

## **\*1-3D: WTO REPORT**

In this lesson, you learnt about the operations of World Trade Organization (WTO), one of the biggest and most important regulatory bodies. Use your knowledge to create a report about the WTO.

**Choose ONE of the following dispute settlement subjects:**

- Automobiles
- Energy
- Communication
- Food [you can include any crops, fruits, dairy products, etc.]
- Textiles

**Choose ONE of the following submission options:**

- 3 - 5 minutes video report
- 300 - 400 words report

**Assignment Guidelines:**

- Research about World Trade Organization using the videos and articles from the lesson. [In addition, do your research using internet and collect relevant data]
- Provide an introduction on WTO and its purposes.[ For example, you can include details like location, members, etc., history, structure, functions, impact, criticism and so on]
- Give an example of dispute settlement performed by WTO.
- You can choose the subject from the list given above.
- You can make use of this link to know about the various disputes that has happened over the years:  
[https://www.wto.org/english/tratop\\_e/dispu\\_e/find\\_dispu\\_cases\\_e.htm](https://www.wto.org/english/tratop_e/dispu_e/find_dispu_cases_e.htm)
- Now try to answer the following questions:
  1. What was the dispute about?
  2. Which countries are involved in the dispute?
  3. Was the issue resolved?
  4. What are your thoughts on this dispute and its settlement?
- Organize your ideas in a clear and logical structure
- Cite your sources. Use the [APA Citation Guide](#).

**Submission Requirements [Choose either one of the options]:**

- Upload your written work as a Word or PDF file

- Upload your video as a compressed file. **\*Make sure your file size does not exceed 100 MB.**

Success Criteria:

You will be assessed on the success criteria that is listed here:

- I presented an in-depth research which fully and accurately explains the WTO, its purposes, and dispute settlement with sufficient data, facts, and information.
- I used correct information and showed my understanding of the WTO.
- I analyzed the impact of the WTO on international business.
- I communicated the answers clearly and answered all the required questions.
- I applied my learning from the course.

See a completed model in the next page.

## EXAMPLE

Your Name

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Date

Assignment Title

Provide  
introduction  
for WTO

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#### Introduction:



WORLD TRADE  
ORGANIZATION

The World Trade Organization (WTO) promotes trade throughout the world. The WTO has a few goals, mainly to continue economic prosperity and social development. It has 164 members countries, and its decisions are made by collective agreement. The WTO started in 1995.

#### Purposes:

The *three main* purposes of the organization are the following:

- 1. Negotiations:** The WTO is a place where countries can discuss trade disputes and agree on solutions.
- 2. Setting the Rules:** The WTO's rules and agreements are negotiated by the governments of member countries. This sets guidelines for trade between countries. The rules promote the flow of goods and services across borders and eliminate trade restrictions
- 3. Dispute Settlement:** The WTO mediates disputes in trade agreements, while ensuring countries follow agreements.

The WTO has many other responsibilities. It also protects intellectual property rights, promotes peace, and works to improve the worldwide standard of living.

#### Dispute Settlement Example:

The dispute was regarding apples from the United States. The countries involved in the dispute settlement are Japan and USA. The issue was that certain Japanese measures restricting imports of apples on the basis of concerns about the risk of transmission of fire blight bacterium. A panel was established and both parties came to a mutually agreed solution.

**Explain the scenario in detail – You can include the date of complaint, the dispute, your thoughts on the issue, etc.**

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