

Article-Based Observation: Q

Directions: Check with your teacher about which article is assigned to your group. With your group members, answer the pre-reading questions No. 1 and 2. Next, silently read the article. When you are finished, answer question No. 3 individually. Once your teacher tells you to do so, analyze and summarize your article by answering questions No. 3 through 5 with your group. When answering question No. 3 together, try to incorporate information from each group member's response into your final summary. Be prepared to present all of your answers to the class.

2017 Year in Review: Top 10

- 1. Cosmic mysteries unlocked in neutron star collision
- 2. <u>CRISPR gene editing moves into humans, spurs debate</u>
- 3. Larsen C ice break invites groundbreaking research
- 4. Fossils join genetic evidence to revise human origin story
- 5. <u>Seven Earth-sized planets orbit the same ultracool star</u>
- 6. Quantum communication goes global
- 7. Concerns grow that CO₂ rise may steal crop nutrients
- 8. FDA approves gene therapy for two blood cancers
- 9. <u>CTE may be common among pro football players</u>
- 10. <u>Zika is not gone for good</u>

1. Read the title of the article. What background information do you already know about the topic based on the title (from science class, *Science News* or other sources)?

2. Given the title of your article, what do you want to find out when you read it?

3. Summarize what you learned from the article in less than 100 words, being as thorough as you can within that limit.

4. Having read your article, what new questions do you have about that topic?

5. What predictions do you have for future related research?

6. If time permits, choose and analyze a second article.