Grades 9-12, Theatre

Standards:

CA CCSS Writing Standards for Literacy in Science and Technical Subject (WHST)
11.10: Write routinely over extended time frames (time for reflection and revision) and shorter time frames (a single sitting or a day or two) for a range of discipline-specific tasks, purposes, and audiences.

Grades 9-12
VAPA, Theatre, Artistic Perception, Advanced
1.3: Identify the use of metaphor, subtext, and symbolic elements in scripts and theatrical productions.

Lesson Idea:

Students will maintain a year-long, reflective journal in which they identify the use of metaphor, subtext, and symbolic elements in two scripts and one live play per semester.

The journals will be interactive by nurturing dialogues and arguments with the theatre arts instructor, showing a range of writing over both extended and shorter time frames. Additionally, journals will be interactive within a school acceptable Web site, such as eChalk.