

Journal #1

Our overarching essential question for the year asks how one finds or preserves identity in the midst of oppression and despair. Remember, identity is an amalgam of an individual's role within a family, social circle, community and country. Some aspects are fluid and shift, others remain constant. This becomes each individual's story or myth.

Explain your identity. Who are you? What makes you tick, what inspires you, what annoys you.? Think about the most significant “layers” of your identity in an attempt to paint a picture of your authentic self.