

News Story Rubric	0 - Does not meet expectations	3 - Meets expectations	5 - Exceeds expectations
Content	Absent, incomplete, or unfocused.	News story is 1–2 minutes in length and covers a relevant news story. The news story incorporates interviews, a reporter-stand up, and supers. The news story adheres to the journalistic code of ethics.	News story is 1–2 minutes in length and covers a relevant and compelling news story. The news story incorporates interviews from multiple perspectives. The reporter stand-up comes across as well-written, clear, and concise. Supers effectively and succinctly convey information. The news story adheres to journalistic code of ethics.
Editing	Absent, incomplete, or unfocused.	News story includes b-roll footage and news-style editing. The audio includes multiple audio tracks edited together.	News story is well edited and seamlessly incorporates b-roll footage and news-style editing. The audio includes multiple audio tracks that are efficiently and seamlessly edited together to give the audience a sense of the news scene.
Team Work	Absent or incomplete.	<p>Teams collaborate and interact with peers, experts, or others to create a news story. Teams create, plan, and manage a project proposal that guides the video production process.</p> <p>Student teams investigate and gain any needed permission to use school grounds and film and interview students (for example, student release forms).</p>	<p>Teams clearly and efficiently collaborate and interact with peers, experts, or others to record an action event. Teams create, plan, and efficiently manage a project proposal that guides the video production process.</p> <p>Student teams investigate and gain any needed permission to film on school grounds and to film and interview participants (for example, student release forms).</p>
Draft Script	Absent or incomplete.	Draft script is directly related to the topic and footage. Script includes commentary and questions in the reporter stand-up. Students have thoughtfully reviewed and revised scripts prior to submitting for approval.	<p>Draft script is well written, clear, and concise and directly relates to the topic and footage. The topic has been researched, and thoughtful commentary and questions are included in the reporter stand-up.</p> <p>Students have thoughtfully reviewed and revised scripts prior to submitting for approval.</p>