

## Atholton High School Media Center MLA Citation Guidelines (From MLA Handbook, 7<sup>th</sup> Edition)

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### **BOOKS (5.5)**

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Author(s) or Editor(s). *Title of Book*. City of Publication: Publisher, Year. **Print**.

*Author –*

- **One Author** – LastName, FirstName
- **One Editor** – LastName, FirstName, **ed.**
- **Two or Three Authors** – LastName1, FirstName1, FirstName2 LastName2, and FirstName3 LastName3.
- **Two or Three Editors** – LastName1, FirstName1, FirstName2 LastName2, and FirstName3 LastName3, **eds.**
- **More than Three Authors** – LastName1, FirstName1, et al.

*Title* – should come from the title page, not from the cover of the book.

### **A WORK IN AN ANTHOLOGY (5.5.6)**

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Author of Work. “Title of Work.” *Title of Book*. **Ed.** FirstName LastName. Publication City: Publisher, Year. Page Numbers. **Print**.

### **AN ARTICLE IN A REFERENCE BOOK (5.5.7)**

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Author of Article (if given). “Article Title.” *Title of Book*. **Ed.** FirstName LastName. Edition (if given) **ed.** **Vol.** VolumeNumber. Publication City, Year. Pages. **Print**.

### **AN ARTICLE IN A MAGAZINE OR JOURNAL (5.4.1)**

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Author of Article (if given). “Article Title.” *Title of Magazine* 1 Jan. Year: Page(s). **Print**.

Author of Article (if given). “Article Title.” *Title of Journal* VolumeNumber.IssueNumber (Year): Page(s). **Print**.

#### **AN ARTICLE IN A NEWSPAPER (5.4.5)**

Author of Article (if given). "Article Title." *Name of Newspaper* 1 Jan. Year: Page(s). **Print.**

#### **AN INTERVIEW CONDUCTED BY ME (5.7.7)**

Person Being Interviewed (Last Name First). **Personal interview.** 1 Jan. Year.

#### **ONLINE SUBSCRIPTION SERVICES**

Citation for original print publication **without** the page number and the word Print - plus the following information. **N. pag.**

*Name of Database.* **Web.** Date of Access.

#### **DOCUMENT FROM AN INTERNET SITE**

Editor of Site (if given), **ed.** "Name of Page." *Name of Web Site.* Name of Sponsoring Organization, CopyrightYear. **Web.**

Date of Access.



#### **DIFFERENCES IN MLA 7<sup>TH</sup> EDITION**

- Any titles that were previously underlined are now italicized.
- URLs are to be included only when they are necessary to guide the reader to the site.
- Publication medium is included, i.e. Print, Web.
- New abbreviations are included in the citation in place of information that is not available as follows:
  - n.p. No place of publication found
  - n.p. No publisher found
  - n.d. No publication date found
  - n.pag. No page numbers found