Handout: Drought Spurs Resource Wars

Read the article, “Drought Spurs Resource Wars,” from the Water Wars collection.

1. What does this article identify as the causes of water problems in East Africa?

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2. Who are the stakeholders in this issue? What are their concerns? How do they understand this issue differently?

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3. What are the conflicts that have developed?

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4. What steps have been taken to deal with water scarcity and its consequences? What do you think has prevented the resolution of this issue?

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5. How does this local problem matter to the wider world?

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