# News Report Rubric

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| **Categories** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** |
| **Knowledge & Understanding**- knowledge of form of news report- understanding of resources read | - demonstrates limited understanding of form of news article- demonstrates limited understanding of materials read | - demonstrates adequate understanding of form of news article- demonstrates adequate understanding of materials read | - demonstrates considerable understanding of form of news article- demonstrates considerable understanding of materials read | - demonstrates thorough understanding of form of news article- demonstrates thorough understanding of materials read |
| **Thinking & Inquiry**- critical and creative thinking skills (developing ideas, selecting, organizing, explaining information) | - demonstrates limited competence developing ideas, selecting, organizing, and explaining information | - demonstrates moderate competence developing ideas, selecting, organizing, and explaining information | - demonstrates considerable competence developing ideas, selecting, organizing, and explaining information | - demonstrates a high degree of competence developing ideas, selecting, organizing, and explaining information |
| **Communication**- clarity- audience and purpose- use of form of news report | - communicates information and ideas with limited clarity- limited awareness of audience and purpose | - communicates information and ideas with moderate clarity- moderate awareness of audience and purpose | - communicates information and ideas with considerable clarity- considerable awareness of audience and purpose | - communicates information and ideas with a high degree of clarity- thorough awareness of audience and purpose |
| **Application**- language conventions- writing process | - uses language conventions with limited accuracy and effectiveness- uses the writing process with limited competence | - uses language conventions with moderate accuracy and effectiveness- uses the writing process with moderate competence | - uses language conventions with considerable accuracy and effectiveness- uses the writing process with considerable competence | - uses language conventions with a high degree of accuracy and effectiveness- uses the writing process with a high degree of competence |

**Final Grade: \_\_\_\_\_/25 Points**