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# CITATION RESOURCES

*for UARK Graduate Students*



**Worried about citing and  
formatting for papers?**

**You don't have to be.**

This Citation Resources guide is an excellent go-to for information on:

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# Citation Managers

## WAYS TO ORGANIZE YOUR RESEARCH

UARK Libraries works with 3 different citation managers, Mendeley, Zotero, and Endnote, and has specialists that work with each platform. UARK Libraries also provides resources for each citation manager, navigating how to get familiar with and use each resource. Click on the links below for more information:

Check out this [Comparison Chart](#) to compare the features between each citation manager and decide which is the best fit for you and your research.

### Zotero

- Free with option of purchasing additional storage
- Requires installation on compute for full features
- [Zotero Resource Guide](#)

### EndNote

- Free version [available through UARK Libraries](#)
- Associated with Web of Science
- [EndNote Resource Guide](#)

### Mendeley

- Free with option of purchasing additional storage
- Integrates with ScienceDirect
- Features academic social network
- [Mendeley Resource Guide](#)

# Main Citation Styles

## 1. APA Style

Social Sciences - Business - Behavioral Sciences

### UARK Library Resources:

- [APA Style Resource Guide](#) on an overview of APA style basics
- [APA Style Examples](#)
- [Subject Librarians](#)

### Purdue OWL Resources:

- [APA Style Introduction](#) that gives you a place to start with learning APA style
- [APA Poster](#) that has the basics of APA compiled visually
- [APA Sample Papers](#) with a student and professional paper example

### APA Official Site Resources:

- [APA](#) provides specific guidance on how to use APA format in text
- [APA Style Reference Guide Diagram](#) that provides a quick reference on how to cite published works

### Excelsior OWL Resources

- [APA Checklist](#) to check off a list of items required to style your paper in APA format
- [APA Sample Papers](#) to view different kinds of papers to use as guides for APA style

# Main Citation Styles

## 2. MLA Style

Language Arts - Humanities - Liberal Arts

### UARK Library Resources:

- [MLA Style Resource Guide](#) for an overview of MLA style
- [Subject Librarians](#)

### Excelsior OWL Resources:

- [Interactive MLA Formatting Guide](#) to make sure you have the required items to style your paper in MLA format
- [MLA Sample Papers](#) to view different kinds of papers to use as guides for MLA format

### MLA Website Resources:

- The [MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers](#) is a guide for MLA format and can be checked out via the University of Arkansas library

### Purdue OWL Resources:

- [MLA Style Introduction](#) that gives you a place to start with MLA style
- [MLA Classroom-style Poster](#)
- [MLA Sample Papers](#)

# Main Citation Styles

## 2. Chicago Style

History - Business - Fine Arts

### UARK Libraries Resources:

- [Chicago Style Resource Guide](#) for an overview of Chicago style
- [Chicago Style Examples](#)
- [Chicago Manual of Style book](#), available for free access through the library
- [Subject Librarians](#)

### Excelsior OWL Resources:

- [Chicago Formatting Guidelines](#)
- [Chicago Notes and Bibliography](#)

### Chicago Manual of Style Website Resources :

- [Guidance](#) on the specifics of Chicago style formatting and citations
- [Webpage by editors](#) who answer FAQs by students

### Purdue OWL Resources:

- [Chicago Manual of Style \(CMOS\) Introduction](#)
- [CMOS Author-Date Guidelines Poster](#)
- [CMOS Notes and Bibliography Guidelines Poster](#)

# Other Citation Styles

## 4. IEEE Style

Engineering - Computer Science - Information Technology

### IEEE Website Resources:

- The [IEEE Reference Guide](#) is a detailed resource to citing in IEEE style

### UARK Library Resources

- [IEEE Style Resource Guide](#)
- [Subject Librarians](#)

### Purdue OWL Resources:

- [IEEE Overview](#) to get acquainted with IEEE style

## 5. AMA Style

Medical Sciences

### AMA Website Resources:

- An [AMA Guide for Authors and Editors](#) on AMA formatting

### Purdue OWL Resources

- [AMA Style Introduction](#)

# Other Citation Styles

## 6. ASA Style

### Sociology

#### ASA Website Resources:

- [Quick Tips PDF Guide](#) for citing and referencing sources

#### Purdue OWL Resources:

- [ASA Style Manuscript Formatting webpage](#), along with other information about in-text citation references, reference page formatting, and writing in manuscript writing style

Every graduate student can be helped by their own subject librarian, who works with UARK Libraries and can help you find access to academic sources, materials, and more.

Find your [subject librarian according to your discipline](#).

# Avoiding Plagiarism

CREATING CREDIBLE & QUALITY WORK

## 1. Turnitin.com

- [Turnitin.com](#) is dedicated to helping students identify potential plagiarism and double check written work before submission
- Students can submit their papers and Turnitin will review their work and verify its originality
- The U of A provides graduate students with access to a free account to Turnitin; find instructions on how to sign up [here](#)

## 2. The Office of Academic Initiatives & Integrity

- UARK [Academic Integrity Policy](#) and [Academic Integrity Sanction Rubric](#)
- [Academic Integrity Process](#)
- [Common Academic Violations](#)
- [Student FAQs](#)
- Need to reach this [office](#)? Email [honesty@uark.edu](mailto:honesty@uark.edu) or call (479)-575-5229



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## 3. Other Resources

### UARK Library Resources

- [Academic Integrity Guide](#)
- [Copyright and Fair Use](#)
- [Intellectual Properties in Engineering](#)
- [Plagiarism](#)

### Excelsior OWL Resources

- [Check Your Understanding of Plagiarism](#) interactive quiz
- [Avoiding Plagiarism Tutorial](#) to understand and identify the seven types of plagiarism that can occur

### Purdue OWL Resources

- [Best Practices for Writers](#) which details practices that can help you avoid plagiarizing or copying published work
- [“Should I Cite This” Poster](#) that serves as a useful reference for knowing when to cite written work
- [Plagiarism Exercise](#) to test your knowledge of when and where to cite
- [Common Knowledge and Attribution Guide](#) that describes what common knowledge is and how to distinguish it from work that needs to be cited

# UARK Offices

## 1. Writing Studio

- Virtual consultations with graduate consultants or virtual chat via the "Drop In" feature
- [Writing resource webpages](#) that feature information and examples of citation styles and formatting for papers
- [Writing Workshops](#)
- Writing groups to collaborate with other students in the writing process
- Graduate consultants specialized in different fields of study
- Need to contact the [Writing Studio](#)? Email [uawrite@uark.edu](mailto:uawrite@uark.edu)

## 2. Thesis & Dissertation Office

- This [Thesis and Dissertation Guide](#) gives an overview of the requirements needed to properly format and style your thesis/dissertation
- Need to reach this [office](#)? Email them at [gradtad@uark.edu](mailto:gradtad@uark.edu) or call (479)-575-4401

## 3. Office of Graduate Student Support

- We can support you by directing you towards resources you can utilize as a grad student
- Check out our [Student Resources](#) page for info to a variety of resources
- Need to reach this [office](#)? Email us at [gradsupport@uark.edu](mailto:gradsupport@uark.edu) or call (479)-575-7038