

1. Think about your chosen topic from the perspective of someone who has never experienced it before. What are some of the assumptions your chosen topic would address? What would be the most “shocking” to someone from outside your chosen culture? What would be the least shocking?

2. As you do your fieldwork, remember to separate your biases, emotions, and feelings from the data that you are collecting. Use the space below to keep track of things that shocked YOU during your fieldwork. What surprised you? Anything make you angry? Unsettled? Wishing you chose a different topic? Frustrated?

**Be sure to include this worksheet in your final portfolio submission. You may use extra pages if necessary.**