

WRITING STEMS FOR THINKING JOURNALS...

I wonder...

What fascinates me here is...

This is important because...

This reminds me of... I can relate this experience/topic/person to...

I do not see the relationship between _____ and _____

What is the meaning of _____

I do not understand _____

Why did/does...

I feel...

Key words/concepts/terms here are _____ because...

The Big Idea here is...

My prediction is...

The themes that are emerging are...

The underlying assumptions/biases/interests here seem to be...

What puzzles me is...

My goal for this week/month/semester is ...

And here's how I intend to achieve it...

What I am learning here about myself, my understandings, my feelings is ...