

Video News



THE ASSIGNMENT

Your news program has assigned you to cover the economic effects of the pandemic. You know that you need to make the assignment more narrow than that, more local than that and more timely than that. So, you set out to cover those economic effects but with a much more narrow and newsworthy focus.

Of course, this contest expects that you act ethically. Those ethics mean that you don't use software to deceive your audience or dramatized events in your entry. The entry should be journalistic and strive for truth, accuracy, fairness and context.

SUBMISSION

This category will use Better Newspaper Contests (BNC), for submission.

- **On Feb. 1**, the system opens for students to submit work.
- [Click here to submit your files](#)
 - [And click here for detailed submission instructions](#)
- Entries are due on **Sunday, Feb. 21 by 11 p.m. Central Time**.

SPECIFICATIONS

Students may compete as an individual or as a team of no more than four students.

The video news entry must be uploaded to the KSPA online submission according to these specifications:

- Posted as an online link that is publicly accessible without password protection (for instance, YouTube or Vimeo). You will simply submit the URL for the entry.
- The entry should be no longer than 90 seconds in run time.
- The entry should not contain any copyright infringement through the use of audio or video
- The entry must be uploaded by **Sunday, Feb. 21 by 11 p.m. Central Time**.

Failure to follow these requirements will result in disqualification.

DON'T FORGET

No need to pretend that you attend Sunflower High School, our fictional high school used for other categories. Simply create a video news package as you normally would.

Contest Info

This is a VISUAL category for the KSPA Regional Contest.

Students must not request help or advice from any person other than the KSPA staff at staff@ksponline.org.

All work must be solely that of the contestant(s).