

APA Reference Lists - Books and Periodicals

Books

Use the examples below to reference whole books

One author

Author, A. (Year of publication). *Book title: Subtitle*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Two authors

When there is more than one author for a reference, leave the order of the authors as they are listed on the book or document.

Author, A., & Author, B. (Year of publication). *Book title: Subtitle*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Berman, A., & Koziar, B. (2008). *Koziar & Erb's fundamentals of nursing: Concepts, process, and practice* (8th ed.). Upper Saddle River, N.J.: Pearson Prentice Hall.

Up to seven authors

List all authors and use & before the last listed author's name.

Author, A., Author, B., Author, C., Author, D., Author, E., & Author, F. (Year of Publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Seven authors or more

Author, A., Author, B., Author, C., Author, D., Author, E.,.... Author, F. (Year of publication). *Title of Book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

A book with editors instead of authors

In APA format, the abbreviation "Eds." is used for multiple editors, and the abbreviation "Ed." is used for a single editor. Be careful with capitalization. When dealing with an edition of something, it is abbreviated as "ed.", and should not be confused with "Ed." for editor.

Editor, A., & Editor, B. (Eds.). (Year of publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Buckman, L., & Muestopher, N. (Eds.). (1995). *All in the name of feminism: A collection of essays*. San Diego, CA: Harcourt Inc.

A book with an author and an editor

Author, A. (Year of publication). *Title of book*. A. Editor (Ed.). Place of Publication: Publisher.

Andretti, M. (1994). *Andretti*. M. Vancil (Ed.). San Francisco, CA: Collins Publishers.

Edition other than the first

Author, A., Author, B., & Author, C. (Year of publication). *Title of book* (# ed.). Place of Publication: Publisher.

Du Gas, B., Esson, L., & Ronaldson, S. (1999). *Nursing foundations: A Canadian perspective* (2nd ed.). Scarborough, ON: Prentice-Hall Canada.

Parts of books

Use these examples when you have only referred to a single portion or part of a book.

A chapter from a textbook

Author, A., & Author, B. (Year of publication). Title of chapter. In *Title of book: Subtitle* (pp. #-#). Location: Publisher.

Du Gas, B., Esson, L., & Ronaldson, S. (1999). Oxygen needs. In *Nursing foundations: A Canadian perspective* (2nd ed.) (pp. 713-772). Scarborough, ON: Prentice-Hall Canada.

An article from a textbook

If there is an original publishing date included for the article, state the original date at the end of the reference entry inside a set of parentheses, e.g (Original work published 1995).

Author, A. (Year of publication). Title of article. In B. Author, & C. Author, *Title of textbook*. (pp. #-#). Place of Publication:Publisher. (Date original work was published)

If there is no original publishing date provided for the article, include a set of parentheses at the end of the reference entry stating that the article has been reprinted from the original source. See example below.

Deiter-McArthur, P. (2012). Saskatchewan's Indian people – Five generations. In D. Brundage & M. Lahey, *Acting on words: An integrated rhetoric, research guide, reader, and handbook* (3rd ed.) (pp.379-381). Toronto, ON: Pearson Canada Incorporated. (Reprinted from original source)

Article or chapter in an edited book

Author, A., & Author, B. (Year of publication). Title of chapter. In A. Editor & B. Editor (Eds.), *Title of book* (pp.# - #). Place of Publication: Publisher.

Bennett, P. (2007). In Rome's basement. In B. Preston & T. Folger (Eds.), *The best American science and nature writing* (pp.1-20). Boston, MA: Mariner Books.

Introductions, prefaces, forewords and afterwords

Author, A. & Author, B. (Year of publication). Introduction. In A. Author, *Title of Book* (pp.# -#). Place of Publication: Publisher.

Newman, P. (1994). Foreword. In M. Andretti, *Andretti* (pp. i – vii). M. Vancil (Ed.). San Francisco, CA: Collins Publishers.

Periodicals

Use these examples to help you reference scholarly journals, magazines and newspapers

Journal articles:

Print

Author, A., Author, B., & Author, C. (Year of publication). Title of article. *Title of Journal, volume number*(issue number), page range.

Smith, D. (2013). Who let the dogs out? *Veterinarian Quarterly*, 3(4), 333-335.

Online

Author, A., & Author, B. (Year of publication). Title of article. *Title of Journal, volume number*(issue number if available), page range. doi:0000000/000000000000

Gilbert, D. J. (2014). Social work and engineering collaboration: Forging innovative global community development education. *Journal of Social Work Education*, 50(2), 292-304. doi:10.1080/10437797.2014.885263

Online with no DOI

Author, A., Author, B., & Author, C. (Year of publication). Title of article. *Title of Journal, volume number*(issue number if available), page range. Retrieved from http://URL_of_specific_document

Tie'er, S. (2013). Explorations in social work education. *Chinese Education & Society*. 46(6), 50-55. Retrieved from <http://mesharpe.metapress.com/app/home/journal.asp?referrer=parent&backto=browsepublicationsresults,6,41>;

Newspaper or magazine articles (print or online)

Use p.(page) when the reference is for a single page (e.g. p. B6), and use pp. when the reference spans more than one page (e.g. pp.A1, A7-A10).

Magazine

Author, A. (Year, Month). Title of article. *Magazine Name*, volume(issue) . pp. pages.

Fishly, Carrie. (2003, February). How to wear orange this season. *Vogue*, (50)2. pp. 115-117.

Newspaper articles

Author, A. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of Newspaper*, p. Section#.

Author, A. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of Newspaper*, pp. Section# - Section#.

Online

Author, A. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of Newspaper*. Retrieved from http://URL_of_specific_document

Posadzki, A. (2014, June 4). B.C. teachers considering full-scale strike. *The Globe and Mail*. Retrieved from <http://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/british-columbia/province-can-cut-teachers-pay-during-lockout-bc-labour-relations-board-rules/article18995684/>

Managing Reference Lists

Always remember that your reference list must be in alphabetical order. Your paragraph indent should be set as hanging (all text are indented except the first line).

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Deiter-McArthur, P. (2012). Saskatchewan's Indian people – Five generations. In D. Brundage & M. Lahey, *Acting on words: An integrated rhetoric, research guide, reader, and handbook* (3rd ed.) (pp.379-381). Toronto, ON: Pearson Canada Incorporated. (Reprinted from original source)

Du Gas, B., Esson, L., & Ronaldson, S. (1999). Oxygen needs. In *Nursing foundations: A Canadian perspective* (2nd ed.) (pp. 713-772). Scarborough, ON: Prentice-Hall Canada.

Don't forget to indent the second line of each reference to emphasize the author's name.

Two books by the same author

Use the author's name for all entries and list the entries by the year (earliest comes first):

Davis, C. (2002). Geese in their natural habitat. *Zoology Review*, 4(2). 112-116

Davis, C. (2011). *The flight of the geese*. Toronto, ON: Random House Publishing Inc.

Davis, C., Farrow, A., & Louis, K. (2001). *Man versus textbook*. Toronto, ON: Random House Publishing Inc.

(When an author appears both as a sole author and as the first author of a group in another citation, list the single-author entries first, regardless of the date)

Two references with the same last name but different authors

If the initials of the authors' first names are different:

Alphabetize the reference entries by the initial of the author's first name.

Author, C. (Year of publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Author, H., Author, Q. (Year of Publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

If the initials of the authors' first names are the same

Provide both author's entire first name in square brackets and order the reference entries by the second, or even third or fourth, letter of the first name.

Author, A. [Alfred], & Author, B. (Year of publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Author, A. [Antonio]. (Year of publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.