In-text (parenthetical) Citations
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Why use in-text citation?

- To give your reader a trail to follow to where you found the information you borrowed
- To avoid plagiarism

Bertha was the middle child with a younger and older sister. Shortly after she was born her family moved to Liege, an "industrial, largely Catholic city in Belgium" ("Bertha Adler").
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➢ When to use in-text citation
  • When directly quoting another writer’s words
  • Any and all times you put into your own words someone else’s ideas
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- **When is any and all times?**
  - ANY THING not from your brain has to be cited.
  - ANY WORDS that aren’t from your own brain have to be cited.
  - ANY NUMBER or statistic or photo/graphics must be cited.
  - ANY TIME you use someone else’s thoughts and don’t cite them you are plagiarizing (stealing).

  Bad Bart
Example: According to an article titled “Bertha Adler” on the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, shortly after she was born her family moved to Liege, an “industrial, largely Catholic city in Belgium.”

Which corresponds or matches:

Bertha Adler was born in Selo-Solotivina, Czechoslovakia on June 20, 1928, but grew up in Liege, Belgium. Bertha was the middle child with a younger and older sister. Shortly after she was born her family moved to Liege, a manufacturing, mainly Catholic city in Belgium (“Bertha Adler”).
Trail

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Exact Location of the Source
BERTHA ADLER

BORN: JUNE 20, 1928

SELO-SOLOTVINA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Bertha was the second of three daughters born to Yiddish-speaking Jewish parents in a village in Czechoslovakia's easternmost province. Soon after Bertha was born, her parents moved the family to Liege, an industrial, largely Catholic city in Belgium that had many immigrants from eastern Europe.

1933-39: Bertha's parents sent her to a local elementary school, where most of her friends were Catholic. At school, Bertha spoke French. At home, she spoke Yiddish. Sometimes her parents spoke Hungarian to each other, a language they had learned while growing up. Bertha's mother, who was religious, made sure that Bertha also studied Hebrew.

MLA - Modern Language Association

Works Cited
What is a Works Cited page?

- It shows your readers where you found all the **sources** you referred to in your essay or research paper.
- It is an **alphabetical** list of **sources** placed at the end of your research paper.
- It is typed, **double-spaced**.
- Citations are typed with a **hanging indent**.
How to find the bibliographic information:

What should a Works Cited page look like?

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