



## Unit 1 WATER, THE NEW GOLD

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**TOTAL POINTS - 195**

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### **Objectives for AICE Global Perspectives**

- ✪ Collecting and recording data
- ✪ Investigation subjects on the Internet and other sources
- ✪ Researching and organization of research materials
- ✪ Analyzing Data to utilize in writing
- ✪ Synthesizing new ideas to incorporate into a personal framework for a global perspective
- ✪ Writing skills supported with factual data
- ✪ College level writing style / thesis-support-analysis-conclusion format
- ✪ Utilization of correct form and style – APA citation methodology
- ✪ Understanding primary and secondary sources and the qualities of each in research
- ✪ Undertaking research alone and producing a coherent thesis
- ✪ Development of a portfolio

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1. Read the one of the three choices of the articles on water found under class readings on the web site. Create a topical outline of the reading. The outline should include the author, published date, and publication company and be approximately 2 typed pages. 30 pts.
2. Watch the video **Blue Gold**. After watching the video list of ten things you think will support your thematic essay. Then write the thesis statement. 30 pts.
3. Create or copy a map that geographically displays your topic information. If you find more than one include it. Make sure to include the key and the source. 20 pts.
4. Select ten images that promote or explain your topic. Copy the images on one page and include the URL to each image. 10 pts.
5. List five collections of statistics that support your topic. Cite your sources. 10 pts.
6. Notes on lectures on the topic. 20 pts.
7. Read an interview from an expert on the topic or an article that is pro or con to your point of view. List the title, author, and publication in a correct APA citation. Summarize five points they made in your own words. This can be a cut and paste assignment or in your own words. It should be less than a page long. You must cite your source. 20 pts.
8. Create an annotated bibliography on the topic. It must include 10 items with a two to three sentences to summarize each article in the annotated bibliography. 30 pts
9. Select a video on the topic and watch it. The video must be at least 10 minutes long. Write a summary of the video explaining the major points discussed. Cite the source of the video. 25 pts.

Extra Credit: Select one item off the project list and apply it to this unit.