

November 13<sup>th</sup>

Task title: Students produce a newscast

**Standard:** Construct news show

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Students will have to gather information from news wires, feeds, newspapers, and the Internet. They will have one hour to properly format a rundown and build a 30-minute newscast. In this case the story selection will be weighted more because I am primarily concerned with assessing whether the student has good news judgment and can identify what are the important stories of the day.

Rubric:

Criteria	5pts	3pts	0pts
Lead story	Appropriate for the day	Feasible but not likely	Definitely not likely
Flow	Stories flowed well in a logical order	Most of the stories tied well together	Disorganized and not logical
Story selection (X2)	Stories are the most important or interesting for the day's newscast	Some of the stories are appropriate but a few are unlikely	Stories are not worthy or interesting enough for the day's newscast
Proper format	The format supports what is available to the Producer	The format supports most but not all of what is available to the Producer	The format does not support what is available to the Producer

Total \_\_\_\_/25points