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Date: _____

Class Period: _____

Political Cartoon

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Exceeds
Expectation

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Meets
Expectation

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Approaches
Expectation

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Not Meeting
Expectation

Required Information:

- Completion of Current Event: Political Cartoon Form:
 - Appropriate article chosen
 - Title, Source and Date of news sources given
 - Students will complete the Political Cartoon form and will create a political cartoon representing the topic being discussed.
 - Students **MUST** include both the written work **and** the cartoon drawing

Political Cartoon and Critical Thinking/Analysis:

- Current Event Political Cartoon Form is neat and detailed, easy to read & includes a thoughtful explanation of the article chosen
- Explanation of article, people and places are well explained and provide sufficient evidence
- Insightfully creates a political cartoon (drawing) by using original information from the article to support creative work
- Demonstrates thorough understanding of authors point of view

Conventions:

- All explanations have few to no errors in grammar, spelling, capitalization, thus demonstrating control of grammar rules and conventions.
- Variety of sentence structures used
- Consistent use of rich vocabulary

Current Event Written Response Grade: _____