

## Current Events Rubric

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| 0 1 2 3 4 | Are the title, author, and source(s) of the current event included in the editorial? |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Does the writer include enough facts and details from the event?                     |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Does the writer clearly express their opinion about the subject matter?              |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Does the writer use quotes from the article to support their opinion?                |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Is the writer's opinion persuasive?  |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Does the writer offer an opinion about the author of the article's writing style?    |
| 0 1 2 3 4 | Are sentences clear, grammar and spelling correct, and paragraphs complete?          |

Suggestions (if any):

Writer: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of story: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_