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Richards, A. [adriarichards]. (2011, June 4). *Camtasia Studio, Snagit and Jing review* [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wpUonhKub-Q

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Browseroperations. (2011, December 22). *Tile Tabs - Firefox extension in action* [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HPO3wGM9qXw

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For information on finding the DOI of an item, please see the section of this brochure on "Digital Object Identifiers."

Simons, M., Bernaards, C., & Slinger, J. (2012). Active gaming in Dutch adolescents: A descriptive study. *The International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, 9*(1), 118-128. https://doi.org/10.1186/1479-5868-9-118

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If you did not access the article through a TRU library database, give the URL of the journal's website.

Akin, D., & Huang, L. M. (2019). Perceptions of college students with disabilities. *Journal of Postsecondary Education and Disability, 32*(1), 21-33. https://www.ahead.org/professional-resources/publications/jped/archived-jped/jped-volume-32

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E-books follow the same format as print books, with the addition of the DOI (if present).

Carrillo, R. A., Malhotra, S., & Pérez, K. (2013). *Answer the call : Virtual migration in Indian call centers*. University of Minnesota Press. https://doi.org/10.5749/minnesota/9780816689385.001.0001

E-Book with no DOI, accessed online (Google Books)
Harris, M. (2017). *Kids these days: Human capital and the making of millennials.* Little, Brown. https://books.google.ca/books?id=g3BFDgAAQBAJ

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Newspaper/Magazine Article
Yancy, G. (2020, February 26). How does a Buddhist monk face death? *The New York Times.* https://www.nytimes.com/2020/02/26/opinion/buddhist-monk-death.html

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Webpage with Corporate Author—Date or No Date
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Apple Inc. (2020). *Privacy*. https://www.apple.com/privacy/

National Endowment for the Humanities. (n.d.). *A literary glossary for literature and language arts*. EDSITEment. https://edsitement.neh.gov/teachers-guides/literary-glossary-literature-and-language-arts

Blog Post
Lee, C. (2019, October 21). Welcome, singular "they." *APA Style Blog*. https://apastyle.apa.org/blog/singular-they

Entry in an Online Reference Work
An entry in a reference work is treated like a chapter in book.

Driver, J. (2014). The history of utilitarianism. In E. N. Zalta (Ed.), *The Stanford encyclopedia of philosophy* (Winter 2014 Edition). https://plato.stanford.edu/entries/utilitarianism-history/

Wikipedia Article
Be sure to ask your instructor whether Wikipedia is an acceptable source for your assignment. Since Wikipedia articles are edited frequently, include the date of retrieval.

DNA. (n.d.). In *Wikipedia*. Retrieved January 15, 2020, from https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DNA

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Sinha, M. (2014). *Parenting and child support after separation or divorce* (Statistics Canada Catalogue No.89-652-X-No.001). Statistics Canada. https://www150.statcan.gc.ca/n1/pub/89-652-x/89-652-x2014001-eng.pdf

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If a report has no personal author listed, then the name of the government agency's website is not included after the report title.

Public Safety Canada. (2018). *2009-2010 evaluation of the First Nations Policing Program*. https://www.publicsafety.gc.ca/cnt/rsrcs/pblctns/vltn-frst-ntns-plcng-2009-10/index-en.aspx

Statistics Canada. (2010). *Child and spousal support: Maintenance enforcement survey statistics 2009/2010* (Statistics Canada Catalogue No. 85-228-X). https://www150.statcan.gc.ca/n1/pub/85-228-x/85-228-x2011000-eng.pdf

Fact Sheets, Brochures, etc.
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United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. (n.d.) *Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome* [Fact sheet]. https://www.cdc.gov/hantavirus/pdf/hps-fact-sheet.pdf