## AP US Government and Politics Current Event

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<b>Directions:</b> Find an article either in the newspaper Time.com, USA Today, The New York Times, etc., of source. Read the article and fill out the statements and read about important issues in our world today assignment you are to choose an article that is no massignment is given.	or any other reputable national or local or answer the questions below. Please find y. Because this is a current events
Topic of Article:	
Title of Article:	
Source:	
WHO is this article about?	
WHAT is this story about? List three important fact	ts from your article.
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WHEN did this story take place?	
WHERE is this event or issue occurring? (Specify city, country, region, etc.)	
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?	

## Grading will be based on the following rubric:

- **10** Entire Current Event assignment displays the following requirements for each question/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.
- 7 Current Event assignment is complete but lacks 2 of the above requirements.
- **5** Current Event assignment lacks 3 of the requirements.
- **3** Current Event assignment lacks 4 of the requirements.
- **o** Current Event assignment is late (excepting all day absence) or lacks 5 or more of the above requirements.