

Writing a News Story



When writing a news story, be sure to answer the 5Ws and H (who, what, when, where, why and how).

WHO is the story about?

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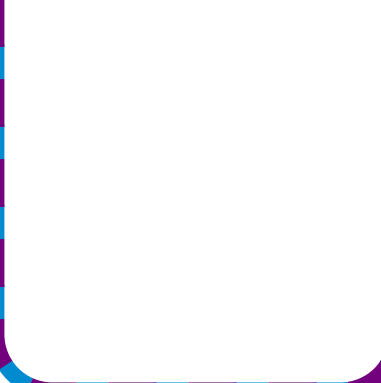
WHAT happened in the story?

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WHEN did it take place?

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EVENT

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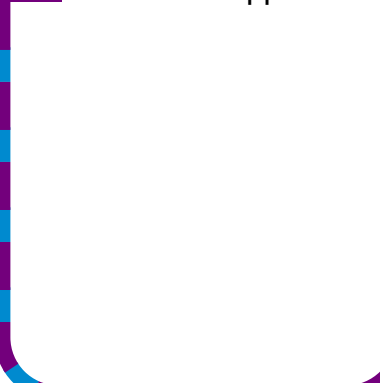
WHERE did it take place?

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WHY is this event important?

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How did it happen?

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