

Name _____



What's New?

From what source did you get most of your information? (radio, TV, internet, newspaper)

Write the main idea for each of the following types of news stories from this week. REMEMBER, this is not a headline, but the main idea of the news article.

World News Item _____

National News Item _____

Local News Item _____

Sports News Item _____

Choose one of the stories from above and list the 5 Ws.

Who was the story about? _____

What happened? _____

Where did it happen? _____

When did it happen? _____

Why did it happen? (the cause)

From this week's news, make up a trivia question that you think may stump the class.

Name _____



News Article Analysis Worksheet

Newspaper: _____ Date: _____

Name of article: _____

The 5 "W's" and "H"

1. Who? _____

2. What? _____

3. Where? _____

4. When? _____

5. Why? _____

6. How? _____

Were all the 5 "W's" and "H" answered?

Of all the 5 "W's" and "H", star the one you think is the most important. Tell why.

Is the story international, national or local?

What do you think of this article? (Give at least three sentences)

Name _____



CURRENT EVENTS WORKSHEET

Title of Article: _____

WHO is this article about? : _____

WHAT is this story about? List four facts and/or opinions related in your article and identify them as facts or opinions.

1.

2.

3.

4.

WHEN did this story take place? _____

WHERE is this event or issue occurring? (Specify city, country, region, etc.)

HOW is this story important? _____

PREDICT what you think might happen as this story develops.

