

Journalistic Writer

Feature Story

Students are to write a feature story based on information gathered at the news conference. It should be written as if it would be printed by an agricultural or local newspaper.

The release should be 100% factual and not contain opinions. The story should be 250 – 350 words (12 point, Times New Roman, double-spaced).

Students also should write a headline for their story.

Each writer can use notes from the press conference, the Q&A session and information in the press packet.

Writers will have 90 minutes to compose their story on the computer workstation provided.

Reminder:

Include your name and chapter name in the top **right-hand corner** of the page and type “FEATURE STORY” immediately next to your name. Do this on every page.

To Submit:

Save the document as a PDF with the file name as follows:

For O’Connor FFA Contest:

STUDENT NAME_CHAPTER_FEATURE_OC

Email the final pdf to tprice1@neisd.net before March 17, 2019. If competing in both the James Madison and O’Connor contest, please send separate emails for each contest.