How to cite for the *Brave New World* essay:

1. **Quoting from the novel:**
   Parenthetical citation should be the author’s last name and page number. For example, “I ate civilization” (Huxley 241). End punctuation goes after the parentheses.

**Works cited:**

2. **Websites:**
   See MLA 7 Reference Guide handout for proper format for your works cited. To parenthetically cite from a website, use author’s last name (if available). If not given, use the heading of the information and put it in quotation marks. “Blah, blah, quote from a website” (“Stupid Stuff”). My citation on my works cited should start with “Stupid Stuff.”

**To Remember:**

Always keep track of the websites you are using each day. A good way to take care of this is to go ahead and add the citation to your works cited right when you realize the information there is good. As you finalize your essay, simply remove the sites you did not use in your essay.

Parenthetical citation is a map! I should be able to easily locate the source cited parenthetically because whatever you put in the parentheses should be the beginning of your entry on the works cited. If there is an author, then the author’s last name is used. If it is a website with no author credited, then it is the heading of the information or title of the page.

If you are using more than one work by an author or more than one website with the same heading, include the next word or two from your works cited entry for the parenthetical reference in order to distinguish the two works. If I used information on Prozac from two different websites and both entries started with the heading “Prozac,” but one was sponsored by *Drugs Explained* and one was sponsored by *Dictionary of Drugs*, my entries would look like this: (“Prozac” *Drugs*) and (“Prozac” *Dictionary*).

List your entries in alphabetical order on your works cited.

Use reverse indentation for long entries. This means the first line is NOT indented, but every line after is. **DO NOT CENTER YOUR ENTRIES!**