

FINAL PORTFOLIO

Creative Writing with Mrs. O'Brien
June 2015

DUE DATE: Friday, June 12th (last day of classes)

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

- ONCE YOU HAVE COMPLETED YOUR ONE ACT PLAY (Due Monday, June 1st), you can begin working on your final portfolio.
- There are 4 PARTS to this final portfolio.
 - 1) You will be handing in 3 of your favorite pieces of writing from this semester. These 3 pieces must be **POLISHED, REVISED, and TYPED**.
 - 2) You must also hand in **NEW WRITING**. You may choose 1 of the following choices:
 - a. 1 new book of microfiction
 - b. 3-5 new poems—any form, length, etc.
 - c. 1 new short story
 - d. 1 new play
 - 3) You need to submit the graded copies of the 3 pieces you choose—these are the copies that have my comments and grades on them. The reason for this piece is so that I can see the revisions you made.
 - 4) Finally, you will write a 1 to 2 page reflection (typed & double-spaced). Within this reflection, I would like to hear:
 - a. why the 3 pieces you chose are your favorite
 - b. what you feel you have learned and/or how you feel you have developed as a writer during the course of this semester
 - c. what your favorite part of this course has been
 - d. what you would change about this course, if anything

FORMAT:

- Please use the folder that I gave you at the start of the semester to submit your final portfolio. Place the pieces in the appropriate pockets.

FRIDAY JUNE 12th :

- I am hoping that, by now, everyone will feel comfortable sharing 1 piece of writing on our last day of class. We won't be workshopping them; we will simply be sharing and celebrating all of your hard work!
- I will leave it up to the class as to whether or not you would like to have a party on this last day of class. If so, we will start a list where people can sign up to bring in food, etc.