

# CELLAR DOOR EDITORIAL ✨ SERVICES

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Type of editing	Service	What is it?	Improves	Ideal for	Cost (Canadian \$; tax incl.)	Timeline
Big-picture, story-level feedback	<a href="#">Manuscript Critique</a>	A ~10-page report * A custom guide to revising the overall structure, organization, and style of your story for maximum reader engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Plot structure</li> <li>- Scene structure</li> <li>- Character arcs</li> <li>- Characterization</li> <li>- Point of view</li> <li>- Plausibility</li> <li>- Pacing</li> <li>- Tension</li> <li>- Setting</li> <li>- Dialogue</li> <li>- Themes</li> <li>- Writing style</li> <li>... and more</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Draft #1</li> <li>- A manuscript that has received little or no professional feedback</li> <li>- An author open to conducting significant revisions &amp; rewrites to strengthen the foundations of the narrative</li> </ul>	40-100K words: ~\$1500 * Under 40K: Email for a quote	~3-5 weeks
	<a href="#">Developmental Editing</a>	Report + scene-by-scene commentary on the margins of the manuscript * Flags potential problems and suggests solutions to captivate your readers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- All of the above but in much more detail, tailored to each scene rather than addressing the story as a whole</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Draft #2</li> <li>- A manuscript that has received some feedback but still needs work at the story level</li> <li>- An author open to developing scenes (adding, removing, or revising material) to improve them</li> </ul>	40-100K words: ~\$0.06/word * Under 40K: Email for a quote	~4-10 weeks
Sentence-level editing	<a href="#">Line &amp; Copy Editing</a>	Line-by-line edits directly within the text * Polishes the prose: cleans up mechanical errors, improves clarity and emotional resonance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Spelling</li> <li>- Grammar</li> <li>- Punctuation</li> <li>- Word usage</li> <li>- Sentence structure</li> <li>- Paragraphing</li> <li>- Clarity</li> <li>- Readability</li> <li>- Style</li> <li>- Flow</li> <li>- Tone</li> <li>- Continuity</li> <li>- Minor plot holes</li> <li>... and more</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Draft #3 (or 4, or 5, or...)</li> <li>- A story that has received feedback from an editor, critique group, and/or beta readers</li> <li>- An author who has finalized the story structure and is ready for the finishing touches</li> </ul>	40-100K words: ~\$0.055/word  10% discount for returning clients: \$0.05/word * Under 40K: Email for a quote	~4-10 weeks