

ORAL CITATIONS ACTIVITY

Directions: The parts of an oral citation are as follows: name of **publication**, **date** it was published, **name** of author or speaker, and **credentials** of author or speaker. Create an oral citation from the information given below.

DIRECT QUOTE

Date: April 23, 2012

Publication: Los Angeles Times

What happened?

"It is a tremendous testament to how resourceful California educators can be in the face of really crazy budget cuts. Public education does so much to provide kids with the highest quality education possible but with so much less."

Who is the source? Rebecca Mieliwocki, teacher and winner of The National Teacher of the Year.

PARAPHRASE

Date: April 23, 2012

Publication: Associated Press

What happened?

The Senate offered a lifeline to the nearly bankrupt U.S. Postal Service on Wednesday, voting to give the struggling agency an \$11 billion cash infusion while delaying controversial decisions on closing post offices and ending Saturday delivery.

By a 62–37 vote, senators approved a measure which had divided mostly along rural-urban lines. Over the past several weeks, the bill was modified more than a dozen times, adding new restrictions on closings and cuts to service that rural-state senators said would hurt their communities the most.

The issue now goes to the House, which has yet to consider a separate version of the bill. "The Postal Service is an iconic American institution that still delivers 500 million pieces of mail a day and sustains 8 million jobs," said Sen. Joe Lieberman, I-Conn., a bill co-sponsor. "This legislation will change the USPS so it can stay alive throughout the 21st century."

Who is the source? Hope Yen, writer for the Associated Press

WEBSITE DIRECT QUOTE

Last Updated: 2012

Publication: www.diabetes.org,

What happened? Type 1 diabetes is usually diagnosed in children and young adults, and was previously known as juvenile diabetes. In type 1 diabetes, the body does not produce insulin.

Who is the source? American Diabetes Association