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Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**10-Week Research Paper Writing Assignment**  
**Middle School Language Arts**  
**Mrs. Christa Chodkowski**

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**DUE-DATE SCHEDULE**

STEPS	DUE-DATES
<b>1. Prewriting</b>	
• Choose a topic	• Monday, February 6, 2012
• Locate sources	• Thursday, February 9, 2012
• Take notes	• Thursday, February 23, 2012
• Write a thesis statement and title	• Monday, February 27, 2012
• Write a final outline	• Monday, March 5, 2012
<b>2. Drafting</b>	
• Write the first draft	• Wednesday, March 14, 2012
• Document sources	• Friday, March 16, 2012
<b>3. Revising</b>	
• Revise the draft (peer/self)	• Friday, March 30, 2012
<b>4. Editing</b>	
• Find and correct errors	• Tuesday, April 3, 2012
<b>5. Publishing</b>	
• Hand in final paper	• Thursday, April 5, 2012
<b>6. Presenting</b>	
• Present visual and oral display	• Wednesday-Thursday, April 11-12, 2012

