

**Student Questionnaire**  
**Kentucky Department of Education/WritePlace Online Tutoring Project**  
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**Receiving Advice About Writing**

Think about the last essay or piece of writing that you submitted to a teacher or tutor for review. Write down the name of your class and explain: what kind of writing you wrote for that class:

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a. On a scale of 1 to 5 (where 1 means "Poor" and 5 means "Excellent,") how helpful were the comments that you received? 1 2 3 4 5

b. Evaluate the the advice using a scale of 1 to 5 (where 1 means "Poor" and 5 means "Excellent.")

- ◆ The overall helpfulness of the teacher's/tutor's comments: 1 2 3 4 5
- ◆ The clarity of the teacher's/tutor's comments: 1 2 3 4 5
- ◆ The teacher's/tutor's responsiveness to your particular writing concerns: 1 2 3 4 5
- ◆ The teacher's/tutor's friendliness: 1 2 3 4 5
- ◆ The time it took for a teacher/tutor to return your paper: 1 2 3 4 5

c. Did you use any of the teacher's/tutor's advice to develop or rewrite your essay or other writing?

- Yes
- No

d. If yes, which advice did you use? Why?

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e. If yes, how did you use the advice to revise your writing?

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f. If no, which advice didn't you use? Why not?

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g. How could the advice have been more helpful?

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6. Overall, how satisfied are you with the teacher's/tutor's advice (where 1 means "Not at all satisfied" and 5 means "Extremely satisfied?"): 1 2 3 4 5

**General Questions About an Online Tutoring Website**

Online tutoring means that you can send your essay or writing draft/s to a tutor through a website. The tutor then would give you feedback by explaining what is effective and not effective in your draft. The tutor would not proofread or edit your writing for you, but instead would coach you on how to improve the draft.

7. Please think about an online tutoring website. Please check below how you think it might help you:

- Ideas for writing
- Grammar
- Organization
- Research
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

8. Have you ever used an online tutoring website?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure/Don't know \_\_\_\_\_

9. Have you submitted an essay or other writing to an online tutoring website?

- Yes
- No
- Not sure/Don't know

a. If yes, why did you submit your essay or writing?

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b. If no, why didn't you submit your essay or writing?

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10. Does the idea of an online tutoring website sound interesting to you?

- Yes
- No

a. If yes, why?

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b. If no, why not?

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14. Would you consider using an online tutoring website in the future?

- Yes
- No

a. If yes, why?

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b. If no, why not?

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15. Do you have any other comments about receiving a teacher or tutor's advice about your writing? Do you have any other comments about using an online tutoring website for your writing?

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**Thank you for your time in answering these survey questions!**