## Reflection journal rubric:



## Written Journal Reflections:

- Students are required to write journal reflections addressing a given prompt or question on an almost daily basis.
- Reflection responses are intended for students to write whatever is on their mind regarding a particular prompt.
- Students, along with advisor, will self-assess journals.

We will assess journal writing several times throughout the year using the following scoring system:

- **4 Highly detailed; shows interest and individuality; includes personal connections;** thoughts make sense/can be explained or followed; shows thought process; clearly connects relevant ideas; author can clearly explain thought process and connections
- **3 Reflections clearly relate to topics; includes details and connections;** thoughts make sense and/or can be explained by the author verbally
- **2 Each entry includes at least 1 identifiable thought as the main focus** of the day's reflection; demonstrates limited connection to personal experience
- **1- Entries are completed, but with little demonstration of thought;** simple summary of events; lacks detail or individuality; doesn't make sense/can't be explained; connection to topics unclear
- **BLU Below Level of Understanding -** assignment completed, but is not an acceptable demonstration of understanding...does not demonstrate reflective thinking
- NHI Not Handed In/not completed