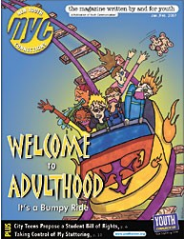






Get Your Writing Published

◀ from the “From Personal to Published” workshop ▶

<u>Writing Outlets (where to write)</u>	<u>Details (how to do it)</u>
<p>Newspapers and Magazines</p>  <p>www.youthcomm.org/Publications/NYC.htm; 212/279-0708 x108</p>  <p>www.ediblecommunities.com/queens/</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Pick one you'd actually like to write for <ul style="list-style-type: none"> limits are possibilities: think of something that covers a topic you like to the left are two ideas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>New Youth Connections</i>, a New York City-wide newspaper written by teens <i>Edible Queens</i>, a magazine about restaurants and local food in Queens Find the masthead in the newspaper/magazine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> masthead is a list of people who work there probably at the front, but could be anywhere! Find slush mail address at bottom of masthead <ul style="list-style-type: none"> this is the address of the newspaper/magazine itself (the magazine may have special instructions for how to submit your work, if so, follow <u>them</u> instead!) <u>Send your story to the slush mail address!</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> you should format it in standard manuscript format: www.cs.cmu.edu/~mslee/format.html
<p>Blogs (blogger.com)</p> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Yes, blogs count as real writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> sometimes writers go from blogs to books for example, the <i>Julie and Julia</i> movie (2009), which started as a blog about Julia Child, the chef As with so many things, limits are possibilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> don't write about everything, write about <u>one topic</u>
<p>Duotrope (duotrope.com)</p> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Duotrope is a free site that lists around 2500 small fiction and poetry magazines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> they don't pay a lot of money, but you do <u>gain confidence</u> and <u>recognition</u> from having your work published Search a topic you want to write about (say, “romance”) and it will give you a list of places to send your writing to
<p>Scholastic Art & Writing Awards</p>  <p>www.artandwriting.org/enter.htm (great for visual art too!)</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> The nation's best contest for student writing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> very talented judges real cash prizes Grades 7-12 are eligible Entry fee is \$5 In Oct. 2009, deadlines for 2010 awards will be announced They will range from Nov. '09 to Jan. '10, state-by-state After grade 12, try the Norman Mailer College Writing Awards instead: www.ncte.org/awards/student/nmwa