

Las Positas College Library

NoodleBib Tip Sheet

Literature Resource Center and LitFinder

MLA

Note: you will need to read each page carefully if you are citing an item (example, abstract of a journal article, cartoon, etc.) in each of the sections below. When you are typing in the specific information (example, title and author). NoodleBib provides instructions each step of the way.

Article from a Book – Biographies or Literary Criticism in Literature Resource Center (MLA)

Look carefully at the article to see if the article is from a book.

- Choose the “Periodicals -- Journal” citation type
- Select “Reprint in a book”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “Subscription database” for the content
- Enter “Literature Resource Center” as the Name of the database
- Verify the name of the database is Literature Resource Center
- Do NOT change the URL information. The Library has set this up for you.
- Note: The source citation information about the book is at the bottom of the article.

Magazine Article – Biographies or Literary Criticism in Literature Resource Center (MLA)

Look carefully at the article to see if the article is from a magazine.

- Choose the “Periodicals -- Magazine” citation type
- Select “Magazine”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “An article” as the source
- Select “Yes, information about a print publication is provided”
- Select “Subscription database” for the content
- Enter “Literature Resource Center” as the Name of the Database
- Verify the name of the database is Literature Resource Center
- Do NOT change the URL information. The Library has set this up for you.
- Note: The source citation information about the book is at the bottom of the article.

Article (Poem, Essay, etc.) from LitFinder (MLA)

- Choose the “Nonperiodicals -- Book” citation type
- Select “Book”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “A chapter or part of the book” as the source
- Select “Subscription database” for the content
- Enter “LitFinder” as the Name of the Database
- Verify the name of the database is LitFinder
- Do NOT change the URL information. The Library has set this up for you.
- Note: The source citation information about the book is at the bottom of the article.

APA

Article from a Book – Biographies or Literary Criticism in Literature Resource Center (APA)

Look carefully at the article to see if the article is from a book.

- Choose the “Periodicals -- Journal” citation type
- Select “Reprint in a book”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “Aggregated database” for the content
- Enter the information about the Book, Reprinted Material when you get to the field “Name of aggregated database” enter “Literature Resource Center”
- Do NOT enter the URL information. APA does not require URL information
- Enter “” as the Name of the database
- Note: The source citation information about the book is at the bottom of the article

Magazine Article – Biographies or Literary Criticism in Literature Resource Center (APA)

Look carefully at the article to see if the article is from a magazine article.

- Choose the “Periodicals -- Magazine” citation type
- Select “Magazine”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “A basic magazine article” as the source
- Select “Aggregated database” for the content
- Enter the information about the magazine when you get to the field “Name of aggregated database” enter “Literature Resource Center”
- Do NOT enter the URL information. APA does not require URL information.
- Note: The source citation information about the article is at the bottom of the article

Article (Poem, Essay, etc.) from LitFinder (APA)

- Choose the “Nonperiodicals -- Book” citation type
- Select “Reprint of a nonperiodical source”
- Select “Online” as the publication medium
- Select “Aggregated database” for the content
- Enter the information about the magazine when you get to the field “Name of aggregated database” enter “LitFinder”
- Do NOT enter the URL information. APA does not require URL information.
- Note: The source citation information about the book is at the bottom of the article.