APA Homework

This exercise introduces you to APA formatting, which is a vital part of PST 101. Because references are included and graded carefully on every module, APA mistakes have the potential to reduce your grade by one letter over the course of the semester.

**Hint**: To complete this exercise and do well on all five PST 101 Modules, go to the PST 101 BlackBoard and find the APA Citation Guide. There are many APA guides, and they are all different, so use this one for this class.

**Exercise Directions**: Create a typed and correct reference page with the following sources in correct APA formatting. Submit it via email to your TA by 12:45 pm on 8/31, or you will lose five points off of your Module 1 grade. We will correct this as we would on the module to help you learn from your mistakes. Take this seriously – it will help you in the long run. On future modules, refer back to this homework for help. IF YOU HAND IT IN, YOU CAN’T LOSE POINTS.

**Note**: DO NOT email the TAs about this homework. This assignment lets you test the ability to use APA format on your own. It’s designed to help you learn and will be graded on completion, not correctness. We will help you by marking your mistakes after the fact.

1. Book source: author = Henry Franko, name of book = America in 1923, date of publication = March 3rd 1999, published by Best books Inc. in New York, NY
2. Coplin’s *Public Policy Skills in Action.*
3. Online newspaper article: from the New York Times, author = Ted Clinefield, date of publication = March 18th, 2009 article title = Here They Come: A War Story? Website: www.getinfo.com
4. Government document: title of article = no child left behind act, published on April 15th, 2005 by the US Government Accountability Office in northwest Washington DC, website = www.governmenthelp.com, downloaded December 7th 2014, pages 115-129
5. Database: CQ researcher, authors = Fred Alcove, Steven Howard, and Sarah Bank, article title = financial literacy, published March 15th, 2009 and downloaded December 14th 2014, pages 77-89
6. Website page: title = Make it Happen, taken off the New York Schools website published in 2006 in New York city, website = www.ourschools.gov, downloaded on December 10th, 2014.