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Books

Print Books (Whole)

Book, 1 author


Book, 2 authors


Book, 3 authors, edition


Book, 1 editor


Book, 2 editors


Book, 3 editors, edition, used one volume of a multi-volume set


Print Books (Part)

Poem in a book, 1 author


Short story in a book, 1 author, 1 editor

Encyclopedia article, author

Encyclopedia article, no author, from a multi-volume set, edition

Word in a dictionary, no author

Map in an atlas, no author

Photograph of artwork, in a book, no author, 2 editors

Books (Whole or Part) Found in a Library Database

Book, in a library database, 1 author

Article in a book, library database, 2 authors, edition

Article in a book, library database, 2 editors
Books (Whole or Part) Found on the Internet

Word in a dictionary, Internet, publisher is same as Web site title (so do not list publisher)


Encyclopedia article, Internet, publisher is same as Web site title (so do not list publisher)


E-Books

E-book, 1 author, downloaded to a device


E-book, 1 author, read on a Web site


E-book, 1 editor, read on a Web site


Periodicals

Magazine article, print, non-consecutive pages


Magazine article, Internet, timestamp after the date


Magazine article, library database, (title of magazine and database are the same)

Magazine article, library database, no author


Newspaper article, print, local (not national), city not already in newspaper’s name


Newspaper article, Internet, national


Newspaper article, library database, no author, no page listed


Internet Web sites

Entire Web site, author same as publisher


Page on a Web site, different author and publisher, Web site title same as publisher


Video Recording

Film, viewed on DVD (or on television or in a theater)


Film, viewed on Hulu


Episode of television program, viewed on publisher’s own Web site

Episode of video podcast series, viewed on YouTube


Audio Recording

Song on an album


Song on an album, listened to on artist’s own Web site, performers as author


Song, no album, listened to on a Web site, author is songwriter


Song on an album, listened to on Pandora


Album, artist is a group


Episode of a radio program (or podcast), listened to on publisher’s own Web site


Speech, listened to on a Web site


Poem, listened to from a library database

Artwork, Image, Object, Photograph, Model

Painting, titled, viewed in a museum

Object, untitled (you provide a description), viewed in a museum
Gate, Simon. Glass bowl with cover and stand. 1928, Art Institute of Chicago.

Artifact, untitled (you provide a description), unknown creator, estimated date, viewed in a museum
Covered wagon. [Circa 1860], Oregon Historical Society, Portland.

Sculpture, titled, viewed in an outdoor public space

Personal Interview

Students interview an author, by video chat

Personal interview of the conductor of a local symphony, by telephone

Personal interview of a school principal by two students, in person

Field Trip, Event, or Live Experience

Lecture heard during a field trip, attended in person

Concert, attended in person
E-mail

E-mail, title is subject line

Yazzolino, Gail. "Question about Oregon Trail." Received by Emily Chang, 17 Sept. 2016.


Social Media (Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest, etc.)

Tweet from Twitter, pseudonym (real name added), title is entire tweet, no timestamp given

@Pontifex (Pope Francis). "Let us carry Mother Teresa’s smile in our hearts and give it to those whom we meet along our journey." Twitter, 4 Sept. 2016, twitter.com/Pontifex/status/772396413258903552.

Post from Facebook, title is text of entire post, timestamp given

@oregonzoo. "Routine health exams at our veterinary center result in some spookily spectacular X-rays." Facebook, 19 Oct. 2016, 12:57 p.m., www.facebook.com/oregonzoovideos/10153852775466109.