**Turabian/Chicago Style**

Note: This document should only be used as a reference and should not replace assignment guidelines. This document gives instruction for Note-Bibliography style references. For information on Author-Date style or for more information in general, see *A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations: Chicago Style for Students and Researchers*, 8th edition.

**Getting Started**

**Title Page**

Class papers should begin with a title page (though some put the title on the first page of the text, as shown below; consult your instructor).

Place the title of the paper 1/3 of the way down the page, centered. If the paper has a main title and a subtitle, place the main title on a single line, followed by a colon, and begin the subtitle on the next line. Place your name 2/3 down the page, along with any information requested by your instructor, such as the course title and date. For a general format, consult Kate Turabian’s *A Manual for Writers*, 8th edition (p. 376).

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**Format**

Use 12-point Times New Roman font on all pages of the paper. Double space the text, but single space the footnotes and endnotes. Leave a one-inch margin on all four sides of the document. For a thesis or dissertation, a bigger margin (1 ½ inches) may be needed (p. 372-373).
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If it had not been for this secret coding, perhaps the outcome of the Second World War would have been dramatically different. Yet because the information unveiled was so critical, the cryptoanalysts literally saved the day.3

The ability to decipher the code of the enemy enabled the allies to get the upper hand in WWII. American historian Thomas Powers wrote the following: (or Thomas Powers said,)

The American ability to read Japanese cables, code-named Magic, was one of the small advantages that helped the Allies win time and then the war. Another was the British ability to read the German military communications enciphered with the Enigma machine, code-named Ultra. (Powers 1977, 22)

Considering Powers’ contribution to the development of the coding system within warfare, it is not surprising that each side in the war.

3. Alan Cutler, Codes in Abodes (Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1943), 110.

Endnotes

Rather than footnotes, your instructor may require endnotes. These are found at the conclusion of the paper, but before the bibliography. In-text citations still appear as superscript numerals, but the actual entries are found at the end of the paper, preceded by full-sized numbers with periods. Label the page Notes, and as with footnotes, the first line is indented and endnotes are single spaced. (p. 157; A.14)
Block Quotations

Block quotations are quotations 5 lines or longer. They do not have quotation marks around them. Introduce the quotation in your own words in the text.

Block quotations are single spaced and indented as a new paragraph from the left. If the block quotation is an entire paragraph from the original text, the 1st line should be indented 1.5 to 2 inches by pressing tab twice.

If you introduce the quotation with a complete sentence, end the sentence with a colon.

If you use a phrase such as notes, claims, argues, or according to along with the author’s name, end the phrase with a comma.

If you weave the quotation into the syntax of your sentence, do not use any punctuation before the quotation (p. 349).

If you use multiple paragraphs in a block quotation, indent them as they are indented in the text, but do not add extra line space between them.

Block quotations may use a superscript number and footnote or endnote, or instead, they may be followed by parenthetical citations (Author’s last name, year of publication, page number) with the punctuation before the citation (p. 349-350).

Jackson begins by evoking the importance of home:

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He observed that

> Governments ordinarily perish by powerlessness or by tyranny. In the first case, power escapes them; in the other, it is torn from them. Many people, on seeing democratic states fall into anarchy, have thought that government in these states was naturally weak and powerless. The truth is that when war among their parties has once been set aflame, government loses its action on society. (Tocqueville, 248)
Using Ibid. and Shortened References

Within footnotes or endnotes, identical source information need not be repeated. The abbreviation “Ibid.” indicates that the note refers to the same information as the previous reference. Use it to replace the author’s name, the title, and any other identical information. If the note refers to a different page number, include the correct page number (p. 161).

If an author’s work has already been referenced but does not immediately precede the note in question, simply list the author’s last name and the page number. (p. 158).

Bibliography

In addition to endnotes or footnotes, a bibliography is required at the end of the paper. If endnotes are used, the bibliography comes after endnotes. It should list all sources that were looked at or consulted, whether or not they are referenced in the paper. The title should be centered and in all capital letters but not underlined, italicized, or bolded (p. 402).

Arrangement, Indentation, and Spacing

Arrange bibliographical entries in alphabetical order by the author’s last name. If there is no author for a work, list it alphabetically by the title (excluding the, a, and an).

Unlike foot and endnotes, which indent the first line, use a hanging indent for entries that continue onto subsequent lines. Indent 1/2” from the set margins after the first line of each entry (p. 221).

Each entry should be single spaced.
Citation Guidelines

Use the following formats for the most common types of sources. For further information, consult chapters 16 and 17 of Kate Turabian’s *A Manual for Writers*, 8th edition.

N = Note Format and B = Bibliography Format.

Electronic Document (p. 139-140, 149, 15.4.; p. 197, 17.7.1)

There are two categories of online sources:

First are those that are available in print and accessible online, e.g. journal articles, magazine and newspaper articles, etc.

In this case, you will simply cite the source as you would for its print version and then add the date of access and the URL, or the database through which you accessed the source at the end of the citation like so:

**N** (FOR A JOURNAL ARTICLE) First Name Last Name, “Article Title,” *Journal Title* Volume Number, no. Issue Number (Date): page, date of access, URL.


**B** Last Name, First Name. “Article Title.” *Journal Title* Volume Number, no. Issue Number (Date): pages, date of access, URL.


The second kind of online source is a website that is only accessible through the internet:

In this case, you will include as much of the following information as possible in your citation: author, title of the page, title or owner of the site, and publication or revision date. Also include an access date and a URL. Normally you can limit citations of WEBSITE content to the foot or end notes. Include a specific item in your bibliography only if it is crucial to your argument, frequently cited, or both.

**N** First name Last name, “Title of the Page,” Publisher, date published, date of access, URL.


**B** Last name, first name, “Title of Page,” Publisher, date published, date of access, URL.

Book by a Single Author (p. 146, 16.1; p. 166, 17.1.1)

N  First Name Last Name, *Title* (Location: Publisher, Year), pages.

B  Last Name, First Name. *Title*. Location: Publisher, Year.

Book by Two Authors (p. 146, 16.1)

N  First Name Last Name and First Name Last Name, *Title* (Location: Publisher, Year), pages.

B  Last Name, First Name, and First and Last Name. *Title*. Location: Publisher, Year.

Book with No Author Given (p. 168, 17.1.1.5)

N  *Title* (Location: Publisher, Year), Pages.

B  *Title*. Location: Publisher, Year.

Text in Collected Works (p. 180, 17.1.8.3)

N  Author’s First Name Last Name, “Title of Text,” in *Title of Collected Works*, ed. Editor’s First Name Last Name (Location: Publisher, Year), pages.

B  Last Name, First Name. “Title of Text.” In *Title of Collected Works*, ed. First Name Last Name, pages.

Article in a Newspaper (p. 186-188, 17.4)

N  First Name Last Name, “Title of Article,” *Title of Newspaper*, Day Month Year.

B  Newspapers are rarely listed separately in a bibliography. If a newspaper is cited only once or twice, a footnote, endnote, or parenthetical note is sufficient.