

Science in the News



To be successful on this assignment, please follow the following instructions:

Find an article related to Life Science that was written in the past two weeks. It must have been written within the two weeks prior to your presentation date. To find an article, you can use newspapers, magazines, or online websites.

Please read and understand the article you choose. You will have to complete the given worksheet.

Find a second article related to the first one. They should be based on the same topic. They can have the same opinion, or different ones, but must relate to each other. This article can be written at any time (it does not have to be written within two weeks from your presentation date, even though the first article does).

Using this second article, please complete the given worksheet.

You will then compare the two articles.

Finally, you will state your opinion based on the articles you have read.

You will have to state the branch of life science your articles relate to as well as the MLA citation for both articles.

You will be given a date in which you will have to present your articles to the class.

Your presentation must include a summary of both articles, a comparison of the articles, as well your opinion.

As with all presentations, you must remember to engage the audience and maintain eye-contact. You should not be reading off of a piece of paper or notecards. It is okay to glance at note-cards to remember what you must say, but please do not read off of them.

Finally, your presentation must include a visual aid. Your visual aid should be something that would help your audience understand the articles you are explaining to them. If you decide to create a PowerPoint, website, glogster, etc., remember to not read directly off of it.

Your presentation should be between two and four minutes long.