Self-Assessment Template

This self-assessment template can be used as a method of fostering reflection and dialogue among students and their community as they understand their work in the context of other high-quality examples. You may choose to use this self-assessment as part of the grading process, as a way to foster productive presentations of learning, as a medium for student-led conferences, or more.

First—Students, get your work! As you complete this self-assessment, be sure to have the following easily available: your final draft of your work, a professional example that we provided for you, and another high quality example of similar work that you used as an influence as you were working.

Then—Answer the following, being sure to include direct evidence wherever necessary.

1. What are you most proud of in this project?
2. How does your work measure up favorably to professional examples? Copy & paste samples of professional work (or use photos) and show how your work is similar to that of professionals.
3. How does your work need to grow, change or improve in order to be more like that of professionals? Copy & paste samples of professional work (or use photos) and show how your work needs to grow, change or improve in order to be more like that of professionals.
4. What was the most effective feedback that you received while drafting & revising your article? Copy/paste the feedback below (or use photos) and describe with evidence how it influenced your subsequent work.
5. What questions do you have about how your ongoing work?
6. Overall, what are the most significant “take-aways” or learnings from thinking about your work in the context of other high quality work?

Save this self-assessment to share with your teacher, or during an exhibition, presentation of learning or student-led conference.

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