Weekly Current Events: Posted: 8.19.2019

[Todd Purdum. “Did Bill Clinton See this Coming?” The Atlantic. August 19, 2019.](https://www.theatlantic.com/politics/archive/2019/08/bill-clinton-legacy/596323/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

1. What is the author’s main point about Bill Clinton?
2. Why might Democrats not revere Clinton today as much as they may have in the past?
3. Provide an example of a president who was more popular after serving than during his presidency.
4. What were some popular Clinton policies of the 1990s that are not so popular now?
5. What impact might this article have?

[Taeghan Simonton. “College Recruiters Going after Out-of-State Students.” USA Today. August 19, 2019.](https://www.usatoday.com/in-depth/news/investigations/2019/08/19/college-recruiting-enrollment-tuition-in-state/1628566001/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

1. Explain what has happened to college admissions using a statistic or measurement.
2. Name another trend in the college recruiting and admissions process in recent years.
3. Why would a state funded university desire students from out of state?

[Scott Rasmussen. “Voters Trust Reporters = Wikipedia.” *Full Measure*. 8.18.19 (Video or Text).](https://www.realclearpolitics.com/video/2019/08/18/rasmussen_new_poll_shows_voters_trust_national_political_media_about_the_same_as_they_trust_wikipedia.html)

1. Who is Scott Rasmussen and why might he be an expert?
2. What part or percent of American voters trust national political reporters?
3. What does Rasmussen say about the cause of this?
4. What recent controversial event did he cite and what did the event and aftermath explain about American thinking?