

CURRENT EVENTS SUMMARY & ANALYSIS RUBRIC

	PROFICIENT 50-40 PTS	DEVELOPING 39-30 PTS	NEEDS WORK 29 OR LESS PTS
Summary (20)	Captures and communicates the main points of the two articles.	Captures some of the main points or does not stick to the main points and includes too much supportive information.	Reflects little understanding of the main points of the articles.
Analysis (20)	Aptly expresses why the articles are of significance to issues covered in Sociology 3350 and why, personally, he/she chose the articles.	Expresses either why the articles were chosen or how the article is related to issues covered in Sociology 3350 but not both.	Does not express why the articles were chosen or how the articles are significant issues covered in Sociology 3350.
Format (10)	Identifies the titles and source of the articles. Uses correct grammar and spelling.	One of the two (titles and sources) is missing. Some mistakes with grammar and spelling.	Titles and sources are missing. Many mistakes with grammar and spelling.

FINAL TOTAL: _____