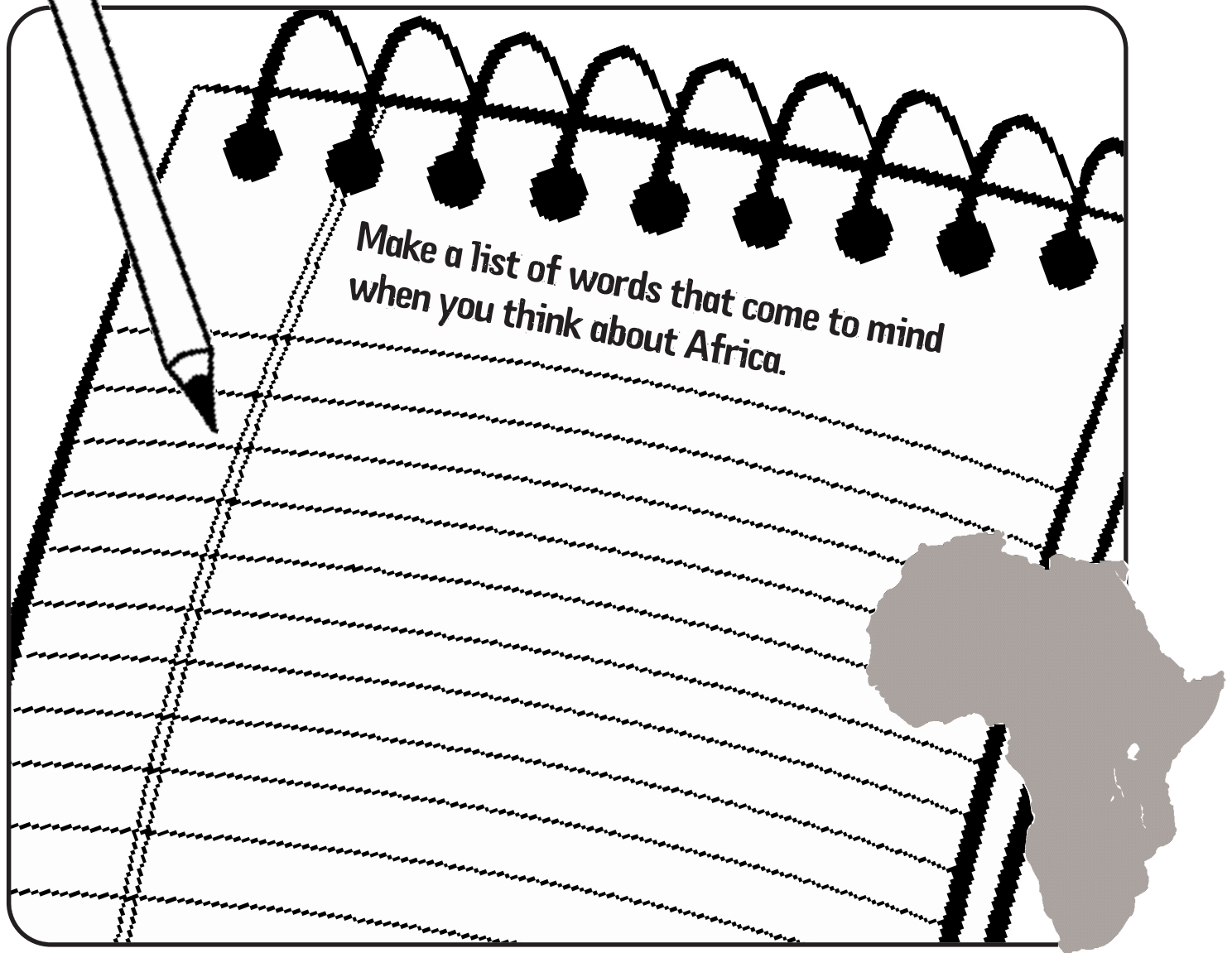


Whose News?


Activity 3



- 1)** Monitor both a national and a local newspaper over several weeks. Categorize the stories you find into three groups – those dealing with local issues, those dealing with national issues and those dealing with international issues. The local newspaper may have a national or international section, and the national newspaper may have a section on local or, “human interest”, stories.
- 2)** Characterize the stories about life in other countries, using the chart on the back of this page. If there are photos, do people look happy? Resourceful? Sad? Draw your own conclusions from the charts you have completed. How much of the news actually deals with other countries? Of that, how much is about Africa? Asia? Latin America?

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Activity 3



	Local News	National News	International News
What was the story about?			
What did the story say about the people there?			
Was the story positive or negative?			
How much space did the story take up? (measure the amount of space on the page.)			