Weiss – All Classes Debate # \_\_\_\_\_

**2016 Presidential Debate Observation and Analysis Journal**

1. What stands out to you as you watch the debate? What general observations can you make? What do you notice?
2. What observations can you make about Hillary Clinton’s performance? Consider both substance and style.
3. What observations can you make about Donald J. Trump’s performance? Consider both substance and style.
4. In an election season marked by inflammatory rhetoric, what did you notice about the language the two candidates used? What words or phrases stood out for any reason? Why do you think the candidate(s) used this language, and what effect do you think it will have on voters?
5. After the debate: Which candidate do you think will be helped more by this debate, and why?