

APA 6th REFERENCE GUIDE

In-text citation paraphrasing examples

Paraphrasing is putting in your own words what the author has written. When paraphrasing, there are two ways you can reference: the author's name can be incorporated in your text or included in brackets with the year of publication. The same in-text citation format is used regardless of the type of source.

Author Surname, Year)

Creme and Lea (2003) suggest that the more students write, the more confident they will become about writing.

OR

The more students write, the more confident they will become about writing (Creme & Lea, 2003).

Reference

◇◇ Book with one author ◇◇

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Blog Post

Becker, D. (2016, June 22). Navigating copyright: How to cite sources in a table [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://blog.apastyle.org/apastyle/2016/06/navigating-copyright-how-to-cite-sources-in-a-table.html#comments>

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◇◇ image, picture, graph, chart, map, diagram, photograph, or painting ◇◇

Beneath the figure, label with the italicised word “Figure” and a number. Include a caption (which serves as the title), explanatory notes if required, and the citation. Note the use of brackets and the word “from”. Where figures have been adapted, replace “from” with “adapted from”.

If a figure or image list is required for your course, seek advice from your tutor as to how they would like this presented.

In-Text Example

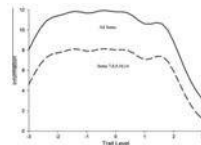


Fig. 1. Total information for the Mindful Attention Awareness Scale across test sessions. Information is demonstrated for each item at each test level at each response threshold, where there are 0, 1 response threshold (2 total number of response options). Total information is the sum of information across all test levels and all response options for each item. In this figure, total item information is represented by the solid line and information for a subset of items (1, 8, 9, 10, 11) is represented by the dashed line. Note that information is relatively constant between test levels 1 and 3, but declines sharply below 4 and above 4.5.

Figure 1. (from Van Dam, Earleywine, & Borders, 2010, p. 809)

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◇◇ Table ◇◇

Tables are headed with the word “Table” and a number. On a new line, the title is italicised and is in title case (i.e., all the main words begin with a capital letter). Beneath the table, insert the italicised word “Note:” followed by explanatory notes if required, and the citation preceded with “from” or “adapted from”.

Table 1

Micro Nutrients

Nutrients	Plant species	Physiological response for Cd alleviation	References
Fe	<i>Brassica juncea</i>	Fe stabilizes complex proteins and provide stability to chloroplast under Cd stress	[84]
	<i>Lupinus albus</i>	Protects photosynthetic tissues	[86]
Zn	<i>Triticum durum</i>	Addition of Zn to soil reduced crop Cd concentrations	[95]
	<i>Oryza sativa</i>	Inhibits Cd uptake	[30]
	<i>Brassica chinensis</i>	Suppresses Cd uptake and root-to-shoot transport	[90]
	<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	Reduces shoot Cd accumulation and a stimulation of antioxidative enzymes	[10]
Se	<i>Brassica napus</i>	Inhibits Cd accumulation in cells and activates antioxidant system	[87]

Note. Micro nutrients and beneficial elements- induced physiological responses for alleviation of Cd stress.

From Nazar, Iqbal, Masood, Iqbal, Khan, Syeed, & Khan, 2012.

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