

Writing Help

From the Oregon State University Writing Intensive Program

Helpful Websites for Writers and Teachers of Writing

1. [The best Dictionary site, covering many languages](#)
2. Information on citing electronic information in APA, MLA, and Chicago format from [Bedford/St. Martin's On-line Reference](#) Guide to Using Internet
3. [OSU Writing Center Online](#) contains handouts on many writing problems and links to online writing resources:
4. [Purdue Online Writing Lab](#) (OWL) contains:
 - a. Handouts on writing concerns, ESL, grammar, spelling, punctuation, research, resumes, and more
 - b. Downloadable Powerpoint Presentations on APA Format, MLA Format, Research and the Internet, the Writing Process, Organizing Writing, Conquering the Comma, Sentence Clarity and Combining, and more
5. [Voice of the Shuttle, by Alan Liu et al. at UC Santa Barbara](#), is a comprehensive website for humanities research
6. [Creative Commons](#) is a resource for licensing and sharing creative work

Helpful grammar, usage, and style sites

1. [The Writer's Handbook](#), University of Wisconsin, with many student helps including an Editing Checklist explaining common errors and a Proofreading Handout
2. [Punctuation Made Simple](#), by Gary Olson.
3. Additional Resources on [English Usage, Style & Composition](#)

Helpful citation resources

1. [Zotero Citation Manager](#)
2. [Citation Machine](#)
3. [Reference Machine](#)