**Story Package Rubric**

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|  | Exemplary | Proficient | Below standard | Did not demonstrate | Total points |
| All basic criteria are included | Package includes three to four appropriately selected multimedia segments. Multimedia options are selected with purpose and are the best way to tell the specific story. The completed package is well-rounded, informative and entertaining. | Package includes three multimedia segments. Multimedia options are selected with purpose. The completed package is well-rounded and informative. | Package includes three multimedia segments, but the pieces do not necessarily work together to create a complete story. | Package includes fewer than three multimedia segments. Multimedia options do not work together to create a complete story and/or tell redundant angles of the story. |  |
| Research/Preparation handout (optional - teacher discretion) | Research handout is thorough and complete, including specific individuals from a variety of different demographics (authority figure, participant, spectator, etc…), as well as a deep understanding of the purpose of the story package | Research handout is complete, but may lack diversity of interview subjects and basic research questions. An understanding of purpose is evident, but specificity of angle might need revision. | Research handout is complete, but does not demonstrate an understanding of story or purpose. | Research handout is incomplete and not well thought out. |  |
| Story Map | Group story map is thorough and complete, detailing eight or more subtopics of the larger general topic. Members took care in selecting multimedia options for each subtopic, considering audio, video, and photographic aspects of the story. | Group story map contains at least eight subtopics with varying angles of the larger general topic, as well as multimedia ideas for each. | Group story map contains fewer than eight subtopics of the larger general topic. Members consider multimedia options, but do not select varied options. | Group story map is incomplete and does not consider various angles of the larger topic. Multimedia options are an afterthought. |  |
| Deadlines | Group meets all deadlines. All package elements are easily accessible to editors/adviser. | Group meets all deadlines. | Group misses deadline, but demonstrates dedication to the task and completes task according to a timeframe that maintains timeliness of story. | Group misses deadline and does not make any attempt to complete task in a timely manner. |  |
| Group dynamics | The group worked well together and supported each other as a team. | The group had only minor issues in group dynamics. | The group did not work well as a team. | Complaints as to conduct were made about this group. |  |
| Total points |  |  |  |  | \_\_\_/ \_\_\_ points |