

APA Style

6th edition

Periodical Articles

Rule #

Magazine Article

7.01 #7

General Format:

Author, A. A., Author, B. B. (Year, Month). Title of article. *Title of Periodical*, vol#(issue #), page numbers.

Wallace, A. (2009, November). An epidemic of fear: How panicked parents skipping shots endangers us all. *Wired*, 17(11), 128-135, 166-170.

PRINT
EXAMPLE

Articles retrieved from an electronic source (library database, publisher website, etc.) require a "Retrieved from" statement that includes the web address of the publisher like this:

Wallace, A. (2009, November). An epidemic of fear: How panicked parents skipping shots endangers us all. *Wired*, 17(11), 128-135, 166-170.
Retrieved from <http://www.wired.com>

ONLINE
EXAMPLE

Magazine Article with No Author Given

Genius defined. (2006, December) *Newsweek*, 148(25), 8. Retrieved from <http://www.newsweek.com>

ONLINE
EXAMPLE

Newspaper Article

7.01 #10

Gregg, J. (2009, September 13). Spotlight on Pittsburgh: World leaders meet at D.L. Lawrence. *North Campus Voice*, pp. 1,3.

Journal Article (print or online) with a DOI (Digital Object Identifier)

7.01

General Format:

Author, A. A., Author, B. B. (Year). Title of article. *Title of Periodical*, vol#(issue #), page numbers. doi # if available

For journals, provide an issue number (in parenthesis after the volume number) only if the cited periodical starts each issue at page 1.

Mosher, C., & Danoff-Burg, S. (2007). Death anxiety and cancer-related stigma: A terror management analysis. *Death Studies*, 31(10), 885-907.
doi:10.1080/07481180701603360

For items with eight or more authors, list the first six followed by an ellipsis [...] and then the last author:

7.01 #2

Alonso, P., Gratacòs, M., Menchón, J., Segalàs, C., González, J., Labad, J.,...
Estivill, X. (2008). Genetic susceptibility to obsessive-compulsive hoarding: the contribution of neurotrophic tyrosine kinase receptor type 3 gene. *Genes, Brain & Behavior*, 7(7), 778-785. doi:10.1111/j.1601-183X.2008.00418.x

Journal Article – without a DOI (print or online)

7.01 #3

Dunning, T. (2009). Periodontal disease - The overlooked diabetes complication. *Nephrology Nursing Journal*, 36(5), 489-495.

PRINT
EXAMPLE

Journal articles without a DOI that were retrieved from an electronic source (library database, publisher website, etc.) require a "Retrieved from" statement that includes the web address of the journal publisher (see APA Manual p. 199):

Hegge, M. and Fischer, C. (2000). Grief responses of senior and elderly widows: practical implications. *Journal of Gerontological Nursing*, 26(2), 35-43. Retrieved from <http://www.jognonline.com/>

ONLINE
EXAMPLE

Websites

General Format:

Author. A. A. (date of publication or "n.d." if no date is given). *Title of document*. Retrieved from <http://www.somesite.com>

American Psychological Association. (n.d.) *Treatment for anorexia and bulimia*. Retrieved from <http://www.apa.org/topics/eating/treatment.aspx>

Blog Post

7.11

McAdoo, T. (2009, December 15). You can quote me on this [Web log post]. Retrieved from <http://blog.apastyle.org/apastyle/2009/12/you-can-quote-me-on-this.html>

Online Video

PeabodyLibrary. (2007, August 27). Scholarly vs. popular periodicals [Video file]. Retrieved from <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VeyR30Yq1tA>

Books (Monographs, Dictionaries, Encyclopedias, etc.)

Book with One Author

Rowling, J. K. (1998). *Harry Potter and the sorcerer's stone*. New York: A.A. Levine Books.

Book with Two to Seven Authors

Swanson, C.R., Chamelin, N.C., Territo, L., & Taylor, R.W. (2009). *Criminal investigation*. New York: McGraw-Hill.

For books with eight or more authors follow the same pattern as described in the Alonso, P. example on the previous page.

Book with Editor

Roberts, R. (Ed.). (2000). *Pittsburgh sports: Stories from the steel city*. Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press.

Book with Corporate Author

(Book written by a named group, agency, or organization with no person named)

Natl. Commission on Terrorist Attacks upon the United States. (2004). *The 9/11 commission report: Final report of the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks upon the United States*. Washington, DC: Natl. Commission on Terrorist Attacks upon the United States.

Essay in Book

7.02

Scheier, M.F., Carver, C.S., & Bridges, M. W. (2000). Optimism, pessimism, and psychological well-being. In E. Chang (Ed.), *Optimism & pessimism: Implications for theory, research, and practice* (pp. 189-216). Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Encyclopedia or Dictionary Entries

7.02

Bergmann, P.G. (1993). Relativity. In *The new encyclopaedia Britannica* (Vol. 26, pp. 501-508). Chicago: Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Myriad. (1996). In R. Burchfield (Ed.), *The new Fowler's modern English usage* (p. 510). Oxford, United Kingdom: Oxford University Press.

See the *APA Handbook* for additional examples and explanatory information. Available in the library (call number: **BF 76.7. P83**) Questions? Ask us at the reference desk!