Directions: Find TWO articles either in the newspaper or online from a newspaper source. Read the articles and respond to the article ensuring you include answers to the questions below. Only ONE article may be Entertainment or Sports related. Please find and read about important issues in our world today. As this is a current events assignment you are to choose an article that is no more than a week old. Attach the article to your response. Please ensure you include the following details:

Title of Article

Source

WHO is this article about?

WHAT is this story about? List three important facts from your article.

WHEN did this story take place?

WHERE is this event or issue occurring? (Specify city, country, region, etc.)

WHY is this story important?

CONNECT the article. What does it have to do with you? Can it be connected to anything we learned or are learning about in class? Is this a local, Provincial or National issue?

Grading will be based on the following rubric:

4 – Entire Current Event assignment meets the following requirements for each statement above:
   a. Demonstrates thoughtfulness, preparation, and accuracy.
   b. Reflects real understanding of the story and the issues.
   c. Follows directions.
   d. Is complete, neat, and includes entire article.
   e. Asks and answers a provocative (for discussion purposes) question.

3 – Current Event assignment is complete but lacks 2 of the above requirements.

2 – Current Event assignment lacks 3 of the requirements.

1 – Current Event assignment lacks 4 of the requirements.

0 – Current Event assignment is late (excepting all day absence) or lacks 5 or more of the above requirements.