



THE STUDY BREAKS REMOTE EDITING INTERNSHIP

Study Breaks is a website written exclusively by college students, and we're looking for student editors for the Spring 2020 semester.

WHAT YOU'LL DO

In general, edit.

Based on a schedule that accommodates your classes, for a period of 12 –15 hours every week, student editors will edit, fact-check and upload articles to the website, then provide brief feedback to the writers of the pieces.

You will also have monthly individual feedback sessions, in which your editing will be reviewed. In addition, your edits will be reviewed by the web editor to ensure they are grammatically accurate and attuned to the Study Breaks voice.

WHAT YOU'LL RECEIVE

While striving to preserve the spirit of the writing, you will practice and improve fundamental editing skills, such as correcting typos, fixing stylistic errors and punctuating phrases appropriately. You will work with our writing guidelines to ensure all material is properly formatted, as well as work to clarify unclear passages or misworded phrases.

In addition, you will also learn the basics of Wordpress, a host used by many modern publications. Uploading to the site requires you to create certain content as well, such as titles, descriptions and captions, which requires a degree of creativity on your part.

You will network with dozens of student writers from across the country, in addition to your editing partners and the Study Breaks staff. Your aptitude for editing will increase after months of practice and feedback, which will in turn improve your writing and analytical capacities.

THE SPECIFICS

The Spring 2020 program runs from Jan. 20, 2020, to May 15, 2020. Applications close Jan. 6, 2020.

In order to qualify for the internship, you must be a college student majoring in English, journalism, editing or some related field. Please attach your resume to an email describing yourself, and please include two non-fiction writing samples.