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Due Date:

Topic: Current Event

Skill: Interpretation and Summarization

Topic Description

Peruse the front page of at least three issues of this week's newspaper. If you don't get a newspaper, visit the web or select an article from a weekly news magazine. Choose a global or national event for this assignment. Read the article and summarize the main points in one solid paragraph. Include what happened, when and where it happened, and if possible, people involved and reasons why this event occurred. Attach the article if possible. Make reference to the newspaper, magazine, or web page from which you read the story, and state the date of publication. Add a one sentence personal reaction at the end of the summary.

Skill Description

You will be evaluated on:

- efficient summary including details regarding who, what, where, when, and why
- your reaction
- appropriateness of article

ME Book Rubric		
Me	Teacher	Objective
		Properly identified, interpreted and summarized a current event (3 pts)
		Proofread for spelling, grammar, and punctuation (2 pts)
		Content is appropriate
		Includes a title, border, and picture
		Includes your name on front and back
		Mounted on colored construction paper
		Handed in on time clipped to this assignment sheet
		Total Points