

Ideas Critique Brainstorming by Dr. Deeren

APSU Writing Center Handout

Text-to-Text: How do the ideas in these texts remind you of another text (story, book, movie, song, etc. Not necessarily from this class)?

These texts remind me of _____ (story/book/movie/song) because...

The ideas in these texts are like the ideas in _____ because...

The ideas in these texts are different than the ideas in _____ because...

Text-to-Self: How do the ideas in these texts relate to your own life, ideas, and experiences?

They remind me of the time when I...

I agree with/understand these texts because in my own life...

I don't agree with these texts because in my own life...

Text-to-World: How do the ideas in these texts relate to the larger world—past, present and future?

These texts make me think about _____ (event from the past) because...

These texts make me think about _____ (event from today related to my own community, nation or world) because...

These texts make me wonder about the future because...