MLA 7 Reference Guide

**Book**

**MLA**
Last, First M. *Book*. City: Publisher, Year Published. Medium.

**Ex:**

**Chapter/Anthology**

**MLA**
Last, First M. “Section Title.” *Book/Anthology*. Ed. First M. Last. Edition. City: Publisher, Year Published. Page(s). Medium.

**Ex:**

*Essays, shorts stories, and poems are put in quotes. Works originally published independently such as plays and novels generally are italicized

**Magazine**

**MLA**
Last, First M. “Article Title.” *Magazine Title* Date Month Year Published: Page(s). Medium.

**Ex:**

**Newspaper**

**MLA**
Last, First M. “Article Title.” *Newspaper Title* Date Month Year Published: Page(s). Medium.

**Ex:**

**Journal**

**MLA**

**Ex:**

**Website**

**MLA**
Last, First M. “Article Title.” *Website Title*. Publisher, Date Month Year. Web. Date Month Year. <URL>.

**Ex:**

**Online Database (Journal)**

**MLA**
Last, First M. “Article Title.” *Journal Title* Volume.Issue (Year): Page(s). Database Name.

**Ex:**

*Note that months in MLA are abbreviated. For example, “February” is “Feb.”

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**TV/ Radio**

MLA  

Ex:  

**Film**

MLA  
Title. Contributors. Distributor, Year of release. Medium viewed.

Ex:  

**Sound Recording**

MLA  
Contributors. “Song.” Album. Band. Manufacturer, Year. Medium.

Ex:  

**Visual Art / Photograph**

MLA  
Last, First M. Title. Year created. Medium of work. Museum / collection, City.

Ex:  

**Lecture / Speech**

MLA  
Last, First M. “Speech.” Meeting / Organization. Location. Date. Description.

Ex:  

**Interview**

MLA  

Ex:  

**Cartoon**

MLA  
Last, First M. “Title.” Cartoon / Comic strip. Publication information. Medium.

Ex:  

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