



# HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

## GLOBAL POLITICS 2020

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<b>Holiday Homework Required</b>	<p>Research 2 current global issues and complete the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Find 3 articles about the topic – no more than 6 months old – and copy to Facebook site (link below)</li> <li>• Write a short outline of the issue (1 page)</li> <li>• Give your opinion on the issue (at least ½ page)</li> </ul> <p><b>Possible topics:</b> Hong Kong protests; Relocation of US embassy to Jerusalem; Extinction rebellion protests; Syrian civil war; Brexit negotiations; China’s persecution of Uighurs; Yemen civil war; Islamic State; South China Sea dispute; Iran nuclear development; Venezuela economic crisis; Trump impeachment proceedings; Gilets jaunes protests in France; Murder of Jamal Khashoggi; China’s Belt and Road initiative; Paris climate change conference; Human rights abuses in North Korea; Sustainable Development Goals</p>
<b>Recommended Work</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make a habit of watching world news, current affairs program and reading newspapers / internet media sites</li> <li>• Contact teacher for recommended readings</li> </ul>
<b>Key Links</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Politics Facebook site: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/299206676809065/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/299206676809065/</a></li> <li>• VCAA Global Politics website: <a href="http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/Pages/vce/studies/globalpolitics/globalpoliticsindex.aspx">http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/Pages/vce/studies/globalpolitics/globalpoliticsindex.aspx</a></li> </ul>
<b>Additional Resources</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• King, M. et al ‘Global Politics VCE Units 3 &amp; 4’ 1<sup>st</sup> edition, SEV (2018) (Note: this is not a requirement for the course)</li> <li>• The economist: <a href="https://www.economist.com/">https://www.economist.com/</a></li> <li>• BBC world: <a href="http://www.bbc.com/news/world/">http://www.bbc.com/news/world/</a></li> <li>• Guardian world: <a href="http://www.theguardian.com/world">http://www.theguardian.com/world</a></li> <li>• Al Jazeera: <a href="http://www.aljazeera.com/">http://www.aljazeera.com/</a></li> </ul>