

Westfall
Earth Science

Weekly Current Events Assignment

1. Find a current article that involves one of the four branches of earth science (Geology, Astronomy, Meteorology, or Oceanography). As the semester progresses, this will become easier as you learn about things that relate to ES. It must have a publish date on it, and be within the last two weeks. You are free to choose ES subjects that you are interested in!
2. It can come from the Internet, a magazine, or the newspaper.
3. Read it, (this is important!) and write a brief summary about the article. Write a 4 sentence minimum summary of the article. Also, state which branch of earth science it best pertains to.
4. Copy the article, or cut it out of the newspaper. Glue, tape, or staple it onto a neat sheet of notebook paper. Have this finished BEFORE you come to class on the day it is due. Full credit will not be given to those students who do not complete this assignment outside of class.
5. This will be due every week until the end of the semester, usually on Fridays.
6. When you are ready to turn in your current event, go through this checklist before submitting.
 - Is your name, period, and current number (matches the week number, on board in front of room) on the top of the paper?
 - Does your paper include the article?
 - Does your paper include the summary?
 - Does your summary state which branch of ES the article addresses? (It could be more than one!)
 - Is it ready to turn in, staples and all, when you come to class on Friday?

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	Period _____
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Article Title	
Article	
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What branch of ES, One sentence	
Summary of Article, 4 sentences minimum	
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