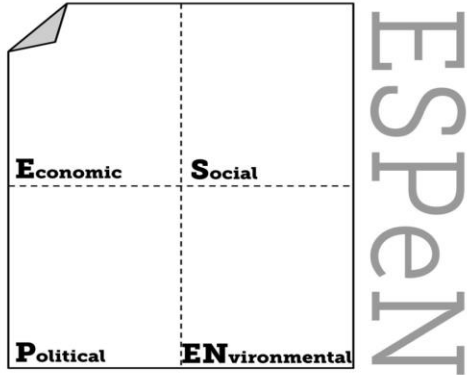


Article Analysis

Using the **ESPeN** strategy, you will be able to keep track of various facts as they read an article. For example, **cultural** information could be included in the **social** category, **location/situation/site**

information could be considered **environmental**. The use of the term **ESPeN** is simply an easy mnemonic to help you think about categorizing information and reading with a purpose.



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Examples of E.S.P.EN.

After listing altogether 12 bullet points in the E.S.P.EN Chart you can move on to the summary.

ARTICLE TITLE	
Economic - Having to do with money - Primary, secondary, tertiary activities - Industry, services, agriculture	Social - having to do with people - culture, food, music, religion, language, architecture
Political - having to do with governments, laws, regulations - international governing bodies	Environmental Science - having to do with the environment - pollution -urban and rural land use

TWO PARAGRAPHS
How does this article relate to human geography?

AP Human Geography	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chart: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 1 point per box – Economic/Social/Political/Environmental Science ○ At least 12 bullet points 	/4
Paragraph	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conventions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Spelling, Capitalization, Sentence structure, Typed ○ 0 - Absent ○ 1- weak ○ 2- strong 	/2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connections between the article and the course <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 0 - Absent ○ 1-2- weak ○ 3-4- strong 	/4
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analysis of the article and the course <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 0 - Absent ○ 1-2- weak ○ 3-4- strong 	/4
Total:	/14

- Use this rubric as guide to make sure that you have included every part of the assignment.
- Include the **Title** and where you the article that you used is found.