

## **GETTING TO KNOW YOU EXERCISE**

Describe your family and your current living situation. Who all is there, and what is currently going on with you and them. Do you live at home? On your own? Share an apartment? House? Only child? One of many siblings. Head of household? Supported by another? Share what you feel comfortable sharing.

Where were you born, where have you lived and where all have you traveled? How many languages do you speak?

What all do you read, watch or listen to? Books, magazines, theatre, TV, radio, stereo, etc.?

When you are not in school what else is going on in your life? Hobbies? Work? Do you write poetry, sing, play sports or some other activity?

Please tell me a short term, medium range and a long term goal you have for yourself? What is keeping you from accomplishing those goals now?

What makes you happy? What brings joy to your life? When things need to be recharged, what do you do?

What makes you angry? What things in life really concern you, make you mad? If you could make it better so it weren't such a problem in the world, what would it be?

What is your greatest fear in the world?

Which public speaker exhibits the best speaking skills?

Have you ever had any type of performing skill: Acting, playing a musical instrument, speaking in front on any groups? What was that experience like?

Is there anything I should be aware of about you that will help me to be a better teacher for you? What else would you care to share that will give me insight or better meet your needs as students in this class?

The questions on this form are intended to help me better serve you. They are not intended to pry. Do not answer any question you do not feel comfortable with, and please understand that this form does not affect your grade in any way. It is only a tool for me to get to know you better and to help me better serve your needs. It will not be shared with anyone else.

Type the answers in form of short paragraph and return to me next class.