Citing Artificial Intelligence

As we continue to navigate the rapidly changing landscape of artificial intelligence and technology, it is important to model and teach our students effective research skills and ethical citation practices. The **MLA style** and **APA style** guides have recently developed resources to guide students in citing artificial intelligence using correct formatting. Students can bookmark these pages for easy reference as they continue their learning journey through high school. Most HCOS grad courses will require either MLA or APA style citations. Students should check with their instructor to determine the required style for a specific course. Additionally, students can refer to the following examples and infographics developed by the **University of Waterloo Library research guide** (2023):

Outline of an MLA Citation for AI:
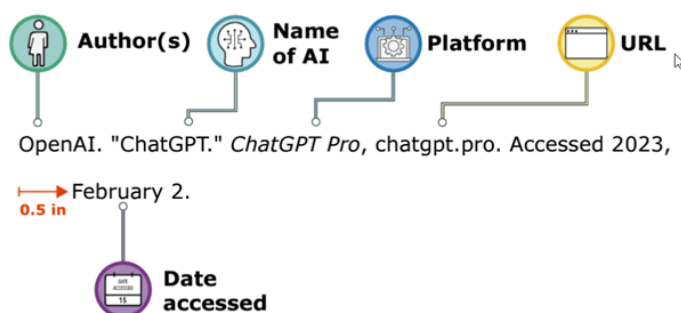Author/Creator. "Name of chatbot." Title of platform where accessed, Full URL, Date Accessed (optional).

> **Formatting:** Double-space your reference list and use a 0.5 inch hanging indent for each entry's second and subsequent lines.

Real-World Example:
OpenAI. "ChatGPT." ChatGPT Pro, **chatgpt.pro/**, February 2, 2023.

Outline of an APA Citation for General Artificial Intelligence Programs and Chatbots:
Name of Company/creator of generative AI Tool. (Year). *Name of the generative AI program* (model of program)

[Large language
  model]. URL.

Real-World Example:

Perplexity. (2023). *Perplexity.ai* (AI Chatbot) [Large language model]. **https://www.perplexity.ai/**

APA Citation Style: References

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BIBLIOGRAPHIC REFERENCE

Author(s)   Date   Title   Model Descriptions   URL

Writesonic. (2023). *Chatsonic* (AI chatbot) [GPT-4 powered]. https://app.writesonic.com/