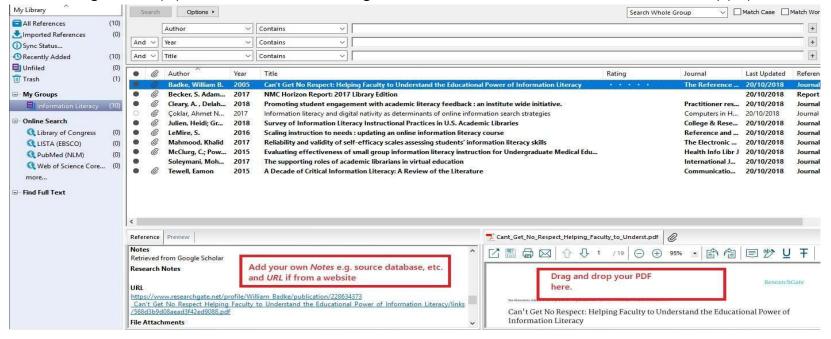


Endnote: A quickstart guide

- 1. Download the latest version of Endnote from the Endnote Subject Guide accessed from the Library Search tile of My Ara.
- 2. For first time users, click **File** then **New** and then select a location to save your library. Also give your library a unique name e.g. AnnB Library.
- 3. Once open, change your citation style to the latest version of APA.
- 4. Download your PDFs from the library databases or Google Scholar to your device.
- 5. Drag and drop your PDF into the bottom right corner and the citation will often automatically populate.



- 6. If it doesn't populate you can add the details in the left pane under **Reference** or import your citation in .ris or .enw formats. (See Importing .ris and .enw citations...below)
- 7. In the **Reference** area you can add your own notes and URL if needed.
- 8. In the **Preview** area you can see your APA citation.

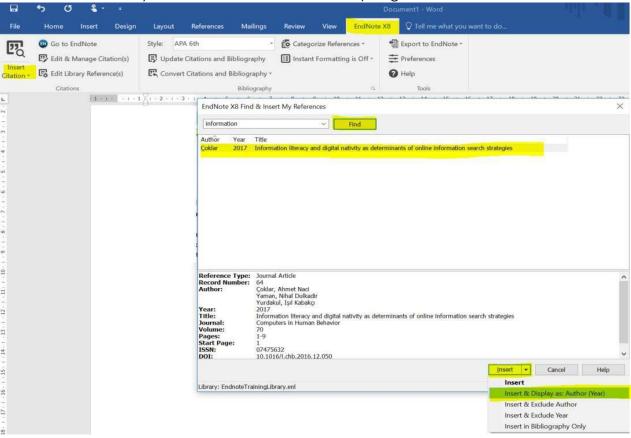


Using Endnote in Microsoft Word

You need to have Endnote open at the same time as Word to use this feature.

Once Endnote is installed, you should have a new item on your ribbon (the bit at the top with File, Home, Insert etc...) called **EndNote X8**. When you want to insert an in-text citation,

- click **EndNote X8** in your top ribbon.
- Check the "Style"- it should default to APA 6th.
- Ensure that your cursor is where you want the in-text citation to go, and click the **Insert Citation** button. Find your citation and highlight it.
- Click Insert / Insert & display as: author (Year)
- Once you've inserted the reference, you get an in-text citation and an entry in your reference list.



Importing .ris or .enw citations from databases or Google Scholar.

In **Science Direct** database look for the **Export** link to find citation export options.

In Gale databases like Academic OneFile look for Citation Tools to find the export options.

In **EBSCO** databases like **CINAHL** look for **Cite** to find the export options.

In Endnote, when importing .ris files, change the Import Option to Endnote generated XML in order to import your citations.

Note: .enw files usually import with the standard Endnote Library option.



Export your citations to a reference list

- 1. In Endnote, highlight the citations to export.
- 2. Click on File / Export and change the file type to .rtf and save to your preferred folder e.g. desktop.

More notes

- There are many more features you can read about in our Basic Endnote and Advanced Endnote guides. Find these via our Endnote link in the **Study** section of the **Library** homepage.
- Always check your citations against the recommendation in the APA Referencing: a guide for Ara Institute of Canterbury Students to ensure you get full marks for your referencing.

For further assistance

- Ask at the Library, Christchurch, Madras St. Campus
- Live chat with a Librarian during open hours via Asklive
- Ring (03) 9408089 or 0800 24 24 76 and ask for the Library
- Email: library@ara.ac.nz