

**RUBRIC FOR MAGAZINE ARTICLE:**

Use this rubric to help you. I will be using it to give your number grade for this piece of work.

	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Content</b>	Some good content but is mostly copy and pasted from the internet with no real originality.	Content is enjoyable to read and mostly in own words. Not always to the point.	Clear focus throughout the task. All in own words. Clearly identifiable as either a newspaper or a magazine.	Imaginative, engaging and with strong vocabulary. Clearly focused. Clear use of newspaper/magazine features.	Imaginative and original, focused, believable as newspaper/magazine.
<b>Structure</b>	Structure unclear, not much planning overly long paragraphs, no linking	Has a structure, some planning, but sometimes loses focus and cohesion.	Clear, well-planned structure with cohesion and order. Uses topic sentences.	Effective, draws the reader in, etc., adds to the piece. Carefully planned and cohesive.	The same as 4 ; however, very controlled.
<b>Grammar/Punctuation</b>	Accurate enough to be clear. Errors disrupt flow sometimes. Frequent errors	Clear. A number of errors that stop the effects of the writing	A few inaccuracies Variation of punctuation / sentence structure.	Fluent Very few errors Expression not stopped by any mistakes.	Complex and almost no mistakes.
<b>Language/Style</b>	Tries to use some language devices or choose vocab for effect but they don't fit with the piece.	A little unvaried Vocab for effect used but don't always work well	Varied vocab used for effect	Language devices/vocab well chosen for specific effects	Sophisticated and complex devices/vocab well chosen for specific effects