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Date: _____

Research paper or project title: _____

Checklist for a

Reference List



Even when you use an online tool to help create your reference list, you always need to check that it meets the style requirements:

	YES	NO
1. Are my references on a separate page?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Do I have the words Reference List centred at the top?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Did I double-space my list?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Did my teacher ask for citations in a certain style (MLA, APA, other)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Are all of my references in that style?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Are all of the words that need capital letters capitalized?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Do I need to use indentation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Did I italicize the titles of all books, articles or resources (for MLA & APA)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. For a web resource, did I include the date I retrieved it?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Did I reference all of the media I used (ex. photos, videos, sound)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Did I go to the site where the media originated (not just Google images)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Is my list in alphabetical order?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Notes :
