**Article of the Week**

**\*\*Always handed out on Friday and due the following Friday!\*\***

**Directions: Read and annotate the article assigned for the week. Then, answer the questions below on a separate sheet of paper in COMPLETE SENTENCES!!**

1. **Objective Summary** - Write a paragraph summary of the article (Remember: it must be six sentences!)
2. **Vocabulary in Context** - Draw a box around AT LEAST THREE words that were unfamiliar to you. Then, underline the context clue that you used to help you understand the word’s meaning (Remember: the context clue does NOT have to be in the same sentence as the word!). If you couldn’t find a context clue, look up the definitions of the words, and write them down.
3. **Text to Self Connection** - How do you connect personally to the article? (you must write at least two sentences)
4. **Text to World Connection** - How does this article relate to our unit theme? (you must write at least two sentences)
5. **Determining Main Idea** - What is the main idea? Use at least two pieces of textual evidence to support your answer. Your textual evidence should fit into the categories listed below. (you must write at least three sentences!)

Ideas –

Individuals –

Events –

1. **Determining Author’s Purpose** - What is the author’s purpose for writing the article? Provide textual evidence to support your answer. (you must write at least three sentences!)