# Works Cited List: MLA Style (Modern Language Association)

## Books (Paper-copy)

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## Newspapers, Magazines or Scholarly Journals (Print Sources Only)


This is not a complete list of citations, so for more information and examples use *MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers*, 6th ed. (REF LB 2369 .G53 2003)

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### Online Books from Netlibrary

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### Web Sites and Web Pages/Documents

Provide the following elements if available:

1. Name of author (Last name, First Name) or Name of Organization.
2. “Title of article.”
3. Name of website (underlined).
4. Name of any editors. Enter “Ed.” Followed by editor name(s); Example Ed. Robert Murillo.
5. Date of publication or last update.
6. Name of any sponsoring organization.
7. Last date of access/when did you access this website? (Date format: day month year)
8. <URL of website in angle brackets>. (Or if very long, the URL of the site’s search page).

**Example of entire web site:**


**Example of page/document on a web site: (no author)**


**Example of a Radio/TV program: (with author)**


**Example of articles in online periodicals**


### Articles from Periodical & Reference Databases

Provide the following elements if available:

1. Name of author (Last name, First Name).
2. “Title of the article.”
3. Name of magazine, journal or newspaper.
5. Name of the database used (underlined).
8. Date of access (date format: day month year).
9. <URL of service’s homepage in angle brackets>. Use the following URLs for CCSF Library’s electronic subscriptions:

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**Magazine article from Expanded Academic ASAP:**


**Journal article from Proquest's Ethnic Newswatch:**


**Newspaper article from ProQuest:**


**Article in Reference Database**


### Note

1) Double-space all lines. Indent one-half inch after the first line. Examples provided on this handout are single spaced to save space.

2) A “Works Cited” list must be arranged in alphabetical order by author or by title, if author’s name is unavailable. Do not divide list by type or format of item.