

Journal Directions

Journals due dates will be noted on the syllabus. You will be journaling the assigned essay from the textbook *75 Readings Plus*.

Each journal should be one full page of writing (typed, double space, 12 point font, 1 inch margins) exploring the direction given you for each reading. Because the purpose of the journal is to give you experience responding to the work, I want to see you working with the chosen reading in a thoughtful way. Don't be afraid of being "wrong." Rather, consider what your response is and discuss it fully. In this assignment, you have the opportunity to get creative without concerns of having your grade adversely affected. Think—and write—and have some fun with it.

Then identify **at least four** words that are unfamiliar with and find the meaning in context. Identify the paragraph number in which you found the word, reproduce the **entire** sentence and give the dictionary definition.

Please note: The vocabulary section should be **in addition** to the full page of response to the essay. In other words, you should have a page of writing followed by the vocabulary requirement (you may use front and back of the paper if your printer will allow you to).

ALL OUT-OF-CLASS ASSIGNMENTS MUST BE TYPED.