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Current Events Paper

As students of social studies, it is important to pay attention to what is going on in the world around us. It is also important to become familiar with reading the newspaper and becoming a world citizen. This current events assignment will have you look at three different news articles in the newspaper.

Please make sure you use a newspaper. There are usually newspapers in the library and I will try to bring some in. Please DO NOT use a magazine or the Internet. You will be required to attach the article to the back of your current events paper. Use one staple in the top left corner. You will lose 5 points for not attaching your article.

I do not require that you type your write up; you will not lose points, but if possible, please type it. If you write it, you must use your best penmanship. It must be neat.

You will be responsible for completing 3 current events write-ups **on a separate sheet of paper.**

When are they due?

- CE Paper #1: _____
- CE Paper #2: _____
- CE Paper #3: _____

Please use the following format on a separate sheet of paper.

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Current Events Paper # _____ **(heading 5 points)**

Name of newspaper: _____ **(5 points)**

Date of newspaper: **(5 points)**

Title of article: “ _____ ” **(5 points)**

Author of article: **(5 points)**

Type of news: Local / State / National / Global **(5 points)**

Why did you decide to read this article? (Please use a complete sentence to answer this question.) **5 points**

Summarize in 7 – 8 complete sentences what the article is about. **(60 points)**

****Make sure to cut the article out of the newspaper and attach it to the back of your write-up!! (5 points)**