

Newspaper Article Outline

1. Instructor will print out current articles from news websites. Each article should have a group number on it, depending on the number of students in the class.
2. Students will be divided into groups of four or five.
3. Instructor will pass out an article to each group. The number on the article is the group's assigned number.
4. Each group of students will create an outline of the article. The outline will consist of an introduction, two main points and a conclusion.
5. After 15 minutes of discussion and outlining within their group, the students will present their outline to the rest of the class.
6. The instructor will call out a group number and that particular group will come to the front of the class and present.
7. Each student is in charge of presenting one section of the outline, so every student has an opportunity to speak.
8. When the group is finished with their presentation, the audience may give advice or constructive criticism about how to improve the outline.