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SOURCE	MLA FORM	EXAMPLE
Book		
One author	Author Last Name, First Name. <u>Title</u> . Place of Publication: Publisher, Date of Publication.	Potok, Chiam. <u>The Chosen</u> . New York: Fawcett Crest, 1967.
Two authors	Author Last Name, First Name and Author First Name Author Last Name. <u>Title</u> . Place of Publication: Publisher, Date of Publication.	Lawrence, Jerome and Robert Lee. <u>The Night Thoreau Spent in Jail</u> . Toronto: Bantam, 1970.
Several authors	Author Last Name, First Name, et al. <u>Title</u> . Place of Publications: Publisher, date.	Chafe, William H. et al. <u>Civilities And Civil Rights</u> . New York: Oxford University, 1980.
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Magazine Article	Author Last Name, First Name. "Article Title." <u>Magazine Title</u> . Date Published. Inclusive Pages.	Hackworth, Col. David H. "Terms of Forgiveness." <u>Newsweek</u> . 24 Apr 1995. 38-40.
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Work in an Anthology	Critic Last Name, First Name. “Work Title.” <u>Anthology Title</u> . Volume Number. Editor. Place Of Publication: Publisher, Date Published. Inclusive Pages.	Davidson, Clifford. “Macbeth, an Atypical Tragedy.” <u>Readings on Macbeth</u> . Ed Clarice Swisher. San Diego: Greenhaven Press, 1999. 91-97.
Book Review	Name of Reviewer. “Title of Review.” Rev. of <u>Book Title</u> . By Author of <u>Book Magazine Title</u> . Day Month Year Published. Inclusive Pages.	Ricker-Wilson. “When the Mockingbird Becomes and Albatross.” Rev. of <u>To Kill A Mockingbird</u> . By Harper Lee. <u>English Journal</u> . Mar 1998. 20-22.
Introduction	Author of Introduction Last Name, First Name. “Introduction Title.” <u>Title of Book</u> . Place of Publication: Publisher, Date Published. Inclusive Pages.	Matthesen, F.A. “Introduction.” <u>The Oxford Book of American Verse</u> . New York: Oxford UP, 1960. ix-xxxiii.
Pamphlet		
Government	Government Agency. <u>Title</u> . Place of Publication: Publisher, Date of Publication.	State of Maryland, Department Of Education. <u>Great Moments in Maryland’s History: Three Centuries’ Historical Events</u> . Annapolis: Printing Office, 1971.
Other	Editor’s Last Name, First Name. “Title.” <u>Series Title</u> . Place of Publication: Publisher, Date of Publication.	Skabelund, Paul, ed. “Argentina.” <u>Culturgram 1998</u> . Provo: Brigham Young University, 1997.
Personal Interview	Interview Subject Last Name, First Name. Type and Topic of Interview. Place Of Interview. Date of Interview.	Silk, Karen. Personal Interview On importance of health Class. Baltimore, Maryland. 29 Jan 1995.
Film	<u>Title</u> . Director. Distributor. Year.	<u>It’s a Wonderful Life</u> . Dir. Frank Capra. RKO. 1946.
Television	“Episode Title.” Nar/Prod/Dir	“Fear of Violence in the

Program	Last Name, First Name (where appropriate) <u>Program Title</u> . Network/Station. Date.	Elderly.” Nar. Lynn Scherr. Norm Gorim. <u>Sixty Minutes</u> . CBS. 16 Oct 1989.
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No Author	“Title.” <web address> Access Date.	“Abortion Ethics.” < http://ethics.acusd.edu/abortion.html > 29 Mar 2001.