

## Preparing a Works Cited List (Bibliography, References)

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<b>Essay (from an anthology)</b> → Author. "Title of essay." <u>Title of Book</u> . Editor. City: Publisher, Publication Date. Pages.	Adams, Jacqueline. "Interracial Marriage Cannot Be Treated Identically to Same-Race Marriage." <u>Interracial America: Opposing Viewpoints</u> . Ed. Bonnie Szumksi. San Diego: Greenhaven, 1996. 216-219.
<b>Encyclopedia Article</b> → Author (if known). "Title of Article." <u>Encyclopedia Title</u> . Edition year.	Kuehl, Warren F., Jr. "Peace." <u>Encyclopedia Americana</u> . 1996 ed.
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<b>Newspaper article</b> → Author. "Title of Article." <u>Newspaper Name</u> Date, Edition (if available): Section Page.	Mifflin, Lawrie. "TV Ratings are Mired in Demand by Industry." <u>New York Times</u> 25 July 1997, natl ed.: A10.

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