

Read the cartoon below and follow the directions:



See other side



Complete the SOAP activity:

<p style="text-align: center;">S</p> <p>What is the subject of this cartoon? Please explain as thoroughly as possible.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">O</p> <p>What is the occasion of this cartoon? Consider setting, circumstances, events, cultural context</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">A</p> <p>Identify the intended audience and discuss why this audience was targeted</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">P</p> <p>Analyze the author's purpose. What did he hope to achieve?</p>

Write a one page + in your Writer's Notebook. Possible topics:
Do you agree or disagree with the cartoonist? Why? Why not?
What does the cartoon *not* say? What would opponents to this cartoonist say?
Is it an effective cartoon? Why? Why not?