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| Journalism Introduction to Journalism | | Year's Focus: Learn, develop, utilize skills to interview, write, organize, produce layouts, use business skills, and meet deadlines | | | | |
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| Units of Study | Proposed Time | Content Suggestions | Unit Objectives | Formal Writing Assignments | Sample Assessments & Project-Based Learning | State Standards |
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| Associated Press Stylebook | All semester, ongoing | AP Stylebook | Learn Journalism writing rules as per AP guidelines | All stories written in AP style | Weekly AP Quizzes (first semester) | |
| | | Quizzes, Assignments, Tests | | | | |
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| Journalism Legalities | 2 weeks | <i>Notes Packet, Class Presentations</i> | Learn about the First Amendment, Libel Law, Significant Court Case studies, Kansas Senate Bill #62, Student Law Press Center | Formal Research Paper, Unit Test | Test, Assignments | |
| | | Lecture Notes, Assignments | | | | |
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| Story Writing | All Semester, ongoing | Writing Assignments | Learn, utilize journalism writing skills for a variety of story writing formats (news, opinion, feature, sports, column, survey, etc) | Story Writing Assignments | Weekly Stories | |
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| Editing | All Semester | AP Stylebook - Standard Editing guidelines | Improve grammar/conventions skills and editing standards for Journalism writing | Story Writing Assignments | Weekly Stories | |
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| Headline Writing | All Semester | Walsworth Online Design yearbook production program | Page layout, photo selection/cropping/editing, cutline writing, headline writing, editing | Yearbook Page Assignments | Page creation, editing, correcting | |
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| Principles of Journalism | All Semester | Scholastic Journalism textbook | To learn basic principles of Journalism: news writing, feature writing, editorial writing, lead writing, headline writing | Writing assignments, corrections, worksheets | Chapter Question assignments and quizzes/tests | |
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| Photojournalism | All Semester | Digital Photography, Adobe Photoshop | Determining photo assignments, preparing camera/supplies, shooting pictures, downloading photos, editing photos, organizing photos, labeling photos | | Yearbook Page photo assignments | |