

## Stage 4: Step 1B: My Partner's First Impressions

### Who Should Do This Step? *My Reading Partner*

(If you're working by yourself, skip this step!)

**If you're working with someone else to workshop your essay**, have your **reader** repeat this process for your essay.

First, have them tell you all the things they like about your essay--no matter how big or how small.

Next, have them tell you **ONE ADDITIONAL THING** they have questions about or think you should work on. Just one!

**Don't** let your partner give you more than one item to work on at this point. They might get excited to help you out and lose their heads, wanting to rattle off a whole list of things they think will improve your essay. **Remind them** that this is a process, and right now the focus is big picture, one-thing-at-a-time, manageable steps towards revision of structure + content.

#### Things My Partner Likes about My Essay (Step 1B)



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#### ONE Thing My Partner's Not Sure About (Step 1B)

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