

## IN-CLASS REFLECTION ESSAY #3

5 percent of class grade

ANSWER ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

1. Reflect on *the topic* of your story for *Street Roots* (do not comment on the process of doing your story or your group):

Part A: If published in *Street Roots*, explain how your particular story will illuminate a facet of homelessness **for non-homeless readers** in Portland. In other words, what will they learn that they might not have known before?

Part B: Select one other story from the class that you did not work on and explain how you think that story, based on what you know about it, will illuminate a facet of homelessness for non-homeless readers of *Street Roots*.

Part C: Share your opinion of the potential advantages *and* the potential disadvantages, **from the perspective of a homeless person**, of publishing the personal stories of the homeless in *Street Roots*. Try to put yourself in their shoes as best you can when answering the question.

2. Select one book that a classmate presented during last week's book presentations that you would like to read. Name the book, and explain why the subject matter interests you.

3. As a FINAL STATEMENT ...

In one sentence, share one important-to-you insight you will take away from this Capstone.

There are no right or wrong answers. Thoughtful, articulate reflection and thorough explanation will be the basis for evaluation of the essay.