

Information Processing

Technology Article Review

Name _____

Directions

1. Using the Internet, find an article about a piece of technology. This can include the Internet, any new programs coming out, new technology that has been created, etc. The Blog & Wiki contain a list of websites that may help you find your article.
2. After finding an article dealing with technology, write a brief summary of this article.

Your summary should be at least 5 sentences long and should include the following: (10 points)

- Topic sentence: What is this article about?
- Give the main details of the article (only the important stuff)
 - Use the subheadings of the article to help you.
- Need to include a conclusion.
 - How is this article related to technology?

You also need to write a reaction to the article. This reaction could include the following: (2 points)

- Do you agree with what it says if the article is controversial?
- Did you learn anything new?
- How can you use this new information in your everyday life?

Don't simply say, I didn't learn anything new. Explain your reaction!

*** Double check grammar and spelling so you don't lose any points. (-0.5 points per error)

*** Need to include the website address of your article at the end of your review. (2 points)

3. Share your review using the Technology News Blog. (6 points)
 - Click "Comments" under the newest blog entry.
 - Paste your article review in the comment box.
 - Complete the Word Verification
 - Choose "Name/URL"
 - In the "Name" box – please use only your first name.
 - Leave the URL box empty
 - Click "Publish Your Comment."
 - Your review will be sent to my email and will be graded before it is posted to the blog.
4. Read other reviews:
 - Read two reviews that your classmates' have written under the correct post.
 - Click on the "Comments" under the "What did you learn?" post.
 - Tell us two things you learned from those reviews. You can also add information if you would like to.
 - *** Remember the Discussion Netiquette we talked about!
 - Follow the same directions you used to post your review.



Technology Article Review Outline

Use this outline to help plan out your technology article review. Make sure you write in complete sentences.

1. What is the main topic of this article?

2. What are some details?

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

3. How is this article related to technology?

4. Reaction

a. Do you agree with the article if it is controversial?

b. What did you learn new?

c. How could you use this new information in your life?

5. Website Address