

# Teen Pit



What is #TeenPit?

A Twitter pitch contest built just for teen writers!

On March 17<sup>th</sup>, submit your first page (up to 250 words) and a short (50 word) pitch for your book to:

[submissionsteenpit@gmail.com](mailto:submissionsteenpit@gmail.com)

Twenty-five lucky teen writers will be chosen to work with a professional writing mentor for a full week to hone their first chapter and pitch. Follow the #TeenPit hashtag to stay up-to-date on contest info!

**One** lucky winner will receive a spot in the literary agent round of PitchWars 2018. The winner will be announced on March 31, 2018.

Rules:

1. Open to teen writers in grades 9 -12 who are pitching full novel-length manuscripts or works in progress of at least 25,000 words.
2. Teens chosen for the mentoring round must have parental permission forms completed—no exceptions.
3. The judges' top five will be required to submit their entire work in progress or manuscript to determine a winner!
4. The top manuscript will receive entry to the Pitch Wars agent round, courtesy of the amazing Brenda Drake! \*

\*Manuscripts must be completed in order to be eligible for the Pitch Wars prize. Proof of completion will be required prior to the prize being awarded.

Are you ready? We can't wait to read your words!