

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Period: \_\_\_\_\_

### CURRENT EVENTS WORKSHEET

**Directions:** Find an article either in the newspaper or online from a newspaper source, Time.com, USA Today, The New York Times, etc., or any other reputable national or local source. Read the article and fill out the statements or answer the questions below. **You may not use articles on Entertainment/Gossip or Sports.** Please find and read about important issues that **relate to our current unit or events that are happening in the area of the world we are studying.** Because this is a current events assignment you are to choose an article that is *no more than two weeks old* from when the assignment is given. Attach the article to the worksheet.

**Topic of Article:**

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**Title of Article:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Source (where did you find this article):**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following questions using complete sentences.**

**WHO** is this article about?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
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**WHEN** did this story take place?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**WHY** is this story important?

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**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?

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