

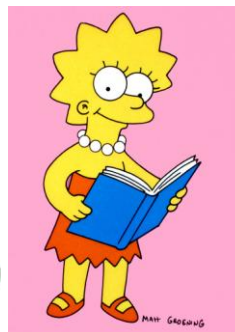
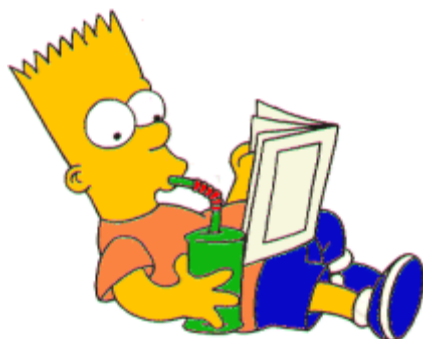
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Article Assignment Grades 3-5



Students in grades 3-5 you will read an article and complete an article summary worksheet. You will choose a current article that doesn't contain any gossip, is not an announcement, and is not exclusively sports related (i.e. specific game scores, etc., though an article about the history of the Olympics would be appropriate.) You may login to Newsela.com to access any of the articles that are assigned in your binder or re-read an article that you had already read on Newsela.com. You will complete the assigned worksheet that is available (on the next 2 pages of this document) or on my server at the following address:

<http://kingofalltechnology.com/currentevents1.pdf> or you may find the article by visiting <http://www.mrshamblin.com> click on Galaxy or Technology and Learning Button under my picture, and scroll down (you can access newsela.com from there) and you find the worksheet under Galaxy and Challenge Lesson Links #31 Current Events Assignment 1. **DO NOT OPEN UP ASSIGNMENT 2.** You can write your questions and answers on loose leaf paper and everyone in the class will share their chosen article during the first round of current events presentations. You will be graded on posture, eye contact, voice and presentation.

You may use [cnn.com](http://cnn.com), [cleveland.com](http://cleveland.com) or any other credible website for news articles. You may use magazines and newspapers as well. Attached on the next page is the article assignment!



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

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

## Current Events Article Summary Worksheet and Discussion

Directions: Complete one Article Summary Worksheet for each article read. Choose a current article that doesn't contain any gossip, is not an announcement, and is not exclusively sports related (i.e. specific game scores, etc., though an article about the history of the Olympics would be appropriate.) Please check with a teacher if you are unsure if your article follows the guidelines.

### ❖ Bibliographic Information

- ♦ Author(s) of article: \_\_\_\_\_
- ♦ Title of article: \_\_\_\_\_
- ♦ Name of magazine, newspaper, website, etc. containing the article:  
\_\_\_\_\_
- ♦ Date article was published: \_\_\_\_\_

### ❖ Summary Information

- ♦ Briefly state the main idea or thesis presented in this article:  
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- ♦ Summarize the most important information, ideas, facts, etc. presented in this article:  
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❖ **Personal Reaction**

- ◆ What was the most surprising/interesting thing you found out by reading this article?

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- ◆ What question(s) do you have after reading this article? What would you like to learn more about?

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- ◆ What other keywords/topics for further research did you find reading this article?

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