

Newsletter Article

Today you will write an article for the school newsletter here at Lafayette High School. Pick an upcoming school event (or sports team/club/etc.) and write a 400 word article summarizing or previewing the event. Some suggested events include:

- Preview one of the school's sports teams or summarize one of their seasons
- Summarize a club or co-curricular activity at school
 - Clubs at our school can be found here:
<http://www.lafayette.fcps.net/students/clubs>
- If you absolutely are unable to write a newsletter article about a school activity, please think of another event that you can write a preview or summary for.

Other requirements for this article include the following:

- Format your article in to two or three columns
- Insert some sort of page border on your page
- Limit your article to no more than 1 page.
- Include at least 1 drop cap
- Apply styles and shading effects to your text
- Insert at least one graphic and apply effects to your graphic

The scoring guide for this assignment is included on the next page. This assignment will count as a quiz grade.

Newsletter Scoring Guide

400 Words	40
2-3 columns	10
Page Border	5
One drop cap included	5
Graphic Images with effects	10
Spelling/Punctuation/Grammar	10
Total	80