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Writers include an MLA Works Cited list at the end of essays and research papers to indicate what sources they've used in their papers. The following are a few *representative examples* based on the *MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers*, 7th ed., LB2369.G53 2009. The MLA Handbook should be your final authority regarding proper citation format.

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A document found on a general Internet site

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Shapiro, Ari. "Whistling Orangutan Impresses Zoo Researchers." *Morning Edition*. NPR, 20
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Gates, Tessa. "Egg-citing Easter Fun." *Farmers Weekly* 21 Mar. 2008: 72. *Academic Search
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Levy, Doron. "Punch-up in Aisle Three." *Progressive Grocer* Oct. 2007: n. pag. *Lexis-Nexis Academic*. Web. 15 Feb. 2009.

Blog posting

MAR. "John Updike—American Man of Letters." *The Reader*. Sacramento City College Learning Resource Center. 10 Feb. 2009. Web. 15 Feb. 2009.

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Warmington, Sandy. "RE: New Wi-fi on 2nd Floor." Message to the author. 11 Feb. 2009. E-mail.

Government Web site

United States. Bureau of Labor. Dept. of Labor Statistics. "Athletes, Coaches, Umpires, and Related Workers." *Occupational Outlook Handbook*. 18 Dec. 2007. Web. 15 Feb. 2009.