**First Day Writing Self Assessment**

1. Describe how you think of yourself as a writer. Does writing come easily to you or do you struggle with it?

2. What writing courses have you taken in college?

3. Describe any writing experience you have outside of school.

4. What are your strengths as a writer?

\_\_\_\_\_ Conciseness \_\_\_\_\_Other (explain on back)

\_\_\_\_\_Research \_\_\_\_\_ Coming up with ideas

\_\_\_\_\_Editing \_\_\_\_\_Grammar

5. What are three areas in writing you would like to improve this term?

\_\_\_\_\_ Organizing paragraphs \_\_\_\_\_Conciseness

\_\_\_\_\_ Grammar \_\_\_\_\_Research

\_\_\_\_\_ Coming up with ideas \_\_\_\_\_Editing

1. Considering that this course introduces a new style of writing, what can you do to help acclimate yourself to that style? What study habits will you use to help you be successful this semester?