Possible Career Options
(some career areas require advanced education)
Abstract Writer
Advertising Copywriter
Advertising Executive
Arts Administrator
Bibliographer
Consumer Affairs Investigator Copy Editor
Corporate Communications Critic
Customer Service Representative
Editor/Senior Editor
English/Literature Professor Feature Writer
Fund Raiser
Grant Writer
Journalist
Legal Assistant
Legislative Aide
Lexicographer
Librarian
Literary Agent
Lobbyist
Manuscript Reader
Market Research Analyst
Media Planner
Newspaper/Magazine Journalist
Office Manager
Poet
Policy & Procedures Analyst Political Campaign Organizer Proofreader
Public Affairs Coordinator
Public Relations Specialist Publisher
Radio/TV Announcer
Radio/TV Program Assistant
Reporter
Researcher
School Administrator
Screen/Television Script Writer
Song Writer Specialist
Speech Writer
Technical Writer/Communicator
Writer/Author
Writing Center Director

Professional Associations

Academy of American Poets
www.poets.org

American Literature Association
www.americanliteratureassociation.org

American Society of Authors and Writers
www.amsaw.org

The Association of Magazine Media
www.magazine.org

American Society of Journalist and Authors
www.asja.org

American Society of News Editors
www.asne.org

Association of American Publishers
www.publishers.org

International Literacy Association
www.literacyworldwide.org

Modern Language Association
www.mla.org

National Association of Women Writers
www.naww.org

National Council of Teachers of English
www.ncte.org

National Writers Union
www.nwu.org

Society for Technical Communication
www.stc.org

Society of Children’s Book Writers & Illustrators www.scbwi.org

Women’s National Book Association
www.wnba-books.org

Writers Guild of America West
www.wga.org
Hope Graduates in the English World

Academic Specialist ................................................................. Michigan State University
Art Dealer ................................................................................ DeGraaf Fine Art, Ltd
Attorney .................................................................................. Ernest & Young
Associate Dean of the Library ................................................ Adelphi University
Bookkeeper .............................................................................. Allen Animal Hospital
Bookstore Buyer ........................................................................ Hope College
Circulation Assistant ................................................................. Herrick District Library
Communication Specialist ..................................................... Andersonville Chamber of Commerce
Co-Owner ................................................................................ Black River Books
Corporate Proofreader .......................................................... ALAS, Inc.
Developer Analyst .................................................................... Aon Hewitt
Developmental Editor ............................................................ Chicago Review Press
Digital and Social Media Coordinator .................................... Consumer Credit Union
Director of Business Development ........................................ Aqua Clara Foundation
Forms Designer ....................................................................... Foremost Insurance
Editorial Assistant ................................................................. Baker Publishing Group
Editor-in-Chief ....................................................................... Chicago Athlete Magazine
English Teacher ........................................................................ Bartlett High School
Event Coordinator .................................................................... Lake Forest Golf Club
Human Performance Consultant ............................................ Accenture
Human Rights Specialist ......................................................... New York State Division of Human Rights
Intelligence Analyst ................................................................. Central Intelligence Agency
Language Lab Coordinator ..................................................... Baruch College
Managing Editor ..................................................................... American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons
Marketing and Member Services Manager ......................... Andersonville Chamber of Commerce
Marketing Manager .................................................................. Achieve Fitness
Media Specialist ....................................................................... Grand Haven Public Schools
News Director .......................................................................... Interlochen Public Radio
Paralegal/HIPAA Privacy Specialist ........................................ Meijer Inc.
Professor of English .................................................................. Calvin College
Project Manager ........................................................................ Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
Publisher ................................................................................ Howard W. Sams
Registrar ................................................................................ ITT Technical Institute
Research Analyst ...................................................................... Doculabs
Sales Director ............................................................................ Chrysler Corporation Fund
Sr Customer Service Manager ................................................ Fifth Third Bank
Staff Writer ................................................................................ Foundation to Support Animal Protection
Superintendent ......................................................................... California School for the Deaf
Technical Writer ....................................................................... Adobe Systems, Inc.
Writer ......................................................................................... Ann Arbor News
Writer, Editor, Blogger .............................................................. Haworth Inc.