

CARROLL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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What is it?

NoodleBib is a software package which helps you format your bibliographies (list of sources) for your research in either MLA or APA style.

Access

NoodleBib is available from the Library homepage as a link under "Citing Sources" (www.carrollcc.edu/library).

If you make an account by creating a personal ID and password while on-campus, you will not need an access password. From off-campus you will need an access password to create a personal ID and your personal password. You can receive a password at the Library Information Desk (410-386-8340).

Directions

- First time users must create an account.
- After you create your account, you can then access it by filling in the Personal ID and Password boxes.
- FOR MLA STYLE, college students must choose "MLA Advanced."
- FOR APA STYLE, there is only the advanced choice. Please note that CCC does not use a DOI for periodicals and always includes retrieval dates and either a database name or a URL.
- Create a new list.
- Provide a description of your list to use for later retrieval.
- Select a citation type. Do not choose Electronic/Online for periodicals or book-type resources. Select type of resource first. You will have a chance to indicate online later under publication medium.
- When adding personal names, make sure you click on the "Add" button when finished or they will not appear in your list.
- Note that when you have completed a citation, that a help link for parenthetical reference (in-text documentation) appears.
- Forgot your password? Follow the links on the login screen to receive a hint.
- NoodleBib provides space for annotations at the end of each citation.

How it works.

Please read the NoodleBib directions very carefully. NoodleBib automatically formats your references based on the information you provide about the sources you used. You will answer many questions about your sources and the software will format the list of sources based on these answers. If you provide incorrect information, NoodleBib will not correct your mistakes.

If you need help, please ask a librarian for assistance in person, by phone (410-386-8340) or by e-mail (ref_desk@carrollcc.edu).

