

## MLA Citation Style for Articles from Newspapers

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### ➤ **Newspaper article from a hardcopy newspaper (print, microfilm, or microfiche)**

*Needed information* - Author's last name, first name. "Title of the Article." Title of the Newspaper [City (if newspaper is state or local and name of city is not in title)] Day Month Year of publication, edition (if provided): section (if provided) and page number. (For articles not printed on consecutive pages, put the first page number and a plus sign.)

#### *Examples*

Kolata, Gina. "First Mammal Clone Dies." New York Times 15 Feb. 2003, late ed.: A4+.

Hurwit, Joshua. "Faces of Faith." Times Union [Albany] 26 July 2003: B4.

"Blank Canvas Draws Insights Through Art." Bangor Daily News 3 July 2002: C1.

### ➤ **Newspaper article from an online newspaper**

*Needed information* - Author's last name, first name. "Title of the Article." Title of the Newspaper [City (if newspaper is state or local and name of city is not in title)] Day Month Year of publication. Day Month Year of access <URL>.

#### *Example*

Scruggs, Roberta. "Rabies' Second Wave Has Begun." Sun Journal [Lewiston] 27 Jan. 2002. 5 May 2002

<<http://www.sunjournal.com/story.asp?slg=012702rabies>>.

### ➤ **Full-text newspaper article from a database**

*Needed information* - Author's last name, first name. "Title of the Article." Title of the Newspaper [City (if newspaper is state or local and name of city is not in title)] Day Month Year of publication, edition (if provided): section (if provided) and page number. Name of Database. Name of Service. Name of Library Providing Access. Day Month Year of access <URL of service's home page>.

#### *Example*

Eisinger, Jesse. "Ahead of the Tape." Wall Street Journal 9 Sep. 2002, Eastern ed.: C1. ProQuest Newspapers.

ProQuest. Mantor Library, University of Maine at Farmington. 15 Nov. 2002 <<http://proquest.umi.com>>.

### ➤ **Newspaper articles with multiple authors** (Use these formats to replace single author names in the above examples.)

*Two authors* - Rogers, Mary, and Catherine King.

*Three authors* - Edwards, Clive, Laura Nadar, and Paul Brown.

*More than three authors* - Pares, Susan, et al.