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- Please **note** the change in the use of **ellipses** as well. **Put them in brackets [...]**.

## CITATIONS

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### **BOOK – ONE AUTHOR 4.6.1**

Jones, Mark. The Way Out. New York: Oxford, 1998.

### **BOOK – TWO OR THREE AUTHORS 4.6.4**

Jakobson, Roman, and Linda R. Waugh. The Sound Shape of Language. Bloomington: Indiana UP, 1999.

### **BOOK WITH FOUR OR MORE AUTHORS 4.6.4**

Marine, April, et al. Internet: Getting Started. Englewood Cliffs: PTR Prentice Hall, 1994.

### **BOOK – CORPORATE AUTHOR 4.6.6**

National Allergy Association. Allergies in Children. New York: Random, 1998.

### **BOOK – WITH AN EDITOR 4.6.2**

Ruitenbeek, Hendrick, ed. Freud As We Knew Him. Detroit: Wayne State UP, 1973.

### **BOOK – WITH AN AUTHOR AND AN EDITOR**

Shakespeare, William. Macbeth. Ed. Sylvan Barnet. New York: Signet NAL, 1963.

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"Mandarin." Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary. 10<sup>th</sup> ed. 1993.

"Mohanty, Jitendra M. "Indian Philosophy." The New Encyclopedia Britannica: Macropaedia. 15<sup>th</sup> ed. 1987.

### **Anonymous Book 4.6.11**

A Guide to Our Federal Lands. Washington: Natl. Geographic Soc., 1984.

### **Work in an Anthology 4.6.7**

Alvarez, Julia. "Snow." Elements of Literature: Third Course. Ed. Mary Bulkot. Austin: Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 2000. 214-15.

### **ARTICLE IN A MAGAZINE 4.7.6**

Armstrong, Larry. "Iran Contra." Newsweek 28 Feb. 1987: 61-70.

### **ARTICLE IN A NEWSPAPER 4.7.5**

Barnes, Fred. "Judge Rules on Case." New York Times 30 Dec. 1993: C1+.

### **PAMPHLET 4.6.20**

Medical Answers About AIDS. New York: Health Crisis, 1994.

### **FILM OR VIDEO RECORDING 4.8.3**

Schindler's List. Dir. Steven Spielberg. Perf. Liam Neeson and Ben Kingsley. Universal, 1993.

### **INTERVIEW 4.8.7**

Graaf, Vera. Personal Interview. 19 Dec. 1993.

### **\*LESSER KNOWN REFERENCE BOOKS 4.6.9 last section**

Trainen, Isaac N. "Religious Directives in Medical Ethics." Encyclopedia of Bioethics. Ed. Warren T. Reich. 4 vols. New York: Harcourt, 1999.

**\*Note for above: when only one volume is used then that volume is listed instead of the total number of volumes in set. (Rule 4.6.15)**

### **CULTURGRAMS**

"Afghanistan." Orem, UT: CultureGrams, 2001.

### **TAKING SIDES ARTICLES**

Fitzgerald, Faith T. "The Tyranny of Health." The New England Journal of Medicine: 196-198.

Reprinted in Taking Sides: Clashing Views on Controversial Issues in Health and Society.

Ed. Eileen L. Daniel. Guilford, CT: Dushkin Publishing Group, 1996.

### **CD-ROMS 4.9.5 CHOICES**

"Artist." Choices. CD-ROM. 2001 ed. Canada: Careerware, 2001.

"Calmium." Interactive Periodic Table. CD-ROM. Oxford: Antica Cybernetics, 1993.

## **WWW SITES: WORLD WIDE WEB 4.9**

**\*All of these internet site entries place period at the end of the access date before the web address. The 5<sup>th</sup> edition does not put a period at the end of the access date. Also, when writing the entry, students should put their school's name in place of Cave Spring High School. Please use an MLA guide when making decisions about how to document online resources.**

### **GENERAL INTERNET**

Author (if given). "Title." Date of material (if given). Date of access <URL address>.

**DISCOVERING COLLECTION** ...including Discovering Authors, Discovering Biography, Discovering Multi-cultural America, Discovering Science, Discovering U.S. History, Discovering World History, Exploring Poetry, and Exploring Shakespeare.

#### **A representative citation follows:**

"Study Questions for Thomas Jefferson." DISCovering Authors. Gale Group, 1999. Cave Spring

High School Library, Roanoke. 15 December 2000

<<http://galenet.galegroup.com/servlet/DC/>>.

**FACTS ON FILE SUITE** ...including World News Digest (1989-2002), Facts On File News Archive (1950-79), World News Special Features, Reuters News (last two weeks), Today's Science, World Almanac, and World Almanac Encyclopedia.

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"Rice Genome Completed." Today's Science. FACTS.com. Cave Spring High School Library,

Roanoke. 23 April 2002 <<http://www.2facts.com/TSOF/ts-main.asp>>.

### **INFOTRAC**

Jones, Mark. "Perspectives on George Bush." Newsweek International. 22 April 2002. Infotrac.

Cave Spring High School Library, Roanoke. 23 April 2002 <<http://infotrac.galegroup.com/>

itweb/cave\_springhs>.

### **ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES**

"Hate Speech." Issues and Controversies On File. FACTS.com. Cave Spring High School Library,

Roanoke. 21 February 2000 <<http://www.2facts.com/>>.

### **ONLINE ENCYCLOPEDIA**

Cochrum, E. Lindell. "Manatee." Encyclopedia Americana Online. 2002. Grolier Inc. 8 June 2002

<<http://go.grolier.com/gol>>.

## **SIRS**

Author. "Article Title." Original Source of Article Date of original source: page numbers. Name of the Database Used. Name of the Service. Library where database was accessed, Location of library. Date of Access <URL of service's homepage>.

## **Example**

Frick, Robert. "Investing in Medical Miracles." Kiplinger's Personal Finance. Feb. 1999: 80-87.

SIRS Researcher. SIRS Knowledge Source. Cave Spring High School Library, Roanoke.

10 Feb. 2000. <<http://sks.sirs.com/>>.

## **OPPOSING VIEWPOINTS**

Pipes, Daniel. "The Attacks Were Part of Militant Islam's War Against America." The Attack on

America: September 11, 2001. Ed., William Dudley. At Issue Series. Greenhaven

Press: 2002. 3 October 2001. Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center. Cave Spring

High School Library, Roanoke. 29 September 2003.

<<http://www.galenet.com/servlet/OVRC>>.

## **BIG CHALK LIBRARY**

Layleh, Jon. "International Mediators Spoil War For Liberia." Newsweek.

29 June 2003: 23. Big Chalk Library. Cave Spring High School, Roanoke, Virginia. 17

Sept 2003. <<http://bigchalk.com/cigi-net/>>.