

## Honors World History

### Day 1 Blizzard Bag Assignment: Current Events News Article Summary

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

#### **Read and summarize a current events news article, per directions below.**

The purpose of this activity is to gain knowledge of current events and to gain understanding of global interdependence and global culture.

Requirements for the summary:

1. Identification of the title of the article, the source of the article, and the date it appeared.
2. Three paragraph summary, including:
  - A. Two paragraphs summarizing the article in your own words
  - B. One paragraph describing the significance of the event summarized in terms of global interdependence and global culture. Answer the following questions in the last paragraph of your summary:
    1. How does this event effect or how could it effect world events?
    2. Who would be interested in reading this article? Who would it effect? (i.e. archeologists, historians, scientists, geologists, geographers, businessmen and women?)

Helpful hints:

Pick an article worthy of discussion. Think in terms of the five W's and the H - Who, What, Where, When, Why and How. Tell me more than just a restatement of the facts.