

# SELF-GUIDED TOUR: *HOME*

Use this guide front and back to inspire writing and action using photography.

## BRAIN DRAIN

Write freely, sharing what you know about the lineages and heritages of the people who are most important to you.

## READ THIS PHOTOGRAPH

Find the artwork in the *If I Had a Hammer* Exhibition and take each step.

**Look**  
What do you **notice** in this image?

**Question**  
What do you **wonder** about the people and what they are doing?

**Connection**  
In her series, *Casta*, artist Delilah Montoya explores the social identity of present-day multicultural families, by having them stage their portraits. Explain how your chosen family's portrait would be similar or different. What image would your family present to show your cultures?

**Interpret**  
What might be the story this family wants the viewer to see based on the way they have staged their portrait?



Delilah Montoya, *Casta-8*, 2018.

## RESPOND

Inspired by Delilah Montoya's work, share your families story, what is your family proud of about their culture?

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## WRITE IT

Write a love poem to the cultures and heritage that shape your chosen family or home.

## PICTURE IT

Develop a photographic composition inspired by your poem that celebrates your family and heritage. For example, photograph your family in the spaces you hang out, or on a special occasion. What ideas do you have? What materials or space will you use to make this image? Outline and sketch it here.

## SHARE IT

Show off your artistic process and final results.

Tag your work @FOTOFEST on Instagram.

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