

WRITESTRONGCONSULTING

Specializing in the Art of the Personal Statement

Rates & Packages

Hourly Editing

If you've already written your best personal statement and just need someone to proofread, copyedit, and polish it, I'm happy to do so at the rate of \$75/hour (if your draft is strong, it shouldn't take more than an hour). However, if I think your essay could benefit from more than just surface level editing and needs a significant change in structure or topic, I will suggest one of the following packages.

Get Started Package: \$150

In order for me to help you find the best story to tell in your personal statement, I need to get to know you and your most noteworthy experiences, interests, and accomplishments. That's why I like to begin my work with clients by scheduling an initial two-hour consultation. What you'll get:

- A face-to-face meeting in a location convenient to you
- Application assessment: Do you have multiple applications with multiple, unique essays? Or can you write a personal statement that can be tailored for each school?
- An in-depth interview in which we discuss distinctive experiences that set you apart as an individual and that will guide the narrative of the essay
- A detailed, paragraph-by-paragraph outline of your essay, complete with sample sentences. This will serve as a backbone for the drafting process.
- A reduction in my hourly editing rate that can be used towards revision. Clients who start with the initial two-hour consultation only pay \$50/hour for subsequent hours to revise their drafts.

Recession-Proof Personal Statement Package: \$225

The sour economy is affecting everyone, but it's also providing incentive for many to go back to school and gain new skills to give them a boost in a difficult job market. This package ensures help in the personal statement process from concept to final draft while saving you some dough. What you'll get:

- A face-to-face meeting in my neighborhood (save money by coming to me instead of paying for me to drive to you!)

- Two-hour application assessment, in-depth interview, and detailed outline of your personal statement
- Three hours of editing that can be used to perfect your draft and tailor your statement to each individual school you apply to. Additional hours can be purchased at \$50/hour.

Deluxe Personal Statement Package: \$400

This package is ideal for individuals who need to write multiple essays for multiple schools. If you've got divergent prompts or a slew of optional essays you want to tackle, hourly editing can really get expensive. This package offers a reasonable rate to get all of your application essay needs met. What you'll get:

- A face-to-face meeting in a location convenient to you
- Two-hour application assessment, in-depth interview, and detailed outline of your main personal statement
- Detailed outlines of up to two supplemental essays
- Five hours of editing that can be used to perfect your various drafts. Additional hours can be purchased at \$50/hour.

Letters of Recommendation: \$75 apiece

Quite often, professors or supervisors who agree to write a letter of recommendation for you are strapped for time. In such cases, they may ask you to draft a letter on your own for them to sign. I can help you make sure that the letter you craft is both effective and professional!

Personalized Packages

If you don't see a package here that meets your needs or your budget, let's talk! I can tailor my services to best serve you.

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