

Teen Writers Workshop 1:1 Consultations Menu

1. Developmental — Brainstorm a New Story

- What does your character want? What's at stake?
- Who or what is going to stop your character from getting it?
- What makes your character tick?
- Discover how and where your story begins, how it will end, and why.

2. Story Structure — Plan, Pace, POV

- Choose the best structure and point of view for your story.
- Emotional arc planning for the most satisfying finale.
- Stuck? Let's figure out what happens next and why.
- Bored? Let's pump up the urgency in your character's quest.

3. Getting Your Vision Onto the Page

- You see your story in your head, but have you shared enough details for your reader? Get a fresh set of eyes on your work!
- Are your character's internal and external goals present throughout the narrative? Are the characters behaving authentically? Is any character breaking the rules of the world or setting?
- Is there tension on every page? Does every scene deliver new information and progress the story goal? Are there plot holes?

4. Share Your Story

- Let's have a quiet peek at your prose, just for the joy of sharing your creation.

5. Polishing/Line Editing for Submission

- Submitting a piece to a teacher, contest, or for publication? Let's polish it until it shines!
Prerequisite: The piece must first go through the editing process. Choose from 1, 2, or 3.