Young Americans College
Writing Center
Directed Learning Activity

MLA Format

STEP 1: Access the Powerpoint “MLA Format.” All Powerpoint slides are located at the Writing Center webpage (http://youngamericans.libguides.com/learningcenter) under the DLAs tab. Read through and understand the slides.

***Remember, you can ask questions at any point in this process. Write down your questions as you go along, or go and ask a tutor each time you have a question. This is a self-paced activity, so make it work for you.

STEP 2: Go to the computer lab and create a document following the guidelines that were discussed in the PowerPoint. Title the assignment “MLA DLA.” In the first line of the assignment, state what your favorite animal is and why. Print out the document.

STEP 3: Once you’re done, see a tutor to go over your document and to answer any questions you may have. Have the tutor sign the bottom of the document, hold onto the exercise so that you have a study guide throughout the term, and then, submit all completed exercises to your instructor at the end of the term.