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Date: _____

Class: _____

Warm-Ups Form

Directions: Every day when you enter the classroom, you will need to get out your warm-up notebook. At the beginning of class, Mr. Pepper will show a 10-minute summary of the news the day before. This news segment is from CNN Student News. Every Friday there will be a 10 question quiz on the week's events. This will be your Current Events quiz grade. The best part of this is that I will allow you to use your warm-ups for the quiz. If you take good notes, you should have no problems with the questions.

This will be an expectation for the rest of the year and become a daily assignment. If for some reason you are not in class, I will have tapes for each week only. You can make arrangements to come in to observe it during lunch or after school. Do not tell me on Friday that you couldn't make arrangements for making up your warm-ups before the quiz. If you are absent on Thursday, you will have until the following Monday to take the quiz. If you have Internet access at home, you can view the videos if you go to <http://www.cnn.com/education>. Please call (337-3469) or email me (mrpepper@mrpepper.com) if you have specific questions about the assignment. I will be happy to discuss it with you.

The news usually covers at least 3-4 topics a day, depending on world events. Please complete your warm-ups in the following format:

August 27, 2007

Hurricane-force winds reach Jamaica's southern coast
Media, police say at least 7 people killed as Dean cuts through Caribbean
For first time, company official said hope may be diminishing
Officials deciding if underground rescue can continue
Underground mission suspended after rescuers killed in second mine collapse

August 28, 2007

And so forth....