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# Writing Opportunities for Young People

## Enter These Cool Contests!

1. **Amazing Kids (Ages 5-14)**  
[www.amazing-kids.org](http://www.amazing-kids.org)
2. **Ann Arlys Bowler Poetry Contest, sponsored by *READ Magazine* (Grades 6-12)**  
[www.weeklyreader.com/teens/read/bowlers\\_poetry\\_contest.asp](http://www.weeklyreader.com/teens/read/bowlers_poetry_contest.asp)
3. **ARTS Recognition and Talent Search (Ages 17-18)**  
[www.nfaa.org/Disciplines/write.htm](http://www.nfaa.org/Disciplines/write.htm)
4. ***Guideposts Magazine* Young Writers Contest (Grades 11-12)**  
[www.guideposts.com/young\\_writers\\_contest.asp](http://www.guideposts.com/young_writers_contest.asp)
5. ***Highlights for Kids* Fiction Contest (Ages 16 and up)**  
[www.highlights.com](http://www.highlights.com)
6. **Reading Rainbow (Grades K-3)**  
[pbskids.org/readingrainbow/contest](http://pbskids.org/readingrainbow/contest)
7. **Scholastic Art and Writing Awards (Grades 7-12)**  
[www.scholastic.com/artandwritingawards/enter.htm](http://www.scholastic.com/artandwritingawards/enter.htm)
8. **Scholastic Kids are Authors Competition (Grades K-8)**  
[teacher.scholastic.com/fairs/kaa](http://teacher.scholastic.com/fairs/kaa)
9. ***Seventeen Magazine* Fiction Contest (Ages 13-21)**  
[www.seventeen.com](http://www.seventeen.com) or see November issue
10. ***Skipping Stones* Youth Awards (Ages 7-17)**  
[www.skippingstones.org](http://www.skippingstones.org)
11. ***Writer's Digest* (various ages, ongoing contests)**  
[www.writersdigest.com/contests](http://www.writersdigest.com/contests)

## Get Your Original Writing Published!

1. **Carus Publishing Group**  
[www.cricketmag.com/category\\_home.asp?id=3](http://www.cricketmag.com/category_home.asp?id=3) (Ages 6-9)  
[www.cricketmag.com/category\\_home.asp?\\_4](http://www.cricketmag.com/category_home.asp?_4) (Ages 9-14)  
[www.cricketmag.com/activity\\_display.asp?id=207](http://www.cricketmag.com/activity_display.asp?id=207) (Teens)
2. ***Kids Online Magazine* (All Ages)**  
[www.kidsonlinemagazine.com](http://www.kidsonlinemagazine.com)
3. ***Stone Soup* (Through Age 13)**  
[www.stonesoup.com/main2/sendwork.html](http://www.stonesoup.com/main2/sendwork.html)
4. ***Teen Ink***  
[Teenink.com](http://Teenink.com)
5. ***Teen Voices***  
[www.teenvoices.com/issue\\_current/tvsubmit\\_form.html](http://www.teenvoices.com/issue_current/tvsubmit_form.html)
6. ***WireTap* (Grades 7-12)**  
[www.wiretapmag.org/submit.html](http://www.wiretapmag.org/submit.html)
7. ***Word Dance* (Grades K-8)**  
[www.worddance.com](http://www.worddance.com)
8. ***Young Writer* (Ages 5-18)**  
[www.mystworld.com/youngwriter](http://www.mystworld.com/youngwriter)