**Newscast Assignment**

**Objective:**

You will be preparing and presenting a 2-3 minute “Newscast” on a current environmental issue.

**Procedure:**

1. You may work alone or with one partner.
2. Select a global, regional, or local environmental issue.
3. Research the issue using your book, the library, the internet etc…
4. Prepare a 2-3 minute “newscast” reporting on the issue and present it in class. The “newscast” can be presented in any of the following formats:
   1. Live
   2. Video / You Tube
   3. PowerPoint presentation
   4. Audio
   5. Pod cast

**Grading**

The following is required for completion of the assignment:

1. Presentation of the 2-3 minute “newscast”
2. An Outline of the “newscast”
3. A list of information sources.

**Notes**

This is a newscast, NOT a report. You will be graded on the 5 W’s of journalism:

Who, What, When, Where, and Why. You will also be graded on professionalism, visual interest, and general interest of your newscast.