

World Wide Web Resources for Teaching Writing

- **Creative Writing for Teens** (quotes and writing tips and samples submitted by teenagers)
- **The Daedalus Group** (interactive software for facilitating the writing process and student interaction in an online environment)
- **Writing Interventions, Don Johnston Incorporated** (suite of software tools to help struggling writers)
- **FCPS Curriculum and Instruction** (lists of touchstone texts such as trade books to help teach different writing aspects and other texts related to specific content area topics)
- **Five Paragraph Essay Wizard** (guidelines and prompts for writing narrative, expository, and persuasive papers)
- **Forms of Poetry for Children** (examples of poems that fit particular patterns, such as haiku, cinquain, and couplet)
- **The Graphic Organizer** (examples of and online tools for making various graphic organizers such as concept maps and Venn diagrams)
- **Interactive Six Trait Writing Process** (explanations, rubrics, and scored samples for the six traits)
- **KidAuthors** (stories and poems submitted by children and youth ages 6–18; online submission)
- **Kids on the Net** (advice and guidelines for writing, teaching resources, writing games, and book reviews; papers submitted by children; online submission)
- **KidPub** (stories submitted by children; online submission and discussion forum)
- **Kids Writing Pages** (papers submitted by children; online submission)
- **Kim's Korner 4 Teacher Talk: Writing** (guidelines for teaching the writing process and six traits)
- **National Council of Teachers of English** (standards for literacy instruction; summaries of research on writing; resources for teaching writing and professional development)
- **National Writing Project** (resources for professional development and links to affiliates in every state)
- **PIZZAZ** (directions and examples for writing various types of poems and stories such as diamante poems and chain stories; online submission)
- **Poetry.Com** (resources for writing poems including examples of famous poems and a rhyming dictionary; online submission)
- **Poetry for Kids** (directions and resources for writing poems including a rhyming dictionary and links to other sites; online submission and discussion forum)

- **Poetry 180** (a poem a day for high school students)
- **ReadWriteThink** (resources for teaching writing including lesson plans and links to other sites; directions and online tools for writing various genres; standards for literacy instruction)
- **Six Traits** (explanations, rubrics, posters, and scored samples for the six traits)
- **Six-Trait Writing** (rubrics and lesson plans for the six traits)
- **Six-Trait Writing for Teachers, Parents, and Students** (explanations, rubrics, scored samples, lesson plans, and web links for the six traits)
- **Steven Harris: Writing Resource Links for Teachers** (links to web documents and articles about writing and teaching writing)
- **Stone Soup** (book reviews, stories, and poems submitted by children and youth with audio files of authors' oral readings; online submission)
- **Teachers & Writers Online Books** (catalogue of books related to writing or teaching writing)
- **Teach Writing** (resources for teaching writing including lesson plans, writing prompts, student worksheets, and web articles)
- **WriteNet** (resources for teaching writing including, lesson plans, sample papers, and a collection of articles by authors and poets about writing and teaching writing; contact information for writers-in-the-schools programs; online discussion forum)
- **Writing.Com** (suite of online tools for teaching and supporting writing including electronic portfolios, user surveys, online discussion forums, chain stories, sample papers, and links to other web resources)