Instructions:  Now that you are used to doing these sort of current events online, we will reduce the number to 2 current events per week (HOMEWORK) instead of TWO per day.  Also, you may choose any news source, but please remember to site it.

Current Events will promote student awareness of what is taking place around the world as well as geographic literacy.

Please be sure to include the following:

**Story #1**

1.  When? (Date of news event)

2. Source of News Event:

3. Where did the event occur? (Include city, country, and continent)

4. What happened (summarize using 4-5 complete sentence)

5. Who was involved (names and positions)

6. Why did this event occur? (get help from parents if necessary)

7. How does this event affect the local community?

Story #2

1.  When? (Date of news event)

2. Source of News Event:

3. Where did the event occur? (Include city, country, and continent)

4. What happened (summarize using 4-5 complete sentence)

5. Who was involved (names and positions)

6. Why did this event occur? (get help from parents if necessary)

7. How does this event affect the local community?

Please watch the entire CNN 10 or read another news source and complete these questions for 2 of the stories.

This assignment will be graded based on points (like we do our normal current events-instead of grading for locating it on the map, you will answer how it affects our local community).

Rubric:

1.  When? (Date of news event)=1pt

2. Source of News Event:=1pt

3. Where did the event occur? (Include city, country, and continent)=1pt

4. What happened (summarize using 4-5 complete sentence)=4pts

5. Who was involved (names and positions)=1pt

6. Why did this event occur? (get help from parents if necessary)=1pt

7. How does this event affect the local community?=1pt

TOTAL=10 Points

10X2 Stories =20 POINTS

**(To make it easier, you could copy and paste the questions from the instructions into the text box so that you are sure to answer the questions).**