

**Learn About InvestWrite**  
InvestWrite, an innovative national writing competition, produced by The Stock Market Game program, adds a critical thinking component to help reinforce concepts learned in the classroom.

* Every student currently registered in The Stock Market Game program with a valid team login ID and password is eligible.
* Your students participate by writing essays in their grade division: Elementary (4-5), Middle School (6-8), High School (9-12).
* Every assignment introduces or relates to investment principles linked to The Stock Market Game program. Each InvestWrite assignment ties to various lessons throughout the curriculum.
* Teachers can choose to assign the InvestWrite writing assignment as an in-class or homework assignment.
* Both teachers and students will have a chance to win gift certificates, laptop computers, trips to New York (middle and high school), and other great prizes.
* Each participating student submission has a chance to be reviewed by the competition's first round judge...you, the teacher.
* Then, as the first round judge, you select the top ten responses from each class or group of participants (based on the guidelines and directions).
* Then submit them electronically to the next round of evaluation at the national level on this website.

**If you plan to participate, please help us by completing our "quick-and-easy" pre-registration form.**[**Pre-Register Now!**](http://www.investwrite.org/PreRegister.aspx?grade=ABOUT)

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| http://www.investwrite.org/images/ivw-spacer.gif | |  | | --- | | **FAQs**  **Why should my students participate?** InvestWrite offers your students a chance to think critically and learn subject matter that easily answers the common question, “How can I use this in the real world?” Along with math, economics, language arts and other disciplines wrapped within the program, the premise of earning and investing money speaks clearly to all ages. The opportunity to win prizes ranging from computers to pizza parties to Wall Street "experiences" in New York City, gives them a tangible goal to shoot for.  **How much additional time will I need to learn the InvestWrite curriculum?** Everything you need to know is on the website. Other than discussing the topics with your students and giving them a little direction, you’re done. InvestWrite is designed to enhance The Stock Market Game program without adding planning time to your current curriculum demands.  **Why do I have to pre-register for InvestWrite?** So we can better serve you. The information you provide will facilitate the judging and the distribution of awards to you and your students. It will allow us to know how many students are involved and help us to more efficiently communicate important InvestWrite news and award notification to you.  **How many essays can I submit?** You can submit ten teacher-judged entries per qualified classroom and only one essay per student.  **How long does it take to submit InvestWrite entries?** Just a few minutes. All you have to do is fill in a few information boxes (i.e. your contact info, student’s name, etc.) and cut and paste or type in the InvestWrite entry into our online submission box. **PDF documents can not be accepted.**  **Do my students work in teams or individually?** Individually. Here’s a chance for students to take what they have learned as a member of their team and apply their critical thinking and writing skills individually. | |