

## Article of the Week Analysis: Due every FRIDAY.

- ★ Each step should be carefully completed for the assigned weekly articles.
- ★ Each article analysis should be completed on a clean sheet of notebook paper.
- ★ Your annotated article should be stapled to your analysis.

1. Read the article.
  - a. **Circle** all unfamiliar terms. Define them in the margins.
  - b. Put a ★ beside interesting facts and quotes.
  - c. Put a ? beside any items you want to discuss.
2. List three interesting facts and/or partial quotes that stood out to you. Cite the paragraph #.
3. Write a sentence summary. This should be less than 50 words. The sentence should include the title of the article (put in quotation marks) and the author's name.
4. Explain what the topic has to do with you personally. How is the topic relevant?
5. Choose 1-2 points made in the article. Argue **either for or against** the ideas. Support your position with evidence: personal anecdote or experience, facts, statistics, etc.
6. Write 3 questions you still have about the topic. These do not have to be answered.
7. Rate the article out of 5 stars. Explain the rationale behind your score.

