

FAQ-In-Text Citations

Do you have to cite every sentence in APA?

You need to make clear where someone else's narration stops and **you** begin with your own words. Therefore, putting one **citation** at the end of a **paragraph** paraphrase is NOT **APA** compliant. If **you** are paraphrasing multiple consecutive **sentences** from the same source, **you** should **cite** each **sentence** to avoid plagiarism.

How to Cite an Website in APA

1. Structure: Last, F. M. (Year, Month Date Published). Article title. Retrieved from URL.
2. Example: Satalkar, B. (2010, July 15). Water aerobics. ...
3. Structure: Last, F. M. (Year Month Date Published). Article title [Type of blog post]. ...
4. Example: Schonfeld, E. (2010, May 3).

How do in text citations and reference list entries work together?

Include an in-**text citation** when you refer to, summarize, paraphrase, or quote from another source. For every in-**text citation** in your paper, there must be a corresponding **entry** in your **reference list**. APA in-**text citation** style uses the author's last name and the year of publication, for example: (Field, 2005).

How do you do an in text reference?

Cite the last name of the author and year of publication. Include page numbers within the citation when directly quoting the authors' words or paraphrasing a passage. If the author's name is used in the **text**, put the date in parentheses.

How can you paraphrase without plagiarizing?

1. Change the structure. Begin by starting at a different place in the passage and/or sentence(s), basing your choice on the focus of your paper. This will lead naturally to some changes in wording. ...
2. Change the words. Use synonyms or a phrase that expresses the same meaning. Leave shared language unchanged.

What is an example of paraphrasing?

Paraphrasing Defined. ... This is **paraphrasing** - using your own words to express someone else's message or ideas. In a **paraphrase**, the ideas and meaning of the original source must be maintained; the main ideas need to come through, but the wording has to be your own.