

bib·li·og·ra·phy

Definition of *BIBLIOGRAPHY*

1 : the history, identification, or description of writings or publications

2 *a*: **a list often with descriptive or critical notes of writings relating to a particular subject, period, or author**

b: a list of works written by an author or printed by a publishing house

3 : the works or a list of the works referred to in a text or consulted by the author in its production—

Examples of *BIBLIOGRAPHY*

1. The instructor provided the students with an excellent *bibliography* on local history.
2. The book includes a lengthy *bibliography*.

An Annotated Bibliography is most closely associated with definition 2a above, a list of works with descriptive or critical notes.



“Information Literacy” is a term that describes the process of finding, evaluating, and effectively using information. In our case it would be for historical research but it can be used in any academic (or personal) situation. To help you learn how to access, evaluate, and use information well, do the following assignments.

For each annotated bibliography assignment I will give you the required documents. You will not write a research paper over the topic but you will produce an annotated bibliography of your sources. [See the note following the assignment about what that is if you don't know already.]

Use the Chicago-style sheet as your guide. Your grade will be based on 1) citing the correct number of books and articles required; 2) the quality of your sources as they relate to the topic you choose; and 3) your comments in the annotation

“An annotated bibliography is a list of citations to books, articles, and documents. Each citation is followed by a brief (usually about 150 words) descriptive and evaluative paragraph, the annotation. The purpose of the annotation is to inform the reader of the relevance, accuracy, and quality of the sources cited.”

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Directions are attached: [Chicago Documentation Annotated Bib.pdf](#)  

Approved documents: **Annotated Bibliography due October 06, choose three documents to read from below and complete assignment**

The Magna Carta--<https://d1lexza0zk46za.cloudfront.net/history/am-docs/magna-carta.pdf>
(Links to an external site.)Links to an external site.

Columbus's Description of the Discovery of America (1492)--
<https://d1lexza0zk46za.cloudfront.net/history/am-docs/discovery-of-america.pdf> (Links to an external site.)Links to an external site.

Mayflower Compact (1620)--<https://d1lexza0zk46za.cloudfront.net/history/am-docs/mayflower-compact.pdf> (Links to an external site.)Links to an external site.

John Rolfe Recounts the Arrival of Slaves in Virginia (1619)--
<https://d1lexza0zk46za.cloudfront.net/history/am-docs/rolfe-slaves.pdf> (Links to an external site.)Links to an external site.

The Massachusetts Bay Colony Case against Anne Hutchinson (1637)--
<https://d1lexza0zk46za.cloudfront.net/history/am-docs/massachusetts-bay-hutchinson.pdf>
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