

Week 9 Reflection: Midterm check-in

1. **Exam.** How did the first exam go? What study strategies did you use? Do you think these were useful?

I didn't want to take the exam. I don't have it under my learning outcomes and personally I don't see how it's helpful in any way. As a result I probably did horrible.

2. **Grading Contract.** Review your grading contract and assess yourself (See the ePortfolio Midterm checklist). Are you on track to earn your contracted grade? Include 5 sources (e.g., participation, project) of evidence to support your assessment. Are there any revisions you want to make?

I'm doing good. My portfolio speaks for itself. I cannot complete the whole portfolio yet because we have not completed the described assignments.

3. **Engagement.** We have 2 jigsaws, 2 lectures, and 2 chapters of Braiding Sweetgrass left in the semester. What are 3 things I can do to keep you engaged in the second half of the semester?

Nothing.

4. **Research Project.** To what extent do you feel that you and your research partner(s) have been successful on your research project for CODE220 thus far? What are 3 changes you wish to implement moving forward?

We are perfectly on track. Everything is going to plan. We can perform more research, study our sources, and further develop our plan.

5. **ePortfolio.** You need to have an updated ePortfolio by the end of this week. Review your grading contract to determine what evidence you should include on this because the ePortfolio is a major component of your grade. Provide me the hyperlink of your ePortfolio so I can assess your progress.

<https://eportfolio.siu.edu/aiden-martinez/code-221-learning-contract/>