



**Sierra Writers**

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## CAMPUS WALKING TOUR Writing Prompts

### **Reflections**

You are standing as close one possibly can to glassy water without being in it. The image is peering back, sole to sole. Discuss something that only this reflection knows.

Does darkness play a role in reflection? Elaborate.

Write down as many descriptive words as you can about today's water conditions.

### **Butterfly Koi**

Koi fish symbolize friendship and prosperity in Japan. How and why do you think these fish gained that notoriety? Write a scene that includes one or both of these.

If California had an animal that represents kinship, which animal would it be?

Would you rather be a wild or a highly maintained fish? Why?

### **Maturing Landscape**

What does it mean for a landscape to mature? Expound.

Outline a maturation process for a character.

When you think about the earth being approximately 4.5 billion years old and humans occupying only a small fraction of that time, what role does memory play? What are the repercussions of historical information being 'lost in memory'?

### **Bell Tower - Boundy Gathering Place**

Describe the people and settings of two gatherings. One joyful and one during a time crunch.

If one of your most emotional moments could be captured in a 3D model that included all five senses, describe that model.

Write a story about a couple meeting because of the Boundys.

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