

# Current Event

**Directions:** Write a brief synopsis about an article you found on the Internet.

Some examples... cnn.com,. usatoday.com, iphonelife.com, pcworld.com etc.

The criteria are as follows:

**1st Paragraph:** a summary of article

**2nd Paragraph:** your opinion/reaction to the article

**3rd Paragraph:** the impact the content in your article had or will have on technology and /or how it relates to technology

Don't forget your name, date, number of words, and class period/class should appear in the header.(10 points) Please spell check and grammar check.

**Spelling errors are 5 points for each error.** You must print the article and attach it to your essay. Failure to attach the article will result in 20 points off.

Articles can be on anything deemed "appropriate" for school dealing with

**technology**. If you are unsure what this is ask me.

## Grading Rubric

| >95                     | 94-65               | <65                      |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Zero spelling errors    | 1-7 spelling        | > than 7 spelling errors |
| Zero grammatical errors | 1-3 errors          | > than 3 errors          |
| Answered all 3 parts    | Answered 2 parts    | Answered < than 1 part   |
| 250+ words              | 249-200             | <200                     |
| Attached article        | Missing article     | Missing article          |
| HANDED IN ON TIME       | EACH DAY LATE – 10% | EACH DAY LATE – 10%      |