

Postwrites

Each revision (Mandatory and Optional) must be accompanied by a new typed Postwrite.

A Postwrite is a place where you to talk to me, rhetor to rhetor.

Use the concepts, terminology, theories, and insights that we've read about and discussed throughout the semester to explain your strategies, etc. Explain in detail the following (use these headings):

- **Readers:** Explain how you see your readers in terms of your particular topic. What did you think our attitude(s) toward your topic and thesis would be before we read your essay? What makes you think we have such attitudes toward your topic?
- **Purpose:** What is your primary purpose in this essay? Are there secondary purposes as well?
- **Rhetoric:** What rhetorical strategies, rhetorical techniques, and stylistic approaches did you use (e.g., did you use first or third person, present or past tense, what did you do to catch readers' interest and to establish kairos, did you use any images or figurative language, any attention- catching stylistic devices)? Be specific.
- **Advice:** Explain in detail the advice you received from the workshop and (if applicable) from the Writing Center. Explain your reasons for following or not following particular pieces of advice.
- **Optional Questions:** This is the only optional section of the Postwrite- if there are specific aspects of rhetoric or style that you wish me to comment upon, please indicate them here.