Last Name, First Name). "Title of Article." Title of Online Encyclopedia.

Version. Database Name. Database Service. Name and City of Subscribing Library. Day Month Year of your visit. <URL>.

Examples:

Signed Article:

Check, William A. "Leprosy." Grolier Multimedia Encyclopedia. Vers. 2002. Grolier.
Grolier, Inc. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002.
<<http://go.Grolier.com/>>.

Unsigned Article:

"Ancient Rome." Encyclopaedia Britannica Online. Vers. 1994-2002. Britannica Online.
Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002.
<<http://www.eb.com:180/>>.

Magazine Articles

Author (Last Name, First Name). "Article Title." Name of Magazine. Publication Day Month Year: page #s. Database Name. Database Source. Name and City of Subscribing Library. Day Month Year of your visit. <URL>.

Examples:

Signed Article:

Lampert, Leslie. "Confessions of a Marriage Counselor." Ladies Home Journal. 2 April 1997: 66.
Electric Library. EBSCO Host. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002.
<<http://www.elibrary.com/s/edumark/>>.

Unsigned Article:

"Shedding Light on Campus Crime." American Journalism Review. July/August 1997: 50.
SIRS Knowledge Source. Social Issues Resource Series. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002. <<http://www.ars.sirs.com/cgi-bin/custlogin>>.

Newspaper Articles

Author (Last Name, First Name). "Title of Newspaper Article." Name of Newspaper. Publication Day Month Year: Section # or name, page #. Database Name. Database Source. Name and City of Subscribing Library. Day Month Year of your visit. <URL>.

Examples:

Signed Article:

Hamilton, Dane. "Nanotechnology Finding Backers on Wall Street." Chicago Tribune. 18 February 2002: Sec. Business, 2. Newsbank Newspapers. Newsbank. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002. <<http://www.newsbank.com>>.

Unsigned Article:

"Cracking Down on Alcohol Abuse." Minneapolis Star Tribune. 30 November 2001: Sec. B, 1. Electric Library. EBSCO Host. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 20 February 2002. <<http://www.elibrary.com/s/edumark/>>.

Specialized Subscription Sites

Author (Last Name, First Name). "Title of Article." Name of Journal/Magazine. Publication Date: page #s. Database Name. Database Service. Name and City of Subscribing Library. Day Month Year of your visit. <URL>.

Examples:

Signed Article:

Wilkins, Johanna M. "The Myths of the Only Child." Psychology Update. 12 December 1999: 16-20. E Learning. ProQuest. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL. 30 June 2006. <<http://www.umi.com/proquest/>>.

Unsigned Article:

"George Washington." Discovering Biography. Dec. 2000: 1-3. Student Resource Center. Galenet. Lake Forest High School, Lake Forest, IL, 20 February 2002. <<http://www.galenet.gale.com/a/acp/nane/Lake56357:Lake56351>>.

WWW Sites (World Wide Web) Examples

**If you are citing a source that you have located on the World Wide Web that is not a Lake Forest High School Library Reference Subscription Database Source, use the following format.

Author's name (Last Name, First Name). "Full Title of Work in Quotation Marks." Name of the Web Site. Day Month Year of your visit. <URL>.

Examples:

Signed Entry:

Everly, Robert. "Baltimore Riot of 1861." Shotgun's Home of the American Civil War. 20 February 2002. <<http://www.civilwarhome.com/>>.

Unsigned Entry:

"Gaea." Greek Mythology.com. 20 February 2002. <<http://www.greekmythology.com/>>.