***Feature Portfolio & Self-Evaluation***

**What to include…**

What do you feel best represents your work this unit? Think of where you began and where you are now. Show growth. You should choose three artifacts that you feel best demonstrate your development as a feature writer. You may choose to further revise and polish any of your work from this unit. Include drafts, revisions and final copies (all versions) to show your learning along the way.

***I will be looking for effort, skill and growth.***

**Reflect on each piece.**

Walk me through your artifacts and explain why each piece is included*. Write a brief reflection on each piece (approximately one paragraph each).* For instance, even if one feature isn’t as good as you wanted it to be, explain to me what technique you were trying to use. If you learned something more recently and there is evidence you’ve incorporated that skill into your repertoire, tell me (and show me).

**Consider your goals.**

What do you want to do now? How will you grow as a writer? What are your strengths and weaknesses, and how will you address them? What do you like and not like about what you do? *Write a purpose statement (again, about a paragraph) in which you state your plans for the short-term.*

**What grade do you feel you’ve earned for this unit?**

Keep in mind how you’ve grown and also how you’ve contributed to the class discussion and learning as a whole. Be honest. What have you done to earn that grade? *Write your justification.*