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As a student at St. John Fisher University, it is your responsibility to refrain from plagiarizing the academic property of another and to utilize the appropriate citation method for all coursework. In this class, it is recommended that you use *(enter the citation method appropriate for the course/subject matter here)*. Ignorance of the citation method is not an excuse for academic misconduct. Remember there is a difference between paraphrasing and quoting and how to properly cite each respectively.

One tool available to assist you in correct citation is the "Reference" function in Microsoft Word. This program automatically formats the information you input according to the citation method you select for the document. This program also has the ability to generate a reference or works cited page for you document. The version of Microsoft Word with "References" function is available in most University computer labs. The "Reference" function is meant to assist you, but it is your responsibility to make sure references and citations follow your specific style guide.