

- Verse quotations of **more than three lines** should be indented ten spaces with **no quotation marks**. Follow the spacing as seen in the text. For example, if the speaker's line begins far to the right of the page, show it this way in your essay.
- Note that the parenthetical reference follows to the right with no period.

*Example:*

Very soon after the murder of Duncan, Lady Macbeth reveals her doubt and unhappiness. When she is alone she says,

Nought's had, all's spent.

Where our desire is got without content:

'Tis safer to be that which we destroy

Than, by destruction, dwell in doubtful joy. (3.2.6-9)

It is evident that she is apprehensive about what will follow. Surprisingly, she already has become fearful that what they have accomplished will not necessarily bring them joy.

- Use square brackets for your own words within quotations. If you need to add words to integrate the quotation or explain words which may seem obscure, put square brackets around these words.

*Example:*

Macbeth manipulates his hired murderers when he hints "That it was he [Banquo] in the times past which held you / So under fortune, which you thought had been / Our innocent self: "(3.1.82-83).