

- Put your name here: _____ And also on the back. (5 pts)
- Highlight or underline important information (5 pts)
- Annotate by making comments in the margins, minimum of 5 (5pts)
- Define your vocabulary words in the designated vocabulary space by googling them or looking them up on the website (10 pts)
- Goes into effect AOW 2:** List the kind of organizational pattern this article uses and why by filling in the template below:
This article uses _____ because _____. (10 pts)
- Give a persuasive response to the WRITE statement at the bottom of the page by writing an essay on the back. Make sure to choose only ONE side of the argument in your writing. We NEVER write about both sides. (up to 30 pts)
- Goes into effect AOW 3:** DO NOT USE "I" or "you" when writing your response. Form opinions WITHOUT IT. (5 pts)
- Make sure that your essay uses PARAGRAPHS. This means, 1. Indent 2. No skipping lines between paragraphs 3. A paragraph is MORE than just one sentence 4. Minimum of 4 paragraphs. (10 pts)
- Include a thesis with points A and B. Be sure to include two persuasive examples in body paragraphs, one in body paragraph 1 and another in body paragraph 2 (10 pts)
- Check off the boxes to the left of these directions as you complete them. (10 pts---lies get 0 points)



Tubman on the \$20 April 26, 2016

Harriet Tubman will be the first woman to appear on the front of a U.S. paper bill in more than a century.

From George Washington on the \$1 bill to Benjamin Franklin on the \$100 bill, all the people featured on U.S. paper money are men. But that's going to change. Harriet Tubman will be featured on a new \$20 bill, the U.S.

Department of the Treasury, which produces U.S. money, announced last week. Tubman was a former slave who helped hundreds of African-American slaves escape to freedom in the 1800s. Andrew Jackson, the seventh U.S. president (1829-1837), is now featured on the twenty.

Tubman will become the first black American and first woman in more than a century to appear on the front of U.S. paper currency (form of money used in a country). The first woman on paper currency was Martha Washington, George Washington's wife, whose image was on a type of money used in the late 1800s. Tubman isn't the only woman being added to U.S. bills. Famous female leaders will also be featured on the backs of new \$5 and \$10 bills.

CURRENCY FACE-OFF

The Treasury Department's decision comes after controversy erupted last summer over its plan for a new \$10 bill. Last June, the Treasury's leader, Treasury Secretary Jacob Lew, announced that a woman would be featured on a redesigned \$10 bill. Alexander Hamilton, the first U.S. Treasury Secretary, is now on the ten. One goal of the change was to mark the 100th anniversary of women winning the right to vote. That happened in 1920, when the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was passed. The \$10 bill was set to be redesigned by 2020. Lew asked for input about which woman to put on the ten, but he didn't get the feedback he expected.

That's partly because his announcement came shortly after a group called Women on 20s had run an online election for a female American leader on the \$20 bill (Tubman won). Many Americans supported the campaign and were unhappy with Lew's plan. They argued that a woman should be featured on the \$20 bill instead of the ten, as the twenty is more widely used. Also, many people want to remove Andrew Jackson from the \$20 bill because they believe he doesn't deserve the honor. In the 1830s, he forced thousands of American Indians to leave their homes in a series of brutal marches known as the Trail of Tears. What's more, many people think that Hamilton, a widely respected American leader, should not lose his place on the ten.

FILLING THE BILL

The Treasury Department's final decision is a compromise. Tubman will be front and center on the twenty, and Jackson will move to the back of the bill. Hamilton will stay on the ten, but the new bill will also feature images of five key women's rights leaders, including Susan B. Anthony, Sojourner Truth, and Elizabeth Cady Stanton, on the back. Former First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt will be one of the women added to the back of the new \$5 bill. She spent decades fighting for the rights of women, the poor, and many other groups. Plans are in the works to have the new bill designs ready by 2020. But creating new money is a very long process. It may take more than 10 years before you'll see the new bills in your wallet.

Define vocabulary here:

Advocate: _____

Entice: _____

Condemn: _____

Ailment: _____

Susceptible: _____



WRITE an essay stating your position on whether gender equality is an issue that should be addressed.

