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Social Studies 8: Current Events Assignment



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For your first assignment, I want you to find one image from around the world. It must be a current event (within the last month), and must be from a reputable source – from a news website, not from Reddit.

Once you have found a powerful image, try to find out as much as you can about the information surrounding this event, considering as many angles as you can. As you research, fill out the chart below:

Background information: Consider Who, What, When, Why, Where, How Come?	What makes this image important to the world? To Canada?	Are there any dissenting opinions concerning this event?
Think of a question you still have about this event:		

Finally, be prepared to present your current event to a small group on Monday. Make sure to bring in your device to share your image and this page of notes to hand in to me.