1. Read: [*'New teachers find Beginning Teachers' conference a big help*](https://www.teachers.ab.ca/News%20Room/ata%20news/Volume%2035/Number%205/In%20the%20News/Pages/New%20teachers%20find%20Beginning%20Teachers%20Conference%20a%20big%20help.aspx)*.'*

What did you find that was a challenge for these new teachers?  What was useful as they entered (or re-entered) the teaching field?  How could you use their stories as you move forward to your teaching career?

Also, reflect on the following:

What questions do you have about your career path?

Are there certain factors that you're unsure about?

What made you choose this as a career?

2.) After reading the *Preamble from* NAEYC's Code of Ethics, answer the following*:*

1. What does the Code of Ethics offer educators?
2. The Preamble lists seven Core Values.  Which two would you prioritize as most important?  Why?
3. What is the difference between ***ideals*** and ***principles***?
4. Why would an educator consult the Code of Ethics?