

## ARTICLES FROM ONLINE (not database) JOURNALS WITH ISSUE-BY-ISSUE PAGINATION -- CITATION RULES --

*\*Red = rules/notes of special interest*

Article citations contain different elements depending on the type of periodical (journal, magazine, newspaper, online, etc.). **The following rules and examples apply to articles in online (not database) journals that have print counterparts and paginate each issue separately (each issue starts with page one).**

Citations for articles from journals that paginate each issue separately that you access online (not using databases) can include the following elements. **The citation includes publication information and may require a retrieval statement as explained below.** See the APA handbook for more details.

- Use double spacing with hanging indent.
- **Author's name** (last name, initials) -- If there's more than one author, follow the name with a comma and ampersand (, &).
  - ~ Additional authors are listed in the same manner (last name, initials).
  - ~ **For more than six authors, list the first six and abbreviate the others as et al.**
  - ~ Do not put a period after author entries when initials are used. Put a period after group or corporate authors.
  - ~ If no author is given, start the entry with the item's title -- followed by a period.
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  - ~ If no date is available, use n.d. in parentheses.
  - ~ Write in press in parentheses for articles that have been accepted, but are not yet published. Do not use a date until the article has been published.
- **Title of the article** -- followed by a period if additional identifying information is not given.
  - ~ Capitalize the first word of a title, the first word of a subtitle, and all proper nouns.
  - ~ Do not italicize or put quotation marks around the title.
  - ~ **In brackets, indicate if the article was only accessed electronically.** Capitalize only the first word of the identifying information. End with a period. [Electronic version].
- **Title of the journal** (italicized) -- followed by a comma.
  - ~ Use the journal's full title.
  - ~ Use upper and lower case for the title (capitalize first, last, and all major words).
- **Volume number** (italicized).
  - ~ Do not use Vol. before the number.
  - ~ If no volume number is given, include the month or season with the year entry. For example (2001, Summer).
- **Issue number** -- in parentheses -- followed by a comma.
  - ~ Put immediately after the volume number (do not leave a space between them).
  - ~ Do not italicize.
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- **If the online article differs in appearance or content from the original print article** (e.g. the format differs from the print version, page numbers are omitted, it has commentary or other additions, etc.) add the date of retrieval and the URL.
  - ~ Retrieved Date, from URL (Ex. Retrieved December 7, 2008, from <http://gradpsych.apags.org/2008/11/loans.html>)
  - ~ If a URL is too long, break it after a slash, before a period, or before another punctuation mark. Do not insert hyphens.
  - ~ Do not put a period at the end of this element.

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### Example Citations and Reference List

Clay, R. A. (2008). Shrinking student loans: The mortgage crisis is reverberating in the student lending industry, but funding is still available [Electronic version]. *Gradpsych*, 6(4). Retrieved December 7, 2008, from <http://gradpsych.apags.org/2008/11/loans.html>

McCann, B. M. (2006). The relationship between learning styles, learning environments, and student success [Electronic version]. *Journal of Agricultural Education*, 47(3), 14-23.

NOTE: The McCann article is available in pdf format and no notes indicate that it differs from the original article in the print journal. Therefore, retrieval date and URL are not required.