

Rubric for Newspaper Project {*The Crucible*}

Category	4	3	2	1
Headline Story (Feature Article) and Caption	Article has a creative headline with a picture and a caption for the picture	Article has an adequate headline with 1 picture and a caption for the picture	Article has an adequate headline with 1 picture but no caption for the picture	Article has an adequate headline with no picture and no caption
Indication of hopelessness of character or community as a result of the theme of vengeance	Indication of hopelessness of character or community, based on vengeance, is creatively identified in the headline article	Indication of hopelessness of character or community, based on vengeance, is explicitly identified in the headline article	Indication of hopelessness of character or community, based on vengeance, is barely identified in the headline article	Indication of hopelessness of character or community, based on vengeance, is not identified in the headline article
Who, What, When, Where and How	All (100%) of the 5 Ws are addressed in the article(s)	80% of the 5 Ws are addressed in the article(s)	60% of the 5 Ws are addressed in the article(s)	40% of the 5 Ws are addressed in the article(s)
Sub-Headline Stories: Two with pictures & captions	Article has 2 creative sub-headlines with 2 pictures & a caption for each picture	Article has 2 creative sub-headlines with 1 picture & a caption for the picture	Article has 1 adequate sub-headline with 1 picture & a caption for the picture	Article has an adequate sub-headline with no picture or caption
Spelling and Proofread	Article has 0-2 spelling and/or grammatical errors	Article has 3-4 spelling and/or grammatical errors	Article has 5-6 spelling and/or grammatical errors	Article has more than 6 spelling and/or grammatical errors
Bonus Features (4 points max per category existence)	<u>Advertisements</u>	<u>Comic Strip</u>	<u>Horoscope or Obituary</u>	<u>Weather</u>

SUB-TOTAL:

+

BONUS FEATURES:

TOTAL (number earned divided by possible points of 20 to get % out of 100):