

Why reference?

1. To give credit to the sources you use, and to avoid plagiarism.
2. So other people can find the sources you used.

What is it?

Bibliography- A list of sources that you used to provide the information for the task. The bibliography goes at the end of your assignment.

References- Also called in-text references. When you mention an idea or a finding in your assignment that you took directly from another author, you use an in-text reference to give that author credit.

How do you reference?

For your bibliography... Use the SLASA Referencing Generator

Hales, S & Paul, J 2011, *Pompeii in the Public Imagination*, Oxford University Press, Oxford.

In-text referencing...

You only need the author's surname, the year, and sometimes the page number (if there is one). You don't need to reference commonly known facts.

1. When you mention an author by name:

Hales and Paul (2011) note Spinazzola's pride in his archaeological methods.

2. When you only mention a piece of information you got from their work:

Spinazzola was more careful with his excavation (Hales and Paul 2011).

3. When you quote the author directly:

"Whereas prior generations had dug straight through such remains, Spinazzola trumpeted as a hallmark of his archaeological practice the detection and conservation of these rare elements" (Hales and Paul 2011, p. 253).

You only need to include a page number if your source has page numbers.