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WEB RESOURCES

My Writing Nook (free online writing application) <http://www.mywritingnook.com/>

Six Word Memoirs for Teens <http://www.smithteens.com/sixwords/>

NaNoWriMo Young Writers Program / National Novel Writing Month (November)
<http://www.nanowrimo.org/eng/ywp>

Young Novelist Workbooks (free pdfs) <http://ywp.nanowrimo.org/workbooks>

Fantasy Worldbuilding Questions by Patricia C. Wrede
<http://www.sfgwa.org/2009/08/fantasy-worldbuilding-questions/>

Gail Carson Levine's Blog (discussion on writing how-tos) <http://gailcarsonlevine.blogspot.com/>

TWEEN-TEEN BOOKS ON WRITING

I Can't Keep My Own Secrets: Six-Word Memoirs by Teens Famous & Obscure
by Larry Smith & Rachel Fershleiser

Pieces of Me, Who Do I Want to Be? (anthology), edited by Robert Ballard

Seize the Story: A Handbook for Teens Who Like to Write, by Victoria Hanley

Writing Magic, Creating Stories That Fly, by Gail Carson Levine

Listen to Me, Shared Secrets from Write Girl (anthology), by Write Girl Publications

Writing Smarts: a Girl's Guide to Writing Great Poetry, Stories, School Reports and More!, by Kerry Madden / American Girl Library (tweens)

EXCELLENT RESOURCES

A Kick in the Head: An Everyday Guide to Poetic Forms by Janeczko & Raschka

The Scholastic Rhyming Dictionary by Sue Young (highly recommended)

Scholastic Dictionary of Synonyms, Antonyms, and Homonyms by Scholastic Inc.

Urban Dictionary: www.UrbanDictionary.com

A Teen's Guide to Getting Published: Publishing for Profit, Recognition and Academic Success,
by Jessica Dunn & Danielle Dunn



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