

Self-Reflection

English 125, Rafe Kinsey

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Go back and take a look at the email you wrote me after our first day of class. Then think back on what we've done this semester in the class—and what you've thought about and learned in other courses. Write me an email reflecting on the semester.

Some questions to think about¹: What interested you? What didn't you like? What did you find hard? What comes naturally to you? What has the transition to college been like? What do you still need to work on? What has really excited you intellectually? What's your writing process like? Do you need to work on productivity? What about your writing? What have you gotten better at? Are there things you need to work on? Have you noticed anything about your style, or others'? What are you taking next semester? Do you have any questions for me?

If you're really busy and stressed for finals, this doesn't have to be too long. Over winter break, after relaxing a bit, take an opportunity to reflect some more for yourself. Write down some of your thoughts, and feel free to send them to me (or don't, and just keep them private). Keep reflecting as you go through college and beyond.

Logistics

Please email this to me by Thursday, December 19, at 5pm. (This is *after* your final project is due, to give you a bit more time on this if you have a busy finals week. I can't accept late days on this because I will have to submit your grades shortly after the due date.) You can either include your reflection in the text of the email or as a pdf attachment.

¹ You don't have to answer them all, nor do you have to answer them in any particular order