## 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Current Events Form

What is the title of your article?

What is your source? \_\_\_\_\_\_ Source date: \_\_\_\_\_\_

(Must be within one week of the due date)

State in your own words what this article is about (Use at least four complete sentences):

What did you learn from reading this article that you didn't know before? (Use at least three complete sentences.)

Choose THREE words from the article that are new to you. Define each word, (Yes, you may use a dictionary) and then write an original sentence (i.e. a sentence that you came up with, not a quote from the article or any other source) using each word in the part of speech given in the article. In other words, if the article used the word as a noun, give the definition of the word as a noun and write a sentence using the word as a noun). (Do not simply re-word the definition.)

Word #1: Part of speech: Definition for Word #1: Sentence using Word #1: Word #2: Part of speech: Definition for Word #2: Sentence using Word #2: Word #3: Part of speech: Definition for Word #3: Sentence using Word #3:

TOTAL 20 points.

One point will be subtracted for each instance of improper capitalization, punctuation, and spelling. A total of 10% will be reduced for sloppy work. You may use the back of this sheet or an additional sheet of paper if necessary. THIS ASSIGNMENT MUST BE TYPED OR WRITTEN IN CURSIVE (hand printed work [i.e. not cursive or typed] will be redone and marked late).