

When to use Italics, Quotations, or underline when Citing

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When should you **Italicize**?

Generally you should italicize titles of albums, art, films, journals, long poems, magazines, plays, radio stations, television programs and vehicles.

Ex. My favorite book in English class is *Things Fall Apart*.

When should you underline?

Underlining and italicizing can be interchangeable. When you're writing out a text it is easier to underline when italicizing can be too difficult to write and read.

Ex. In our earlier slide we showed you that you can italicize *Things Fall Apart* but you can also underline it.

When should you use Quotations?

You should use quotations in titles like articles, essays, short stories, short poems, book chapters, TV show episodes, songs and unpublished works like lectures, speeches and presentations.

Ex. In Martin Luther King's speech "I had a dream" he talks about equality in society.