

Spokane Falls Community College
COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES

Prefix and Course Number:	JOURN 220
Course Title:	Intro to Newswriting
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Course Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the course, the student will be able to:

1. Discuss the role of journalistic ethics, logic, and objectivity in the contemporary newsroom.
2. Originate news story pitches that demonstrate and apply an understanding of news judgment, truth value, and understanding of audience.
3. Prioritize information gathered from various sources and interviews to compose hard and soft news articles that utilize AP Style, conventional English, and concise newswriting conventions.
4. Analyze professional journalists' work by employing established news judgment criteria.
5. Understand and explain how the traditions of established journalistic practices help journalists provide coverage that distinguishes between fact and fiction and informs citizens.