

Citing Sources and Formatting Quiz

LATEST SUBMISSION GRADE

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1. What is EasyBib?

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- ☐ It's a website that will create a Works Cited page or References list for you.
- ☐ It's a piece of cloth that you easily tie around your neck to keep food off of your shirt when you eat.
- ☒ It's a website that helps students format their Works Cited page or References list.

✓ Correct

It will assist you in creating the page.

2. True or False?

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If you paste a link to your online source in the EasyBib website, EasyBib will always supply all of the information you need to format your Works Cited entry.

- ☐ True
- ☒ False

It often does not find all of the information for the Works Cited entry, so you will have to supply additional information from the source.

3. Use the following link to the Purdue Owl website and click on the appropriate tab on the left to answer questions about creating a Works Cited page for book sources.

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[Purdue Owl MLA](#) (This will open in a new window.)

According to MLA 8th ed., which of the following is *not* a correct Works Cited entry for a book?

- ☐ Option:

Gleick, James. *Chaos: Making a New Science*. London, The Folio Society, 2015.

- ☒ Option:

Hogan, Gina B. *Building Better Paragraphs*. Australia, Wadsworth Cengage Learning.

- ☐ Option:

---. *The Films of the Eighties: A Social History*. Carbondale, Southern Illinois

University Press, 1995.

- ☐ Option:

Avery, Peter, and Susan Lynn. Ehrlich. *Teaching American English Pronunciation*. Oxford, Oxford University Press, 2012.

✓ Correct

On the Purdue Owl site, click on MLA Works Cited Page: Books. Then scroll down to Basic Format to see if this book entry has all of the required parts. (This example is not on the website, but you should be able to figure out if it is formatted correctly by reading about the basic format.) The date is missing in this entry, so it is incorrect.

4. Use the following link to the Purdue Owl website and click any tab you need to to answer the question below about this sample Works Cited page shown.

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In this Works Cited page using MLA 8th ed., which kinds of sources are A, B, and C? Choose the answer below that identifies all three sources correctly.

A

Dean, Cornelia. "Executive on a Mission: Saving the Planet." *The New York Times*, The New York Times, 21 May 2007. www.nytimes.com/2007/05/22/science/earth/22ndep.html. Accessed 20 Mar. 2017.

B

"Deforestation: Solved via Carbon Markets?" *Environmental Defense Fund*, Environmental Defense Fund, www.edf.org/climate/deforestation-solved-carbon-markets. Accessed 20 Mar. 2017.

C

Leroux, Marcel. *Global Warming: Myth or Reality?: The Erring Ways of Climatology*. Chichester, UK, Praxis Publishing Ltd, 2010.

- ☐ A. article with an author from an electronic source
- ☐ B. interview from an electronic source
- ☐ C. article with no author from an electronic source
- ☐ A. article with no author from an electronic source
- ☐ B. article with an author from an electronic source
- ☐ C. article with two authors from an electronic source
- ☒ A. article with an author from an electronic source
- ☐ B. article with no author from an electronic source
- ☐ C. printed book

✓ Correct

Yes! These are correct citations in MLA 8th ed.

5. Use the following link to the Purdue Owl website and click on the MLA *Abbreviations* tab on the left. Then scroll down to find the answer to the question below.

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According to MLA 8th ed. what is the correct way to write the month, January, in the publication date for a journal in a Works Cited page?

- ☐ January
- ☐ Janu.
- ☒ Jan.
- ☐ Jan

✓ Correct

Click *Abbreviations* on the left menu. Scroll down to *Abbreviations in Citations* and look at the rules for *Time Designations*. This is the same in MLA 8th ed. as in the previous version.

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