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When I first started my paper I made sure I was in an area with everything I need laid out on my desk; such as; my computer, notebook, and pencil. I think doing this make me writed a lot more effective because I don't waste time looking for my supplies. The other method I think worked for me best was clearing off my whole desk. I make sure my desk is cleared off because I get [claustrophobic](#) when I have things such as pencils, cups, papers...etc. all over my desk that I have to work around. The atmosphere in which I write my papers plays a key role in my writing too. I make sure I am in a quiet workplace like my room so I have no interruptions and nothing else on my mind. These three things are obviously the three best thing that worked for me during the process of writing my paper, but I also ran into a couple problems. Such as finding credible sources for my paper. As I stated in my [Process](#), I always try to look for .gov or .edu cites. I never trust using [Wikipedia](#) as a source for my information because most of my professors and I feel as if Wikipedia doesn't have reliable sources sending in information for their site. Another problem I seemed to run into was pacing myself while writing. The paper ended up meeting the requirements, but thats because I had to take some things out so it isn't longer than 4 pages. Over all, I didn't have too much difficulty writing the paper because my class went over a lot of step-by-step procedures to help piece the paper together. For example, My [professor](#) taught my class and I how to write a thesis. He explained how the thesis is the main idea of the paper in one sentence and how it should be located at the end of the first paragraph.

