

Content

Course Code	Course Name	Semester	Theory	Practice	Lab	Credit	ECTS
JOU201	News Gathering and Reporting Techniques	3	2	1	0	3	5

Prerequisites	
Admission Requirements	

Language of Instruction	Turkish
Course Type	
Course Level	Bachelor Degree
Objective	The aim of this lesson is to convey to the students what elements of what is called "news" should be included and what should be paid attention to, starting from the question of what the news is and how it can be defined. In this context are examined theoretically and through the examples what is news; what are the features of the news; what may be news; the stages of the news writing process; how to create the point of view of the news; the information gathering phase in the news; techniques used in news writing; inverted pyramid technique and other techniques; basic questions of the news (5Ws); headline, spot, photos, graphics and other visual components use in news; the importance of word choice; news inspection and verification.
Content	1st week: What is news? Why is the importance of the news? 2nd week: What are the features of news, introduction to news gathering techniques 3rd week: News gathering techniques 4th week: The importance of the source in the news and how it can be diversified 5th week: News writing process, general information about news writing techniques 6th week: Inverted Pyramid Technique and other news writing techniques 7th week: Exam 8th week: Importance of word usage in the news, title, spot and intermediate titles Rules of writing news through practice Writing topic: Women's murders / Sexual violence 9th week: The distinction between interview and interview. Interview analysis through sample, transferring basic features of the interview Rules of writing news through practice Writing topic: Art and culture 10th week: Rules of writing the news through practice Writing subject: Economic news 11th week: Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: Health news 12th week: Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: "Reportage" 13th week: Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: Interview 14th week: Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: Environmental / scientific news
References	News reporting and writing / The Missouri Group, Brian S. Brooks vd., 2002. Gazeteciliğe Başlarken-Okuldan Haber Odasına, haz. Sevda Alankuş, İPS İletişim Vakfı Yayınları, İstanbul, Haziran 2009. Haber Toplama Teknikleri, Anadolu Üniversitesi Yayını No: 2843, Yrd. Doç. Dr. Haluk Birsen (Editör) Haber Yazma Teknikleri, Anadolu Üniversitesi Yayını No: 2687, Prof. Dr. Erkan Yüksel (editör) Temel Gazetecilik, Oya Tokgöz

Theory Topics

Week	Weekly Contents
1	What is news? Why is the importance of the news?
2	What are the features of news, introduction to news gathering techniques
3	News gathering techniques
4	The importance of the source in the news and how it can be diversified
5	News writing process, general information about news writing techniques
6	Inverted Pyramid Technique and other news writing techniques
7	Exam
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12	Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: "Reportage"
13	Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: Interview
14	Rules of writing the news through practice Writing topic: Environmental / scientific news