

Resources for Writers

Online:

- Writers Digest: <https://www.writersdigest.com>
 - A great resource but there are many others
- Poets and Writers: <https://www.pw.org>
 - Writing contests
 - Literary magazines
 - Small presses
 - Jobs for writers
 - And more
- Duotrope: <https://duotrope.com>
 - Find publishers and agents for your work
- The Submission Grinder: <https://thegrinder.diabolicalplots.com>
 - Submission tracker and market database for writers of fiction and poetry

Editing Programs:

- Grammarly: <https://www.grammarly.com>
- ProWritingAid: <https://prowritingaid.com>

Blogs and Websites from Published Writers:

- Find writers whose style and genre match yours - look at the paths they took to success
- While author's websites are designed for marketing purposes, there are authors who also offer advice on writing and publishing

Writing Groups:

- Critique Groups - CWC is an excellent place to find a critique group
- Shut Up and Write: <http://shutupwrite.com> - 1 hour focused writing sessions

*Find a writing group that supports you and your goals - this doesn't mean all feedback on your writing will be positive, but there is a difference between critique meant to encourage you to become better and criticism to cut you down

Things to think about when looking for resources...

- Not all information is helpful or correct
- Put more weight on advice that comes from writers at the level of success you want to achieve, but realize there are many paths to success. What works well for someone else may not be right for you and your writing. Find what works for you.