

Summer Assignment French III-H

The following assignment is due to me on the **FIRST** day of school upon your return from summer break.

Go to the following website:

<http://fr.news.yahoo.com/>

There you will find a vast selection of articles on varying topics from world news to entertainment news. You will choose 3 articles. Please be sure that they are different in their content—meaning they should not all be just world news or entertainment news, but rather a variety. You will print the article in its entirety. You will read the article. Yes, it may be difficult. Research shows though that reading comprehension skills are the number one indicator of success in a foreign language. Once you have read the article, you will do the following:

- 1) Make a vocabulary list of at least 20 words per article,
- 2) Summarize the article in **your words**. The summary should be at least a paragraph of 10 sentences. Do not use a translator to write your summary. Online translators do an awful job and are easily recognized.

On the **first day of class**, you will give me:

- 1) The three articles,
- 2) The three vocabulary lists,
- 3) The three summaries (please hand write your summaries **in French** on notebook paper and double-space between lines).

This will be your first test grade in French III-Honors.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at:
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Bonne chance et amusez-vous bien cet été !