The Battle for the Arctic

Social 20-1/AP

**Task:** Research, and provide evidence to demonstrate how the ‘Battle for the Arctic” should be addressed and/or resolved. Provide evidence for each of the Arctic Nations. Present to the class your groups findings and your recommendations.

**Step 1:** Watch Battle for the Arctic documentary.

**Step 2:** Create groups of 4 or less

**Step 3:** Read textbook chapter 5 on Arctic Sovereignty.

**Step 4:** Brainstorm and then research 9 obvious questions that need to be addressed in your research to help formulate your position.

Example #1: What countries are vying for the Arctic?

#2: When is the deadline for their perspective research?

#3: What is each nation suggesting with their research findings?

ETC.

**Step 5:** Divide group work into manageable and equitable tasks.

**Step 6:** Decide on a format for presentation (digital if possible)

**Step 7:** Evidence **MUST** include scientific journals (articles), political cartoons, video, and

graphs for interpretation as part of your research and presentation. See rubric. **Step 8:** Present to the class

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**Rubric**

Group Members: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **Evidence - questions, credible, depth of explanation (10 marks)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Variety of**  **Sources**  **-articles, cartoons, graphics,video Other?**  **(10 marks)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Judgement**  **(Depth )**  **(5 marks)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Presentation**  **Creative, savy (5 marks)** |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Total Mark: /30**

**Comments:**