# PREPARING TO PUT YOUR THESIS ALL TOGETHER

Keep your chapters separate throughout the writing process Your final submission will need to be one long document

## **FORMAT FRONT SECTIONS OF A THESIS:**

Cover Page with ANU Policy requirements

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#### **BEFORE COMBINING CHAPTERS:**

Captions applied for tables and figures

Checked spelling and grammar

Removed all track changes and comments

Finalised sentence structure editing from supervisor and editor

Place all final chapters into a folder to be ready to combine

If EndNote was used open each Chapter in Word and unformat your bibliography:

If instant formatting was used then each chapter will have formatted in-text citations: (Jones, 1957), with a bibliography at the end of each chapter.

In Word, open each chapter and use the convert functionality:

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WIN:EndNote Tab: Convert Citations and Bibliography > Convert to Unformatted Citations.

MAC: EndNote Tab: Tools > Convert to Unformatted Citations

This should change any citations to their unformatted form to look like this: {Jones, 1957 #4} and the bibliography will disappear.

(No action required for Mendeley or Zotero)

### **INSERT CHAPTERS, BIBLIOGRAPHY AND APPENDICES:**

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### **GENERATE:**

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