

**ES 237\* SPRING 2020\*ANGELL**  
**Guidelines for Individual ACE Journal**

You will keep a journal for each of your two ace project this semester. I will expect the completed ACE Journal for the first project in the course to have 4 entries and to be about 2,000 words total so you might aim for about a page for each entry (although they may well vary in length and I would probably expect the first one to be shorter). For each entry I will share some prompts for you to respond to in your journal. **Your prompt for the first entry is below!**

Please start a Google doc that you share with me. Each time you add an entry you will simply add to that existing Google doc. Name your document with your name followed by ACE Journal (or something like that so I can find it). Date each of your entries. These entries should be carefully written, complete and thoughtful!

- First one is due next Friday (Feb 28th) Prompt below.
- Dates for middle two entries are flexible! (I might make some suggestions just to keep you on track.) Prompts coming
- Final Entry should be completed after Spring Break (Wed April 1st) Prompt coming.

**Prompt for first entry:**

Please describe your group work experiences in the past. Reflect on your role in previous groups and how you ended up in that role. Do you tend to be the organizer or the person that sits back and waits to be organized?

If your experiences were not what you had hoped, please think about why a particular group project did not work out. What could YOU have done to troubleshoot problematic group experiences?

Whether you had positive or negative group work experiences, please share with me some explicit goals for this first group project experience. If you are the one that always steps up and is proactive, perhaps this could be a time you support a different student in taking on that role? If you are the one that enjoys being more passive, what are some concrete goals to help you take on a more central role?