

Discussion Prompts

You can use these discussion prompts to assist in explaining the guiding question to students and helping them take meaningful pictures, writing descriptions and having conversation with each other about their pictures.

Explaining the Guiding Question: What Does Breakfast Mean to You?

There is no right or wrong way to create pictures for this activity. Encourage students to consider many parts of breakfast that extend past the food itself. For example:

- Who is a part of your breakfast community?
- Do you feel strongly about any food you have for breakfast?
- Think of WHERE you eat breakfast. Is there anything that stands out in the space?
- How do you contribute to or participate in breakfast?
- Do you have a special breakfast memory?
- · Where does your food come from?

Writing a Description

Have students write 1-3 sentences describing the contents or significance of their photo. This might include:

- What is your picture of?
- What memories, feelings or reasons did you have for selecting this picture?

Begin the Discussion

Next, we hope that students can engage in a discussion about each other's pictures by leaving comments either virtually, verbally or on notecards. When students are viewing their classmates' pictures, have them consider the following:

- What do you like about the picture?
- How does this picture make you feel?
- · Have you had a similar feeling or experience?
- What stands out in this picture?
- Would you like to ask a question about this picture?

