Current Events

You will need to prepare a presentation and written summary and reflection using the current events from a Spanish-speaking country. Look for an article in Spanish and write a summary of it. Include the five Ws (Who, what, when, where, how, why) in your summary. Then, answer the reflection questions. Your presentation should be completely in Spanish. You will need to include a visual component such as a google slides to use for the presentation. Be prepared to identify the location of your country on an outline map without writing.

As an audience member you will be required to ask pertinent question about the presentation. The presenter will have to answer questions to the best of his or her ability.

Your written portion should be free of errors. Make sure to use transition words and your best proficiency.

Suggestion for visual presentation using slides:

* Slide 1 – Introduce yourself and your topic. Identify the source of the article. Include the country and the news source.
* Slide 2 – Give a history of the current event topic. You may have to do more research to understand the article. Outline the main issues using the 5Ws.
* Slide 3 – Reflection - In your opinion, does the article show bias? Explain.
* Slide 4– Reflection - Why is this topic important to people in this class, school, city, state or country?
* Slide 5 – Reflection - How does the topic remind you of another event?
* Slide 6 – Reflection - Does this affect other Spanish-speaking communities? Which communities does it affect?
* Slide 7 – Reflection – What are some recommendations for future action?