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Example of how to integrate a sentence with a direct quote and parenthetical citation:

Superman is a symbol for hope within the superhero genre, according to a Wall Street Journal article, “Superman is needed as a mirror of our society, to show the good in us all...” (Rocker 15+).