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**Reference Examples**

**APA 7th Edition Referencing Style**

**Books**

***Basic Format:***

Author, A. A. (Year of publication). *Title of work: Capital letter also for subtitle.* Publisher

Name. DOI or URL (if available)



**Note**: If available, APA 7 requires a DOI for all works that have one — whether print or digital. If a print work does not have a DOI do not include it in the reference citation.

**One author**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Author(s) of book – family name and initials. (Year). *Title of book* *–*  *italicised.* Publisher. DOI or Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Swartz, W. (2019). *Descriptive psychology and the person concept:*  *Essential attributes of persons and behavior.* Academic Press.  https://doi.org/10.1016/C2017-0-00372-5 |

**Two authors**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Author(s) of book – family name and initials, use & for multiple authors.  (Year). *Title of book - italicised.* Publisher. DOI or Web address - if  available |
| **Reference list** | Whittingham, K., & Coyne, W. (2019). Acceptance and commitment  therapy: The clinician's guide for supporting parents​. Academic Press.  https://doi.org/10.1016/C2017-0-01265-X |

**Three to twenty authors**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Author(s) of book – family name and initials, with commas between authors,  and use & between the last two authors. (Year). *Title of book –*  *italicised.* Publisher. DOI or Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Sheldon, P., Rauschnabel, P. A., & Honeycutt, J. M. (2019). *The dark side of*  *social media: Psychological, managerial, and societal perspectives.*  Academic Press. https://doi.org/10.1016/C2017-0-04063-6 |

**Twenty one or more authors**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Author(s) of book – family name and initials (for first 19 authors), . . . final  author name and initial(s). *Title of book – italicised.* Publisher. DOI or  Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Harris, K., Johnson, W., Matthews, L., Wilson, K., Lewis, S., Bailey, T., Kelly,  M., Norris, O., James, P., Harrison, I., Grant, Q., Vince, J., Patterson,  Y., Carson, H., Allison, T., Lang, R., Roberts, G., Gordon, N., Yates, J., . . .  Holland, F. (2019). *Brisbane city history.* University of Queensland. |

**No author**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | *Title of book - italicised.* (Year). Publisher. DOI or Web address - if  available |
| **Reference list** | *The CCH Macquarie dictionary of business*. (1993). CCH Australia. |

**Author identified as anonymous**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Anonymous - only if author is specifically named as “Anonymous”. (Year).  *Title of book - italicised.* Publisher. DOI or Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Anonymous. (1996). *Primary colors: A novel of politics.* Random House. |

**Book or ebook by an organisation or institution (group author)**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | The full name of the group author, use & for multiple group authors. (Year).  *Title of book - italicised.* Publisher. DOI or Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Queensland Health. (2002). *Best practice guidelines for the management*  *of type 1 diabetes in children and adolescents.*  If the **author name** is the **same** as **the publisher**, **omit** the publisher. |

**Edited book (book itself cited in text)**

Last name of Editor of Book, First initial. Middle initial (Ed.). (year of publication). *Title of*

*book.* Publisher.

White, J. A. (Ed.). (2009). Plagiarism in the twenty-first century. Bluebird.

Hoffmann, C. R., & Wolfram Bublitz, W. (Eds.). (2017). Pragmatics of social

media. De Gruyter. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9783110431070>

**Note: Edited book with a DOI, with multiple publishers**

Schmid, H.-J. (Ed.). (2017). *Entrenchment and the psychology of language learning: How we*

*reorganize and adapt linguistic knowledge.* American Psychological Association; De Gruyter

Mouton. <https://doi.org/10.1037/15969-000>

**Chapter in an edited book**

Only reference a chapter if it has individual authors for each chapter in the book.

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication). Title of chapter. In

Initial of editor Last name of editor (Ed.), *Title of book* (edition number ed., pp. page

numbers).Publisher. DOI or Web address (if available)

*Example*

Rattan, A. (2019). How lay theories (or mindsets) shape the confrontation

of prejudice. In R. K. Mallett & M. J. Monteith (Eds.), *Confronting*

*prejudice and discrimination: The science of changing minds and*

*behaviors* (pp. 121-140). Academic Press. https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-

**Book with different editions**

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| **Elements of**  **the reference** | Author(s) of book – family name and initials, use & for multiple authors.  (Year). *Title of book - italicised* (Edition number ed.). Publisher. DOI or  Web address - if available |
| **Reference list** | Madigan, S. (2019). *Narrative therapy* (2nd ed.). American Psychological  Association. https://doi.org/10.1037/0000131-000 |

**One volume of a multivolume work**

Fiske, S. T., Gilbert, D. T., & Lindzey, G. (2010). *Handbook of social psychology* (5th ed., Vol.

1). John Wiley & Sons. <https://doi.org/10.1002/9780470561119>

**Several volumes in a multivolume work**

Lerner, R. M. (Ed.). (2015). *Handbook of child psychology and developmental science* (7th ed.,

Vols.1-4). John Wiley & Sons.

**E-BOOKS**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (Year of publication). *Title of book.*

Publisher. URL.

*Example*

Shiller, A. L. (2011). *APA Rules Made Easy.* Henry Holt. <http://www.ama.co/ap9734zHRP>

**Articles in a periodical**

**Journal article with DOI**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication). Title of article. *Title of*

*Journal, volume number*(issue number), page numbers. http://doi.org/xxxxxx

*Example*

Hammond, T. C. (2018). Citing information properly. *College English,76*(8), 276-281.

http://doi:.org/ 10.1275/0678-8743.76.2.276

**Journal article with no DOI available**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication). Title of article. *Title of*

*Journal, volume number*(issue number), page numbers.

*Example*

Hammond, T. C. (2019). Citing information properly. *College English,76*(8), 276-281.

**Note:** If each issue of the journal starts with page 1, include the issue number in parentheses after the volume number, but do not italicize the issue number. [EXAMPLE: *College English, 76*(2)]

**Newspaper article**

***General format***

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication, month day). Title of

article. *Title of Newspaper*, page numbers.

*Example*

Blum, R. S. (2007, December 3). Searching for credible sources. *Canton Repository*, C13.

**Online newspaper article**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication, month day). Title of

article. *Title of Newspaper.* Retrieved from URL of newspaper

*Example*

Blum, R. S. (2007, February 22). Searching for credible sources. *Canton Repository.*

Retrieved from <http://www.cantonrepository.com>

**WWW Sources**

**Webpage on a website with a retrieval date**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication, month day, if available).

*Title of piece on website (article).* Website Name. URL

Example

Latamer, A. C. (2009, May 3). *Documentation made easy.* http://www.oll.com

**Webpage on a website with no date**

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (n.d.). *Title of piece on website*

*(article).*Website Name. URL

*Example*

Smith, A. (n.d.). The new APA. *College Writing Centers of America.* http://www.CWCA.com

Webpage on a news website (like BBC, CNN, Reuters, not a newspaper)

*General format*

Last name of author, First initial. Middle initial. (year of publication, month day, if available).

*Title of work.*Website Name. URL

*Example*

Cummings, B. F. (2019, May 3). *News on APA changes.* CNN.

<http://www.cnn.com/entry/newson-APA-changes_us_5b738021>

**Dissertations and Theses**

**Unpublished dissertation or thesis**

*General format*

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| **Author** | **Date** | **Title** | **Source** |
| Author, A. A. | (2020). | *Title of dissertation* [Unpublished doctoral dissertation].  *Title of thesis* [Unpublished master’s thesis]. | Name of Institution Awarding the Degree. |

*Example*

Harris, L. (2014). *Instructional leadership perceptions and practices of elementary school*

*leaders* [Unpublished doctoral dissertation]. University of Virginia.

Use the template shown next to construct references for published dissertations and theses.

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**Dissertation or thesis from a database**

Hollander, M. M. (2017). *Resistance to authority: Methodological innovations and new lessons*

*from the Milgram experiment* (Publication No. 10289373) [Doctoral dissertation,

University of Wisconsin–Madison]. ProQuest Dissertations and Theses Global.

**Dissertation or thesis published online (not in a database)**

Hutcheson, V. H. (2012). *Dealing with dual differences: Social coping strategies of gifted and*

*lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer adolescents* [Master’s thesis, The College of

William & Mary]. William & Mary Digital Archive.

<https://digitalarchive.wm.edu/bitstream/handle/10288/16594/HutchesonVirginia2012.pdf>

**Entry in a dictionary, with group author**

American Psychological Association. (n.d.). *APA dictionary of psychology.* Retrieved June 14,

2019, from <https://dictionary.apa.org/>

Merriam-Webster. (n.d.). *Merriam-Webster.com dictionary.* Retrieved May 5, 2019, from

<https://www.merriam-webster.com/>

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American Psychological Association (2020). *Publication manual of the American psychological*

*association* (7 th ed.).

University of Akron – Wayne College. (2020). APA handout for Wayne College students.