

Problem Solving in Your Country

Understand the Problem

Step 1: Identify problem from your group's current events packets – this can be from anyone's packet so you will have eight total options. (Remember, you may have already referred to this problem in your history.) If you cannot find an appropriate problem from the information you have already collected, you may choose another by doing further research. **DO NOT FORGET YOUR WORKS CITED INFORMATION!**

Step 2: Google the problem you choose to see if you can find additional information to help you understand the problem.

Step 3: Record the following information about your problem:

What is the problem?
Why is it a problem?
Who is involved/affected by it?
How long has this problem existed?
Why hasn't it been solved yet?

Plan Possible Solutions

How could the problem be solved? Propose three possible solutions and examine the positive and negative effects of each.

Solution 1:	
Pros:	1. 2. 3.

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Cons:	1. 2. 3.
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Solution 2:	
Pros:	1. 2. 3.
Cons:	1. 2. 3.

Solution 3:	
Pros:	1. 2. 3.
Cons:	1. 2. 3.

Do: You can't really DO your solution, so skip this!

Review: On a separate piece of paper that you will attach to this sheet, choose the solution you think would work best and say why it would work best. (Perfect Paragraph OR Advanced Perfect Paragraph) As an introduction or conclusion to this solution paragraph, include where on your trip you might observe this problem.

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