

CURRENT EVENTS PRESENTATION

(duration: 4 min.)

WHAT TO DO...

- Choose a news item which is
 - ✓ Related to **ART** (music, performing arts, body art, cinema, public art, etc.)
 - ✓ Written in the **last 6 months**
 - ✓ Not too long or too short
 - ✓ Suitable for a “reaction-response”
- Read it carefully
- Analyse it (your feelings and reaction to it)
- Present your analysis in class

HOW TO ORGANIZE...

Introduction:

- **Title & date & source** of the news item
- **News type:** Local / national / world
- **Reasons** why you **selected** it / why it is **interesting and relevant** to you and your audience
- **Background** information – if necessary

Body:

- **Information** about the news
 - ✓ **5Ws:** Who, what, when, where, why
 - ✓ **Significance** of the event / news
- Your **reaction** to it
 - ✓ (Partially / totally) agree / disagree with the **points** raised
 - ✓ (Partially / totally) agree / disagree with **the way** the points are raised
 - ✓ Agree with ideas but disapprove of the **style / language / tone / attitude** of the author
 - ✓ Pinpoint **weaknesses and strengths** in the argument or provide additional aspects, alternatives and solutions to them
 - ✓ **Evaluate** ideas and the way they are presented as sexist, biased, irrelevant, subjective, disappointing, etc.

Conclusion:

- Wrap up
 - ✓ Summary
 - ✓ Comment

Visual Aids: Optional