

**AP Seminar  
Summer Work  
2023-2024**

AP Seminar summer homework consists of TWO parts. Please read ALL instructions to be sure that you understand the expectations. Should you have any questions or concerns, please email me at [akers.angela.c@muscogee.k12.ga.us](mailto:akers.angela.c@muscogee.k12.ga.us) I check school email on a weekly basis during the summer.

**Part 1: AP Seminar Glossary of Terms**

Familiarize yourself with the glossary of terms on the back of this page. You are encouraged to make flashcards or a Quizlet, but there is no requirement to do this. There will be a quiz over these terms within the first two weeks of school; start studying now!

**Part 2: Article Analysis**

1. Choose a topic from the news/current events that interests you. Find and read four (4) articles of your choosing concerning that topic. You are encouraged to use a **variety of sources** (this means your articles should not be four of the same type of source - see the list below to get some ideas for different types of sources). If your topic is a global issue, it may be helpful to look into international publications for articles concerning that topic as well. *Be sure to **SAVE each article** so that you can easily revisit these once school starts.*

**Variety of Sources:**

- Academic Journal Article
- Image / Graphic / Cartoon
- News Website Article
- Data / Statistical information
- Editorial (from newspaper/magazine)
- Essay by Expert: Field-Specific Magazine (*Scientific American, Psychology Today, etc.*)
- Government Publication
- Government Website Graph
- Letter to editor
- Local Newspaper (online or print editions)
- National Newspaper (online or print editions)
- Poll Results
- Popular Magazine (*People, Time, Newsweek*)
- Primary Book Source
- Private Web Page or Blog
- Published letter from an individual
- Transcript of Oral Commentary or Interview

2. For each article, complete the article analysis graphic organizer linked below detailing what you found in these articles. Save your work, you will submit it the first week of school. (If you have trouble accessing the link, email me and I will send you a copy of the document.)

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1TR-8jj9SJszoEuj6GzP6\\_99PKXAR0DhGrwPj0ZieMAo/copy?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1TR-8jj9SJszoEuj6GzP6_99PKXAR0DhGrwPj0ZieMAo/copy?usp=sharing)

3. Be prepared to discuss your articles and takeaways during the first several days of class.

