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McCauley, S. M., & Christiansen, M. H. (2019). Language learning as language use: A cross-linguistic model of child language development. *Psychological Review*, 126(1), 1–51. doi: [10.1037/rev0000126](https://doi.org/10.1037/rev0000126)

Parenthetical citation: (McCauley & Christiansen, 2019) If there are more than 2 authors: (Ahmann et al., 2018)

Narrative citation: McCauley and Christiansen (2019)

Book

Brown, L. S. (2018). *Feminist therapy* (2nd ed.). American Psychological Association. doi: [10.1037/0000092-000](https://doi.org/10.1037/0000092-000)

Parenthetical citation: (Brown, 2018)

Narrative citation: Brown (2018)

Edited Book

Schmid, H.-J. (Ed.). (2017). *Entrenchment and the psychology of language learning: How we reorganize and adapt linguistic knowledge*. American Psychological Association; De Gruyter Mouton. <https://doi.org/10.1037/15969-000>

Parenthetical citation: (Schmid, 2017)

Narrative citation: Schmid (2017)

One volume of a multivolume work

Fiske, S. T., Gilbert, D. T., & Lindzey, G. (2010). *Handbook of social psychology* (5th ed., Vol. 1). John Wiley & Sons. doi: [10.1002/9780470561119](https://doi.org/10.1002/9780470561119)

Parenthetical citations: (Fiske et al., 2010)

Narrative citations: Fiske et al. (2010)

Book chapters

Balsam, K. F., Martell, C. R., Jones, K. P., & Safren, S. A. (2019). Affirmative cognitive behavior therapy with sexual and gender minority people. In G. Y. Iwamasa & P. A. Hays (Eds.), *Culturally responsive cognitive behavior therapy: Practice and supervision* (2nd ed., pp. 287–314). American Psychological Association. doi: [10.1037/0000119-012](https://doi.org/10.1037/0000119-012)

Parenthetical citation: (Balsam et al., 2019)

Narrative citation: Balsam et al. (2019)

Chapter in a multivolume work

Goldin-Meadow, S. (2015). Gesture and cognitive development. In L. S. Liben & U. Mueller (Eds.), *Handbook of child psychology and developmental science: Vol. 2. Cognitive processes* (7th ed., pp. 339–380). John Wiley & Sons. doi: [10.1002/9781118963418.childpsy209](https://doi.org/10.1002/9781118963418.childpsy209)

Parenthetical citation: (Goldin-Meadow, 2015)

Narrative citation: Goldin-Meadow (2015)

Paper presentation

Maddox, S., Hurling, J., Stewart, E., & Edwards, A. (2016, March 30–April 2). If mama ain't happy, nobody's happy: The effect of parental depression on mood dysregulation in children [Paper presentation]. Southeastern Psychological Association 62nd Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, United States.

Parenthetical citation: (Maddox et al., 2016)

Narrative citation: Maddox et al. (2016)

Dissertation

Hollander, M. M. (2017). Resistance to authority: Methodological innovations and new lessons from the Milgram experiment (Publication No. 10289373) [Doctoral dissertation, University of Wisconsin–Madison]. ProQuest Dissertations and Theses Global.

Parenthetical citation: (Hollander, 2017)

Narrative citation: Hollander (2017)

Internet Document

Avramova, N. (2019, January 3). The secret to a long, happy, healthy life? Think age-positive. CNN. Online: <https://www.cnn.com/2019/01/03/health/respect-towardelderly-leads-to-long-life-intl/index.html>

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