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Journalism Vocabulary - write the letter of the correct definition



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| 1. _J_ tribal media | 6. _N_ free-lancer | 12. _K_ public service announcement |
| 2. _H_ mission statement | 7. _D_ news story | 13. _F_ watchdog |
| 3. _A_ journalists | 8. _G_ editorial | 14. _L_ Society of Professional Journalists |
| 4. _C_ reporter | 9. _M_ feature | |
| 5. _E_ editor | 10. _I_ column | |
| | 11. _B_ obituary | |

- A. all those who work to deliver news to those who consume it — whether by newspapers, radio, and television, including photos and video
- B. notice of a death, especially in a newspaper, typically including a brief biography of the deceased person
- C. person employed to report news or conduct interviews for newspapers or broadcasts
- D. a news report of any length, usually presented in a straightforward style and without editorial comment
- E. person who is in charge of and determines the final content of a text, particularly a newspaper or magazine
- F. a person or organization that observe and monitors government or businesses to be sure they are obeying rules and standards of conduct; if not, reports on misconduct
- G. opinion piece written by a reader and submitted for publication (in some papers: Letter to Editor)
- H. formal summary of the purpose and values of a company, organization, or individual
- I. article written by a journalist who contributes on regular basis to a newspaper or magazine
- J. newspaper or other news outlet serving an American Indian nation or tribe
- K. message in the public interest disseminated without charge, with the objective of raising awareness, changing public attitudes and behavior towards a social issue
- L. list of principles to ensure the free exchange of information that is accurate, fair and thorough
- M. article devoted to the treatment of a particular topic, typically at length, often with a human interest element
- N. someone who is not permanently employed by one company, is self-employed, and only received salary for specific work on contract

Osage News: Communication Strengthens a Nation - FACT SHEET - Review Questions:

1. Give three facts about **WHO** reads the Osage News:

2. Describe two ways the Osage News **STRENGTHENS** the Osage Nation:

3. Tell one of the reasons we know the *Osage News* is a **RESPECTED** newspaper?

4. What are two of the **JOBS** at Osage News? _____

Consider the **TYPES OF INFORMATION** in the *Osage News*:

5. Which two areas would interest you the most? _____

6. Which do you think would be the most difficult for the reporters to write? _____

7. How does the *Osage News* pay its bills - what is its **BUSINESS MODEL**? _____

8. What do you think is the biggest **CHALLENGE** facing the Osage News in the future?

Go to www.osagenews.org . Choose an article from under one of the main *Osage News* banner topics that interests you. Read and respond:

9. Write a brief summary of the story - in 2-3 sentences. _____

10. What did you learn about the Osage Nation that you found surprising or most interesting?

11. Tell why you think this story would be important to an Osage Nation member? _____
