

Additional Activity

InterActions Current Events

Name Date Period

Purpose/To Do

The purpose of this activity is to apply *InterActions* ideas to current events. For this activity, you need to read an article or ad in a newspaper or news magazine. Cut out or copy the article or ad and attach it to your report. Use the format as a guide to analyze and evaluate the claims made in the article. You can use your own paper or make copies of this sheet. If you use this form, use separate sheets to draw any pictures or diagrams that you need. Label them "Figure 1," "Figure 2," and so on, and reference them in your report.

| Newspaper/magazine citation: _ | | |
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What is the claim (or one of the claims) made in the article or ad?

What is the evidence used to justify the claim?

Analyze and/or evaluate the claim in the space below.

Based on your analysis or evaluation, is the claim made by the article or advertisement justified? Explain your answer.

Evaluation of explanation (filled out by a partner if you have any):