

Using informal writing

[Informal, In Class Writing Activities](#)

The University of Minnesota has posted descriptions of several writing activities (often ungraded) that can be used to deepen students' thinking about the topic at hand in class. Also included is a useful and realistic discussion of ways faculty can respond to this sort of writing.

[Informal Writing Assignments](#)

The U. of Wisconsin offers this list of short writing assignments designed to help students think about what they have learned in a class session. They are easily adapted to many contexts.