

Online Resources for Grammar and Style

Grammar:

Grammar Girl: <http://www.quickanddirtytips.com/grammar-girl>

Purdue University Online Writing Lab (OWL): <https://owl.english.purdue.edu/>
(and sitemap: <https://owl.english.purdue.edu/sitemap/>)

Style:

The Chicago Manual of Style online: <http://www.chicagomanualofstyle.org>

The *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* style blog:
<http://blog.apastyle.org/>

AP vs. Chicago: <http://www.apvschicago.com/>

Conscious Style Guide: <http://consciousstyleguide.com/>

Plain language:

Federal (US) Plain Language Guidelines:

<http://www.plainlanguage.gov/howto/guidelines/FederalPLGuidelines/TOC.cfm>

NIH Plain Language online training:

<https://plainlanguage.nih.gov/CBTs/PlainLanguage/login.asp>

Plain Language Clear and Simple (Canadian booklet on plain language):

<http://www.ivacheung.com/2014/03/plain-language-clear-and-simple/>

For fun:

Panlexicon.com

Google's Ngram viewer: <http://bit.ly/1oID2nc>

Chicago style monthly Q&A: <http://www.chicagomanualofstyle.org/qanda/latest.html>

Your public library's online resources

Print Resources for Grammar and Style

The basics:

The Gregg Reference Manual

The Chicago Manual of Style

The Yahoo! Style Guide

For fun:

The Sense of Style, by Steven Pinker

The Transitive Vampire, by Karen Elizabeth Gordon

Grammar Girl's Quick and Dirty Tips for Better Writing