Pt. Chiranji Lal Sharma Government College, Karnal

Department of Journalism & Mass Communication

Lesson Plan ODD Semester (2025-26)

Course Code : M24-JMC-104 Course Type- PC-1

Name of Course: News Writing Marks-100

| MAJMC | - 1st Sem | Month |
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| I | Write 5 hard news stories (150-200 words) in inverted pyramid format. Write 5 soft stories in narrative style. Compile at least four new stories (250-300 words) on local city | Aug-25 |
| II | 6. Conduct and write interview with an expert/source on a selected topic, applying research and interviewing techniques. 7. Write headlines (at least 10 news stories) on local city major happenings during current semester. 8. Write attention-grabbing headlines for three-three different national and international news stories. 9. Write a feature article (400-500 words) on a human-interest story, applying article structures and formats | Sept-2025 revision (1st Assignment) |
| III | 11. Write a column for magazine (400-500 words) 12. Write a radio news script (1-2 minutes) on a current event, applying principles of broadcast news writing. 13. An assignment exclusively on radio news headlines (at least 5). 14. Write a TV news script (1-2 minutes) on a current events (at least 5), applying principles of broadcast news writing and crafting leads, intros, and outros (winding up the story). | Oct-2025 revision (2nd Assignment) |
| IV | 17. Write a news story (250-300 words) for an online news portal, applying essentials of digital writing and SEO best practices. 18. Write social media posts (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) on a selected topic, applying writing styles and tone suitable for each platform. 19. Write a blog post (400-500 words) on a selected topic, applying writingstyles and tone suitable for a blog audience. | Nov-2025 revision (Unit test in 1st week) |

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