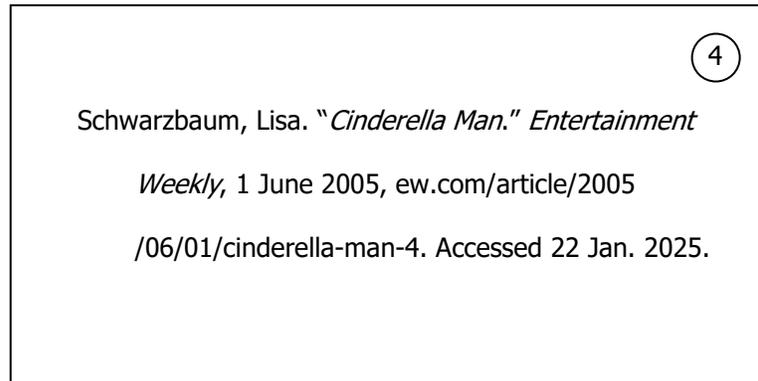




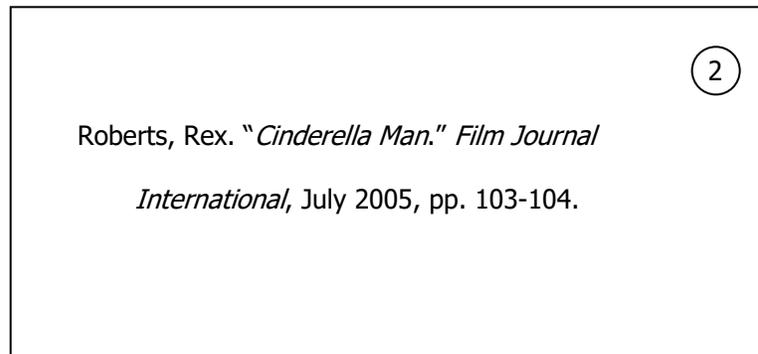
## Source Cards

Source cards are **3 x 5 index cards** (the small ones) and will contain the MLA citation for a source—information that one would need to find that source. You will use three types of sources: websites, periodicals, and databases. Below is an example of each. Note that each source card has its own color and its own number (written in the upper right-hand corner). I find it helpful to number them sequentially in the order of usefulness, my most useful source numbered “1.” Ultimately, the numbers don’t mean anything; they’re simply to identify your sources. The color of the source card is the same as the number—it labels the source in a sense. When you take notes on a source, you will use the number and color of its source card for the 4 x 6 note cards that come from that source. Again, each source card should be a different color, and the note cards from that source should be the same color and carry the same number as the source card.

### Internet Source Card



### Magazine Source Card



### Database Source Card

