

1<sup>st</sup> Marking Period

# Current Events in Science

You are to complete 2 current event articles for the 1<sup>st</sup> marking period. Each article will be worth 20 points. To receive a 100 you must earn 40 total points between both articles. This will count as an alternative assessment grade. The articles must have something to do with a branch of science ( ex. Earth, Space, Animals, Medicine, Weather, Health etc.). Below is the due date for the current events.

**Due Date:**  
Currents Events are due  
November 16.

Science



**Requirements:** You are to obtain 2 different articles from the internet, a newspaper or magazine that have something to do with science. You are to complete one form for each article. Please take into account the fact you have an extended amount of time to complete this project, so give it your best effort.

You must attach the article to the summary sheet. Do not use the “my printer didn’t work” excuse. Make use of library time or classroom time to print them out.

You will be graded using the attached rubric for each article.

Take pride in your work, Neatness counts!

Useful Website for articles:  
[www.sciencenewsforkids.com](http://www.sciencenewsforkids.com)  
[www.sciencedaily.com](http://www.sciencedaily.com)  
[www.eurekaalert.org/scienceforkids](http://www.eurekaalert.org/scienceforkids)