

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 that you use a newspaper. There are always newspapers in the library and I will try to bring some in. Please DO NOT use a magazine or the Internet.

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 cursive handwriting.

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

When are they due?

- **September 24th**
- **October 8th and October 22nd**

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

Name _____

Period _____

Date _____

Current Events Paper # _____

Name of newspaper:

Date of newspaper:

Title of article:

Author of article:

Type of news: Local/State/National/Global

Did you know anything about this topic before reading this article? (Please use a complete sentence)

Summarize in 4-6 complete sentences what the article is about.