

Articles of Newspapers Online

Activities: general questions good for any news article.

Directions: Fill in the blanks.

Name: _____

Date: _____ Group: _____

Written Comprehension:

Read the selected article of news and complete the questionnaire.

Identification: (3/3)

1. Web page title:

2. Uniform Resource Locator (URL) or Web address:

3. News article title:

Write short answers: (6/6)

4. Who is (are) involved?

5. What is the news?

6. When did it happen?

7. Where?

8. How?

9. Why?

Main idea: (1/1)

10. What is the main idea of this news article?

Supporting ideas; (3/3)

What three ideas support the main idea?

11. _____

12. _____

13. _____

Details: (2/2)

What are two less important details of interest in this article?

14. _____

15. _____

Score: /15

Written production

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Write a news article. Begin with a single sentence that includes as many answers as possible to the question words (who, what, where, why, and how). Next, add details in order of importance, most important first while limiting them to the vital facts. Then check for completeness. Use between 120-150 words. Follow the standard rules of grammar usage.

My news title:

My news:
