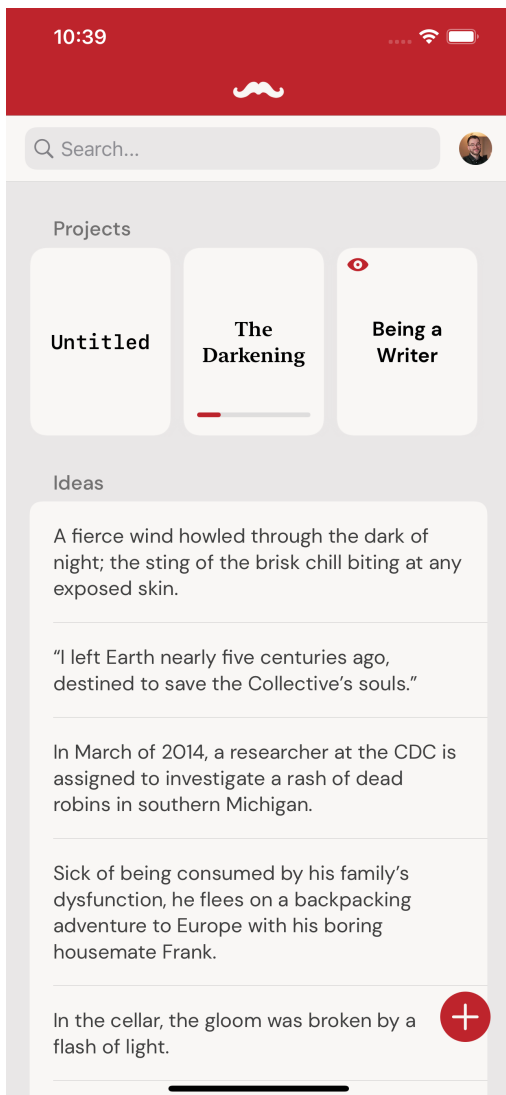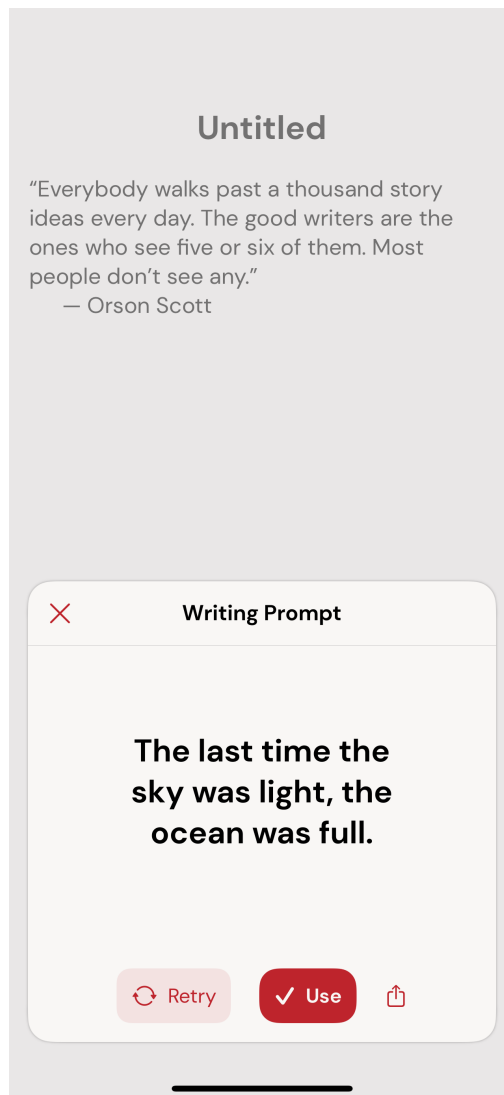# How Werdsmith Works

Step 1: Capture your idea

Whenever inspiration strikes, Werdsmith lets you quickly add it to your Ideas List, before it gets lost. Stuck for what to write? Our AI can create a writing prompt for you.
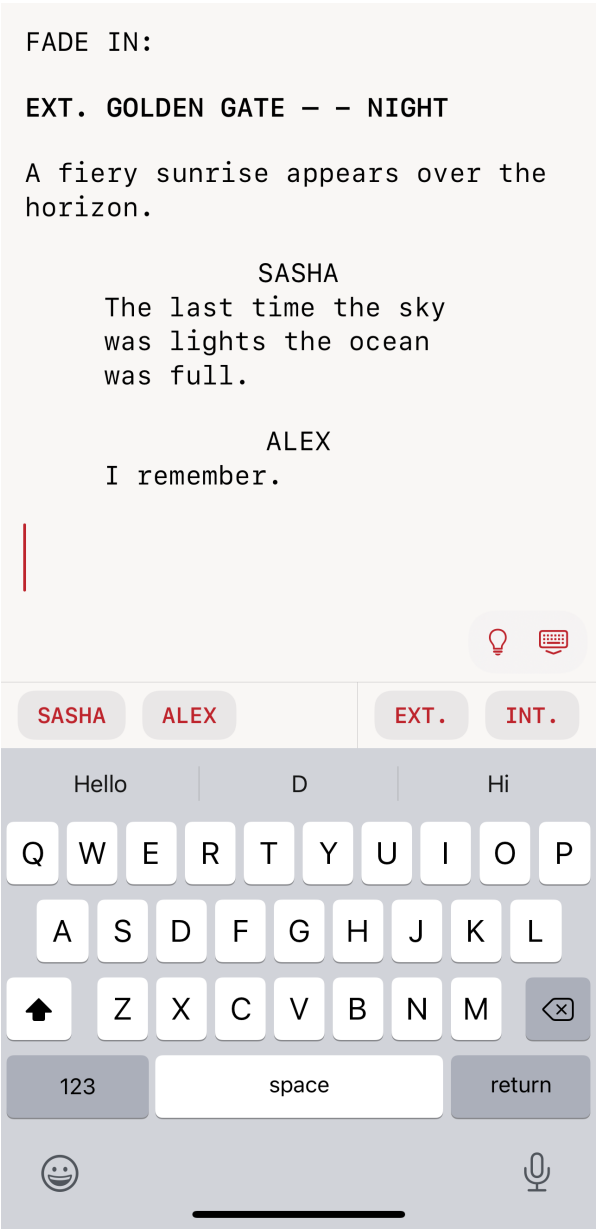

All your writing in Werdsmith is split between Ideas and Projects.
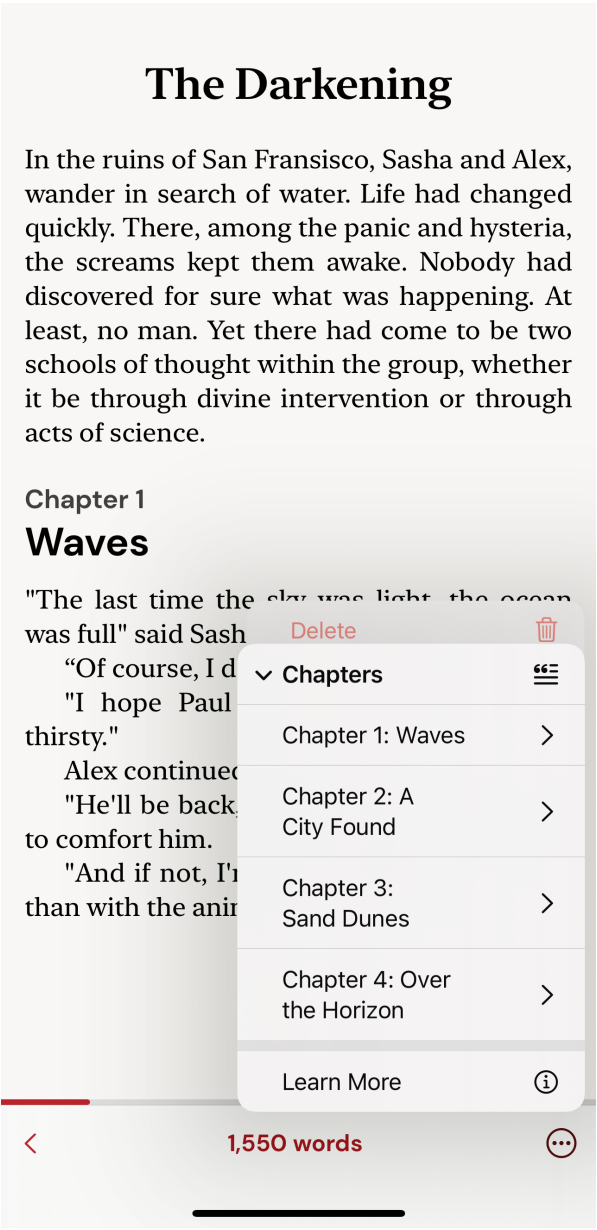

Writing prompts make a blank page less daunting.

Step 2: Start your project

When you're ready to start your project, move it to your Projects List. From here, you can choose Novel, Screenplay or Poem Mode to automatically format your work and make proactive suggestions as you type. This lets you leave the formatting to us, so

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FADE IN:

EXT. GOLDEN GATE — — NIGHT

A fiery sunrise appears over the
horizon.

                SASHA
        The last time the sky
        was lights the ocean
        was full.

                ALEX
        I remember.
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Screenplay Mode suggests character names and screenplay conventions

The Darkening

In the ruins of San Fransisco, Sasha and Alex, wander in search of water. Life had changed quickly. There, among the panic and hysteria, the screams kept them awake. Nobody had discovered for sure what was happening. At least, no man. Yet there had come to be two schools of thought within the group, whether it be through divine intervention or through acts of science.

Chapter 1
Waves

"The last time the sky was light, the ocean was full" said Sash

"Of course, I d

"I hope Paul

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Alex continued

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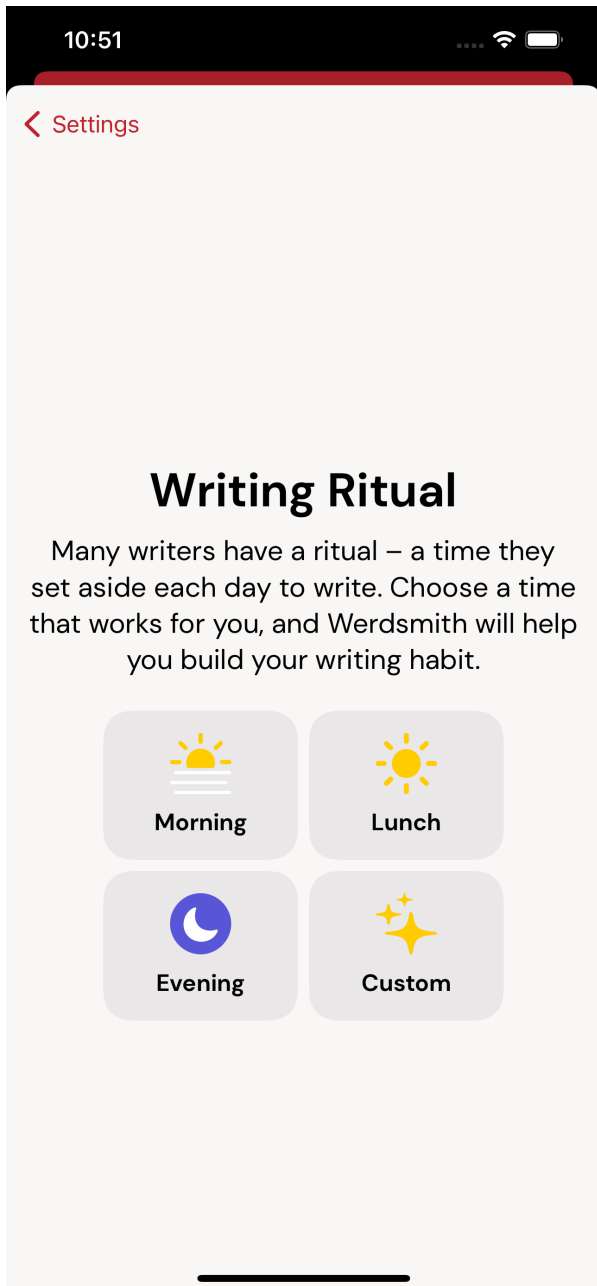| Chapter 1: Waves | > |
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Chapter 4: Over the Horizon	>
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Novel Mode lets you quickly create chapters and jump between them.

you can focus on writing.

Step 3: Create a writing ritual

Many writers have a ritual – a time they set aside every day to write. You can choose a time that works for you, and Werdsmith will help you build up your daily writing habit by reminding you to write.

You can choose a preset ritual time or choose your own.

Step 4: Set a goal

Add a word goal to your project, and we'll show you your progress as you write. We'll even show you how many words you've written and how long you've spent writing, and you can track your daily stats in our handy widget.

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Stats

10,000 edit	15%
word goal	complete

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words	reading length

121	18m 11s
words written	time spent writing

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"I hope Paul makes it back soon, I'm thirsty".
    Alex continued lowering his voice.
    "He'll be back," Sasha said, in an attempt

Writing stats motivate you to get your projects finished.

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