## LEARNING PROGRESS REFLECTION - No. 1 of 4

## **EXPLORATION**

- Write down a 1-2 sentence synopsis of each of the articles you have found so far, and explain how they relate to your universal theme and which generalizations they connect to.
- → So far, in your exploration of the topic, what did you learn that was new?
- In your exploration of your topic, did you change your topic, your driving question, universal theme, or generalizations? Why did you change any of those elements, or why did you not change them?
- → In your next steps, what other information do you hope to find?
- → How is your collaboration going so far? What is working well and not working well?

This first reflection is due on Friday, March 24th, 2017 by midnight. Please write 12-15 sentences answering one or more of the questions in the prompt above. Write your reflection in the box below and submit it on Canvas. Grammar, spelling, your thought process, and your ability to clearly and thoroughly communicate what you mean will be considered in your grade.

The articles relate to our universal theme and generalizations because people are learning and adapting to what foster care is. I learned that foster care has been increasing more for the white race than the black or african american race. But also that more whites get out of foster care than any other race. While researching our topic our topic did not change. Also the theme and generalization or universal theme did not change either. My partners and I have not yet thought of a driving question. I hope to find more information on why foster care is increasing. Also some viewpoints from the parents and children side of being put into the foster care system. As well as finding out the most common/least common reason to be put into foster care in different cities or states or countries. Our collaboration has been well so far. Since one person doesn't have the same as me or my other partner we meet up with her and talk about symposium in every chance we get. What is not working I would say is not being able to approve anything until everyone is notified but our project would not be fair without it.