APA References

Basic Format

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- Title of reference page (should be centered): References
- Double space the entire reference page.
- Put entries in hanging indent format (After typing the title, go to the next line. Set the alignment to left and the indent to “hanging.”)
Sample Entries

Entire book, print version

Template
Author’s Last Name, Author’s First and Middle Initials. (Year). Title of book. Location: Publisher

Example

Ebook

Template
Author’s Last Name, Author’s First and Middle Initials. (Year). Title of book. Retrieved from URL.

Example

Book chapter, edited book or anthology

Template
Author’s Last Name, Author’s First and Middle Initials. (Year). Title of chapter. In Editor’s First Initial Editor’s Last Name (Ed.), Title of book (pp. #-#). Location: Publisher.

Example

Newspaper article

Template
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Example
Article from a scholarly journal (with DOI)

Template
Author’s Last Name, Author’s First and Middle Initial. (Year). Title of article. *Title of Journal, Volume number*(Issue number), ##-##. doi: #######

Example

doi: 10.1016/j.eswa.2018.05.003

Article from a scholarly journal (when no DOI is available)

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Author’s Last Name, Author’s First and Middle Initial. (Year). Title of article. *Title of Journal, Volume number*(Issue number), ##-##. Retrieved from URL of journal’s home page.

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Web page

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