

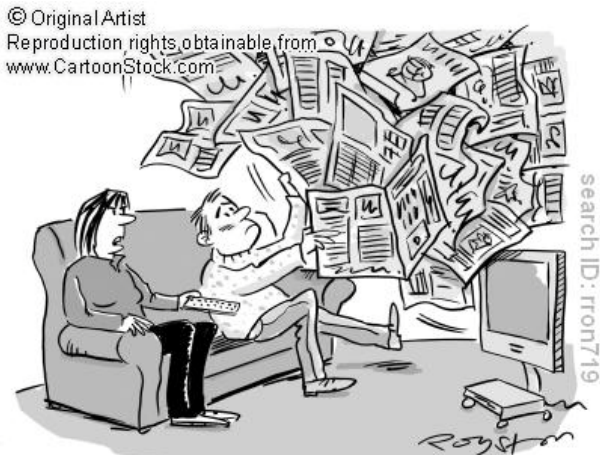
AP World History
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Current Events Assignment - Semester One

Current events are a crucial component of any World History curriculum. It is important that you begin exploring the world around you and assessing the impact of events on your life. The more educated you are the better you can understand the decisions of individuals, communities, businesses and governments.

Your assignment is as follows:

1. You will be assigned one Friday during the first semester to research and present a current event article.
 - a. Your Current Event Day is _____
2. Once you have your date, look at the AP World History syllabus and review the Five AP World History themes.
3. Your article must incorporate at least one of the five AP World History themes.
4. Your article should evolve somewhere in the world outside of the United States, but can involve the United States.
5. Try to find an article that is very current in time.
6. Use reputable newspapers, magazines, websites, when finding an article.
 - a. NY Times, CNN, BBC, etc...
7. Read through the article completely.
8. Answer the questions on the attached sheet regarding your current event.
9. Fully cite the article using MLA style.
10. On the day your current event is due, you will hand in or email me your paper.
11. Then you will present to the class what your article was about, without reading it.
12. Be prepared to answer questions the class or myself may have regarding your current event.



"So, the paper's a little messed-up after I've been reading it ... big deal!"

Current Event Assignment

Name: _____

Due Date: _____

Title of Current Event: _____

Work Cited: _____

Write a summary of what the article is about.

Which AP World History theme/s does this article cover?

How does the article relate to the theme/s?
