

Submissions Guidelines For WWSHS Literary Magazine

Name: _____ Grade: _____ Title: _____

Type (circle one): Poetry Prose Genre: _____ Word Count: _____

Date: _____ Number of Pieces Previously Submitted: _____

*E-mail Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

This magazine is an opportunity to showcase the talent of our writers, so we encourage and appreciate all submissions, and we are looking forward to reading them. However, due to space limitations, not every submission will be published.

SUBMISSION DOES NOT GUARANTEE PUBLICATION!

The Publication Process:

1) Submissions will be considered anonymously via panel discussion. Everyone who is interested will be encouraged to come and offer their opinion. The panel members will evaluate the piece of writing through an opinion sheet. The editors will then look over the pieces and take the opinion sheets into consideration. If you leave your name on your submission, we will black it out for the panel discussion so that it remains anonymous.

*We need your e-mail address to contact you if your piece is scheduled for publication. If you do not hear from us, please assume that your piece is not scheduled for publication.

2) Feel free to come to the monthly meetings to check the progress of the literary magazine. We will **not** return your manuscript (as well as any art or photography submitted), so please **do not turn in your only copy**. Photocopy art.

Guidelines for Submissions:

1) Length Suggestions:

Poems and lyrics: 40 lines or less

Short stories, humor, and creative nonfiction: 2,000 words or less

Plays: one scene

We will consider longer works, but space is limited, so please keep your work concise.

2) Obviously, your work must follow the school guidelines of what is appropriate for publication. We are a high school magazine and affiliated with the school and we trust that you will exercise good judgment in submitting your work for consideration.

3) We will only consider up to five pieces of work from an individual author, so please submit your best writing.

If you have any questions, see Mr. Lawrence in Room G283.

Thank you for your work! Keep writing!

I have read this submission sheet and I understand that submission does not guarantee publication. I agree to follow these guidelines and the publication process. The attached piece is my original work and does not violate copyright law. I give the Wheaton Warrentville South High Literary Magazine permission to publish the attached piece, and I understand that I keep the right to republish this piece elsewhere at any time.

Signature: _____