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# UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

## Topic: First Amendment: Freedom the Press

### Before you get started...

There are several key areas of controversy involved with Freedom of the Press.

1. Right of access.
2. Executive privilege.
3. Gag orders
4. Shield laws
5. Defamation
6. Obscenity
7. Student press
8. Regulation of the electronic media

### At the end you should know ...

To what extent does the Supreme Court's interpretation of freedom of the press reflect a commitment to individual liberty?

### Resources ...

Wolfford pp. 284- 293 , [Video Clip 3.4](#) , [Quizlet Stack 3.4](#)

Notes: