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Period _____

*****8th** Grade Science Current Events Rubric***

Breakdown of Points Earned:

Section 1 total points 4

Score _____

Article Information 1 point each

Title of Article

Author

Source

Date of Article

Section 2 total points 4

Score _____

Essentials

Science article is stapled to current event analysis/found in lab folder- **2 points**

Topic is checked and date written in lab folder- **1 point**

Current event is **typed**, science related topic- **1 point**

Section 3 total points 20, 4 per question

Score _____

Body Complete sentences

Who

What

When

Where

Why/How

Section 4 total points 12, 4 per vocabulary word

Score _____

Vocabulary

Word- Part of Speech-syllabication-definition

Or 3 complete sentences

Section 5 total points 10

Score _____

Summary

5 well-written complete sentences discussing your thoughts on:

Why you chose the article

Agree/disagree with the content

Learn anything new

Importance of information to you and those around you/does it directly affect you, your family, or the community

Total Points Earned _____

Grade _____

Comments: