

# APA Citation Examples for RHS

## Book with one author

### Citation Elements:

Author's Last Name, First Initial. (Date of Publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

### APA:

Freedman, L. (2000). *Kennedy's wars: Berlin, Cuba, Laos, and Vietnam*. New York: Oxford University Press.

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## Book with more than one author

### Citation Elements:

Authors' Last Names, First Initials and Middle Initials (if provided). (Date of Publication). *Title of publication*.  
Place of publication: Publisher.

### APA:

Calfee, R. C., & Valencia, R. R. (1991). *APA guide to preparing manuscripts for journal publication*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

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## Book or article with No Author named

### Citation Elements:

Title of article. (Date of publication). *Publication title*. Page #.

*Title of book*. (Date of publication). Place of publication: Publisher.

### APA:

Cigarette sales fall 30% as California tax rises. (1999, September 14). *New York Times*, A17.

*The digital decade - The 90's: our American century*. (2000). Alexandria, VA: Time-Life Books.

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## Book that is edited

### Citation Elements:

Author's Last Name, First initial. (Eds.). (Date of publication). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

### APA:

Sheehy, N., Chapman, A. J. and Conroy W. (Eds.). (1997). *Biographical dictionary of psychology*. London: Routledge.

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## Chapter of Book

### Citation Elements:

Author of chapter. (Date). Title of chapter. In Editors of book. (Eds.), *Title of book*. (Page #'s of chapter). Place of Publication: Publisher.

### APA:

Berndt, T. J. (1996). Exploring the effects of friendship quality on social development. In W. M. Bukowski, A. F. Newcomb, & W. W. Hartup, (Eds.), *The company they keep: Friendship in childhood and adolescence* (pp. 346-365). Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press.

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## Online Book (eBook Collection)

### Citation Elements:

Author's Last Name, First Initial. (Date). *Title of book*. Place of publication: Publisher. Date of retrieval, name of database.

### APA:

Passmore, K. (1997). *From liberalism to fascism: The right in a French province, 1928-1939*. Cambridge, U.K.: Cambridge University Press. Retrieved from eBook Collection <http://web.ebscohost.com/ehost/>

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### Article from a Reference Book with an Author

**Citation Elements:**

Author's last name, First Initial. (Date). Title of article. *Title of book*. (Vol. #, p. #). Place of publication: Publisher.

**APA:**

Kte'pi, B. (2008). China. *Encyclopedia of stem cell research*. (Vol. 1, pp. 98-100). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications Inc.

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### Article from a Reference Book without an Author

**Citation Elements:**

Title of Article. (Date). *Title of Reference Book*. (Vol. #, p. #). Place of Publication: Publisher.

**APA:**

Tree Shrews. (1996). *Gale encyclopedia of science*. (Vol. 6, pp. 3720-3722). New York: Gale Research.

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### Newspaper Article

**Citation Elements:**

Author's name. (Year Month Day). Title of Article. *Title of Newspaper*, page number(s).

**APA:**

Greeley, A. (1997, May 17). Today's morality play: The sitcom. *New York Times*, p. 1+.

### Newspaper Article w/o Author

**Citation Elements:**

Title of Article. (Year Month Day). *Title of Newspaper*, page number(s).

**APA:**

Study says U.S. students' reading skills top many developed nations. (2003, August 25). *Star Tribune*, p.1A.

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### Magazine Article

**Citation Elements:**

Author's last name, first initial. (Date of article). Title of article. *Title of magazine*, Page #'s.

**APA:**

Poniewozik, J. (2000, November 20). TV makes a too-close call. *Time*, 70-71.

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### Motion Picture, Video or DVD

**Citation Elements:**

Producer, P. P. (Producer), & Director, D.D. (Director). (Date of publication). *Title of motion picture* [Medium of recording]. Country of origin: Studio or distributor.

**APA:**

Isaacs, Sir J., & Mitchell, P. (Producers). (1998). *Cold War*. [VHS]. CNN Perspectives. U.S.: Turner Original Productions.

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### Web Page

**Citation Elements:**

Authors of document. (Date posted). *Title of document*. Retrieved Date, from Name of Website: URL

**APA:**

Felluga, D. (1999, December 17). *Undergraduate guide to literary theory*. Retrieved from Purdue University: <http://omni.cc.purdue.edu%7Efelluga/theory2.html>

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## Article on a Web Site

### Citation Elements:

Author, A. A., & Author, B. B. (Date of publication). Title of article. *Title of journal, volume number* (issue number if available). Retrieved from <http://Web address>.

### APA:

Poland, D. (1998, October 26). The hot button. *Roughcut*. Retrieved from <http://www.roughcut.com>

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## Personal Communications -- *Personal, Telephone, E-mail*

(NOTE: Cite personal communications **in text only**, do not include in bibliography)

### Citation Elements:

Interviewee's First Initial. Last Name (Type of interview Month Date, Year)

### APA:

M. Hatch (telephone interview, August 22, 2005)  
J. K. Rowling (e-mail interview, May 15-20 2005)

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## Twitter & Facebook

### Citation Elements:

Name of person. (year, date). whole post in the title position. If lengthy truncate. [description of form]. Retrieved from URL of the post.

### APA:

BarackObama. (2009a, July 15). Launched American Graduation Initiative to help additional 5 mill. Americans graduate college by 2020: <http://bit.ly/gcTX7> [Twitter post]. Retrieved from <http://twitter.com/BarackObama/status/2651151366>

Barack Obama. (2009, Oct. 9). Humbled. <http://my.barackobama.com/page/community/post/obamaforamerica/> [Facebook update]. Retrieved from [http://www.facebook.com/posted.php?id=6815841748&share\\_id=154954250775&comments=1#s154954250775](http://www.facebook.com/posted.php?id=6815841748&share_id=154954250775&comments=1#s154954250775)

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## Podcasts

### Citation Elements:

Producer's Name (Producer). (Year, Month Day). *Title of program* [Audio podcast] Retrieved from either Database or Web site (URL).

### APA:

Offshore Drilling Loses Support After Gulf Oil Spill. (May 4, 2010). *All Things Considered*, Retrieved May 03, 2013, from Global Reference on the Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources via Gale: <http://find.galegroup.com/grnr/start.do?prodId=GRNR>

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## APA Citation Examples from Library Databases

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**General citation elements for library subscription databases.** (if your citation does not include one of the elements, skip to the next element.)

### Citation Elements:

Author. (Date of publication). Title of article. *Title of magazine/journal*. Volume # (if given). Page #'s. Supplier of Database. Database name. DOI # (Digital Object Identifier) of the article (if available).

\* **Always list the DOI # if there is one. DOI is preferable to a URL.**

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### **Biography in Context (Gale)**

**APA:**

Albert Gore, Jr. (1998). *Encyclopedia of World Biography*, 2nd ed. 17 Vols. Detroit: Gale. Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=BioRC>

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### **Discovering Collection (Gale)**

**APA:**

Jane Addams. (2003). In *U\*X\*L Biographies*. Detroit: U\*X\*L. Retrieved from <http://find.galegroup.com/srcx/start.do?prodId=DC&userGroupName=mnkrosem>

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### **Expanded Academic ASAP (Gale)**

**APA**

O'Sullivan, M. K., & Scott, T. J. (2005). Analyzing student search strategies: making a case for integrating information literacy skills into the curriculum. *Teacher Librarian*, 33(1), 21+. Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=EAIM>

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### **Global Issues in Context (Gale)**

**APA:**

Archaeologists unearth 'first church in the world' in Rihab. (June 9, 2008). *Jordan Times* (Amman, Jordan), p.NA. Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=GIC>

Ghosh, B. (May 2008). Rich doctors and poor patients: market failure and health care systems in developing countries. *Journal of Contemporary Asia*, 38(2). Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=GIC>

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### **Health and Wellness Resource Center (Gale)**

**APA:**

Henney, J. E. (2000, September 13). FDA oncology tools on Internet. (from the Food and Drug Administration). *JAMA, The Journal of the American Medical Association*. 284 (10). Retrieved from <http://galenet.galegroup.com/servlet/HWRC?locID=mnkrosem>

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### **Literature Resource Center (Gale)**

**APA:**

Erisman, F. (1990). The Romantic regionalism of Harper Lee. In R. Matuz & C. Falk (Eds.) *Contemporary Literary Criticism*, (Vol. 60). Detroit: Gale Research *The Alabama Review*, (2). Retrieved from <http://galenet.galegroup.com/servlet/LitRC?locID=mnkrosem>

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### **Opposing Viewpoints (Gale)**

**APA:**

Anthrax. (2003). *Environmental Encyclopedia*. Ed. Marci Bortman, Peter Brimblecombe, Mary Ann Cunningham, and others. Detroit: Gale. Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=OVRC>

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### **Professional Collection (Gale)**

**APA:**

Parsons, B. (February 2003). A tale of two schools' data: Using data to improve student achievement. *Educational Leadership*, 60(5), 66-68. Retrieved from <http://infotrac.galegroup.com/itweb/mnkrosem?db=SP00>

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### **Psychology Collection (Gale)**

**APA:**

Coulter, R. W. S., O'Donnell, L., Schneider, S. K., & Stueve, A. (2012). Cyberbullying, school bullying, and psychological distress: a regional census of high school students. *The American Journal of Public Health*, 102(1), 171+. doi:10.2105/AJPH.2011.300308

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## Science in Context (Gale)

### APA:

Freedman, B. (2004). Dinosaur. In K. L. Lerner and B. W. Lerner (Eds.). *Gale Encyclopedia of Science*. 3rd ed. Detroit: Gale. Retrieved from <http://galenet.galegroup.com/servlet/SciRC?locID=mnkrosem>

Sherman, L. (2004). Forests fight back. *Earth Island Journal*, 19(2), 12. Retrieved from <http://galenet.galegroup.com/servlet/SciRC?locID=mnkrosem>

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## Gale Virtual Reference Library (Gale)

### APA:

Tushnet, M. V. (2003). Desegregation. In S. I. Kutler (Ed.) *Dictionary of American History* (Vol. 3. pp. 14-16). New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. Retrieved from <http://go.galegroup.com/ps/dispatchBasicSearch.do?prodId=GVRL&userGroupName=mnkrosem>

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## EBSCO Databases

**(Databases include:** *Academic Search Premier, Business Source Premier, Regional Business News, MasterFILE Premier, GreenFILE, Alt HealthWatch, Consumer Health Complete, ERIC, Health Source: Consumer Edition, Health Source: Nursing Edition, Points of View Reference Center, Science Reference Center*)

### APA:

Marar, M., McIlvain, N. M., Fields, S. K., & Comstock, R. (2012). Epidemiology of concussions among United States high school athletes in 20 sports. *American Journal of Sports Medicine*, 40(4), 747-755. doi:10.1177/0363546511435626

Silva, L. (2007). Epistemological and theoretical challenges for studying power and politics in information systems. *Information Systems Journal*, 17(2), 165-183. doi: 10.1111/j.1365-2575.2007.00232.x

Miller, C., Ketlhapile, M., Rybasack-Smith, H., & Rosen, S. (2010). Why are antiretroviral treatment patients lost to follow-up? A qualitative study from South Africa. *Tropical Medicine & International Health*, 15, 48-54. doi:10.1111/j.1365-3156.2010.02514.x

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## ProQuest Newsstand

### APA:

Kaufman, M. (1999, August 2). Diagnosis crucial to anxiety disorder. *The Los Angeles Times* (Record Edition), p. 5. Retrieved from ProQuest Newsstand <http://search.proquest.com/docview/421544922?accountid=1630>

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## ERIC Database

### Citation Elements:

Author's last names, first initial. (Date). Title of article. *Journal name* Volume# (Issue #), page #'s. Date of Retrieval, Database name.

### APA:

Willert, J. H., Lenhardt, A. C. (Winter 2003). Tackling school violence does take the whole village. *Educational Forum* 67 (2), 110-8. Retrieved from ERIC at <http://eric.ed.gov/>

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## Online Encyclopedia

### APA:

global warming. (2011). In *Encyclopædia Britannica*. Retrieved from <http://school.eb.com/eb/article-9037044>