

News Article Assignment

Search the internet for an article relating to a technology topic you find interesting.

- As long as the topic relates to technology in some way it will be fine - think of medical inventions, technology in sports, communications, safety... there are plenty of possibilities.

Be sure to use a reliable site for your source

- (for example: probably not something like Mike's Cool Blog or Wikipedia)

Create a document in your Google Drive folder and give it a name that makes sense: something like NewsArticle_1. (we will be doing more of these during the semester)

1. Start the page with the title of your article.
2. **Paragraph one** will be a brief summary of the article in your own words.
3. **Paragraph two** is your opinion - which might include why you chose this particular article, what you found interesting and/or even if you agree with the writer.
4. Each paragraph should be at least 5 sentences but should probably be longer in order to explain your information in detail. Be sure your summary and opinion is clear and easy to understand and is in your own words. These should be written in such a way that your classmates will understand.
5. In a formal piece of writing (*which this is*) - always be sure to check for proper grammar and spelling.
6. Create a formal citation (MLA) for the article and add it at the end of the document. Include the article URL.
7. You will be sharing information about your article in a class discussion.

Refer to News Article Rubric for assessment guidelines.