

30-DAY WRITING CHALLENGE · NOV 1 – 30, 2026

50k November Writing Challenge

Pick a level. Write every day. Log your words.

MON

TUE

WED

THU

FRI

SAT

SUN

How it works

1. Write today's session.
2. Log today's words and your total.
3. Fill one circle. Both count the same.

My level

- ☐ Full: 50,000 words · 1,667 a day
- ☐ Minimum: 300 words or 20 min a day

1

SUN · NOV 1
START
50k pace: 1,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

2

MON · NOV 2
50k pace: 3,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

3

TUE · NOV 3
50k pace: 5,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

4

WED · NOV 4
50k pace: 6,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

5

THU · NOV 5
50k pace: 8,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

6

FRI · NOV 6
50k pace: 10,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

7

SAT · NOV 7
50k pace: 11,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

8

SUN · NOV 8
50k pace: 13,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

9

MON · NOV 9
50k pace: 15,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

10

TUE · NOV 10
50k pace: 16,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

11

WED · NOV 11
50k pace: 18,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

12

THU · NOV 12
50k pace: 20,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

13

FRI · NOV 13
50k pace: 21,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

14

SAT · NOV 14
50k pace: 23,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

15

SUN · NOV 15
HALFWAY
50k pace: 25,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

16

MON · NOV 16
50k pace: 26,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

17

TUE · NOV 17
50k pace: 28,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

18

WED · NOV 18
50k pace: 30,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

19

THU · NOV 19
50k pace: 31,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

20

FRI · NOV 20
50k pace: 33,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

21

SAT · NOV 21
50k pace: 35,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

22

SUN · NOV 22
50k pace: 36,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

23

MON · NOV 23
50k pace: 38,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

24

TUE · NOV 24
50k pace: 40,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

25

WED · NOV 25
50k pace: 41,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

26

THU · NOV 26
THANKSGIVING
50k pace: 43,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

27

FRI · NOV 27
50k pace: 45,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

28

SAT · NOV 28
50k pace: 46,667

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

29

SUN · NOV 29
50k pace: 48,333

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

30

MON · NOV 30
FINISH LINE
50k pace: 50,000

WORDS _____

TOTAL _____

☐ FULL ☐ MIN

Finish line · Nov 30

Total words in November: _____

Full or minimum, you finished.

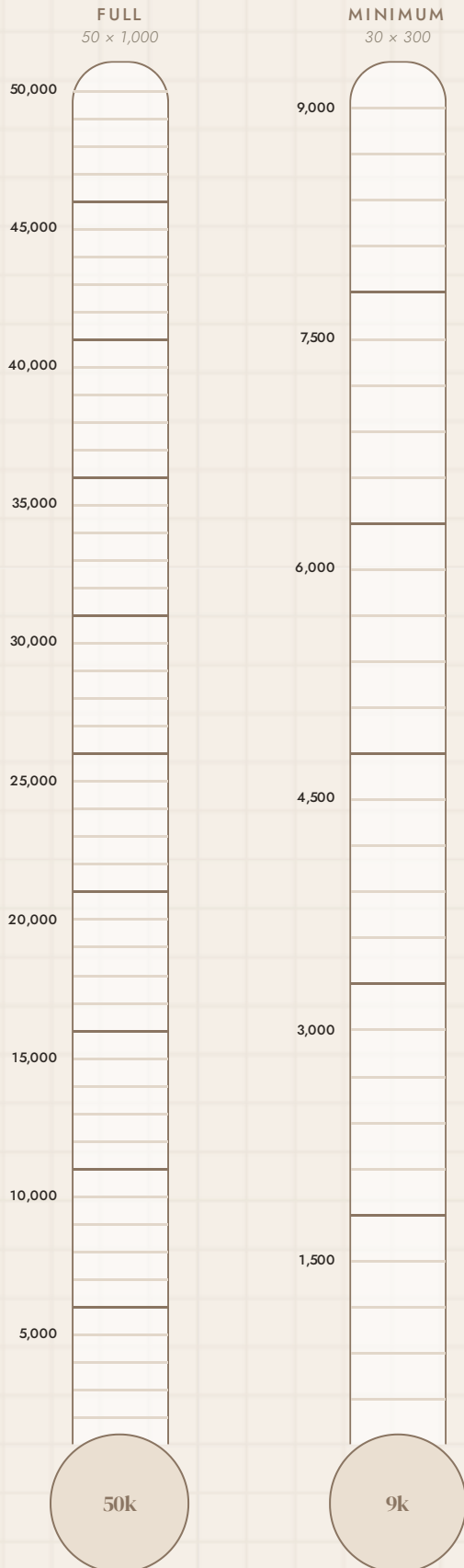
Both circles count the same. Behind? Don't write double tomorrow, just do today's minimum. Miss once, never twice.

Write first. Edit in December.

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50k 50,000 Words

Colour one block every time you pass it. Start at the bottom.



Milestones · Full

10,000 · First big milestone

DATE _____ REWARD _____

25,000 · Halfway

DATE _____ REWARD _____

40,000 · The last stretch

DATE _____ REWARD _____

50,000 · Finish line

DATE _____ REWARD _____

Milestones · Minimum

3,000 · First third

DATE _____ REWARD _____

6,000 · Two thirds

DATE _____ REWARD _____

9,000 · Finish line

DATE _____ REWARD _____

Weekly totals

DAYS 1–7 _____

DAYS 8–14 _____

DAYS 15–21 _____

DAYS 22–28 _____

DAYS 29–30 _____

Every block is proof the book is real.

01 Novel Planning Page

Fill it in during October. No full outline needed, just these answers.

WORKING TITLE

GENRE

MY LEVEL

☐ Full · 50k

☐ Min · 300

THE PREMISE IN ONE SENTENCE

A [character] wants [goal], but [obstacle].

MAIN CHARACTER

Name

What they want

What stands in the way

What they learn

SETTING: WHERE AND WHEN

IT'S A BIT LIKE... (BOOKS, FILMS)

BEGINNING

MIDDLE

END

MY FIRST SCENE (NOV 1)

MY WRITING SLOT

When

 Where

If

 then I write

24 Scene List

Tick each scene when it's written. The order can change.

#	SCENE / CHAPTER	WORDS	#	SCENE / CHAPTER	WORDS
1		☐	13		☐
2		☐	14		☐
3		☐	15		☐
4		☐	16		☐
5		☐	17		☐
6		☐	18		☐
7		☐	19		☐
8		☐	20		☐
9		☐	21		☐
10		☐	22		☐
11		☐	23		☐
12		☐	24		☐

On December 1

My total words

What helped me write

Next step for this draft
