

# TYPES OF EDITS

LEVEL OF DETAIL

## STRUCTURAL EDIT

Reorganizes structure, consolidates repetition, reduces rambling and suggests new content

## DEVELOPMENTAL EDIT

Reviews the work and provides a written report on its structure and content

Chapters

## COPY EDIT

Reviews paragraph and sentence structure, tone, readability, spelling and grammar and provides some feedback

Paragraphs/  
Sentences

## PROOFING

Checks spelling, grammar, typos, punctuation, formatting and consistency

Words

**Cost can vary by type/degree of editing needed, document/manuscript type/genre, editor's skill level/experience, difficulty, urgency, anticipated time commitment and other factors.**

## TYPICAL FEES:

**Per word: \$0.01—\$0.05/up**

**Per page: \$3.00—\$10.00/up**

**Per hour: \$20—\$100/up**

**Fees vary and may depend on the standard used—word, page, hour, flat fee—or other factors.**



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