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Current Event Article American History

State Indicator

2. The use of primary and secondary sources of information includes an examination of the credibility of each source.
4. Historians analyze cause, effect, sequence, and correlation in historical events, including multiple causation and long- and short-term causal relations.

Instructional Objective(s):

1. Students will be able to draw a correlation between a current event and a significant event in American history with 80% accuracy.
2. Students will be able to identify and state a cause and effect relationship between a current and historical event with 80% accuracy

Instructions

- Search various forms of media (online, newspaper, magazines, etc....) and find a current event article.
- Select an article where the current events have been influenced by historical events.
- Analyze the article by answering the questions below.
- Staple a copy of the article to this page.

Questions

- 1) Provide a brief summary of the article (2-3 sentences).

- 2) What significant historical event in American history correlates (relates to or possibly influenced) to the events in your article.

- 3) Explain how the events in your article have been influenced by past event and/or decisions (demonstrate a cause and effect relationship).