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**Timed Writing**

Directions: Answer the following prompt on a loose leaf piece of paper. This should be a multi-paragraph essay including an introduction and conclusion. Provide a thesis statement and specific, thorough support as evidence.

* How has the media coverage of war shaped our understanding of and exposure to world conflict, specifically in Iran?
  + Do you believe that technology and the media have benefited society by exposing the realities of war? Is the media always unbiased, or is it sometimes used to serve a purpose?
  + Explain your answer using the music, art, and news coverage we have experienced during this lesson. In addition, provide support from *Persepolis*.
    - Be specific to both (these are the lessons covered on Thursday and Friday of last week.3