



HOW TO WRITE A STORY OUTLINE: FROM IDEA TO PUBLICATION

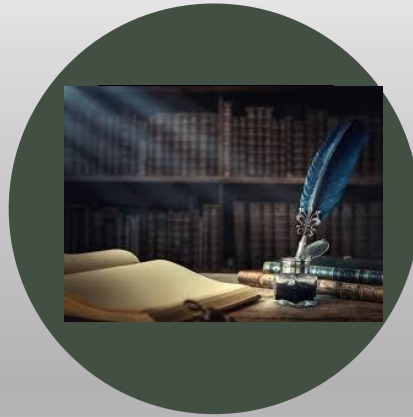
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Your story outline: From Idea to Publication

Week 1:

Prewriting ; Idea Development

Create a timeline.

Find Your Story: Identify a topic that sparks your curiosity and aligns with your expertise.

Define Your Why: Clarify your objectives. Why do you want to write this book?

What message do you want to convey?

Target Audience: Determine who you are writing your book for.

Research: Compile sources to support your idea if necessary.

Begin building social media hype around your story.

Week 2:

Planning and outlining

What is the core idea of your book? Write this down in three sentences or less.

Book Structure: What kind of a read do you want your reader to experience?

Brainstorm the areas you will explore in the book and create a table of contents.

Chapter Outlines: Create detailed outlines for each chapter, including beginnings,

Endings, and key points.

Week 3:

The Dirty First Draft

Establish a Routine: Set aside specific times for writing.

Non-chronological Writing: Write in whatever order you like..

Just Write: Focus on getting your ideas down without worrying about perfection.

Week 4:

Review

Take a Break: Set your draft aside for a few weeks. Clear your mind.

Source cover artist.

Review each chapter and make sure that each contributes to the message.

Check to make sure you do not stray too far from the main point.

Week 5:

Reflect and edit

Eliminate unnecessary repetition.

Proofread for grammar, punctuation, and typos.

Maintain a consistent writing style, terminology, voice and format throughout.

Week 6:

Get ready for publication

Choose a Path: Decide whether to pursue traditional publishing or self-publishing.

Continue building a social media following to promote your upcoming release.

Finalise cover art for your book.

Send your book to 3 ARC readers.

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Stay Motivated throughout. Develop a writing routine that works for you and helps you stay on track.